

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE YOUTH COMMITTEE**  
**Held in the Council Chamber, Council Offices at 7.00pm on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2021**

**PRESENT:**

Councillors: G O'Connor (Chair) Z Baker (Vice Chair) N Ind and D Creed

Officers: V Bolwell (Visitors Information Centre Supervisor),

Members of the public: Tom Hogg (The Hogg Show) Annie Evans (Tetbury Area Youth and Community Trust)

**YC01. 07/21 Apologies for Absence:** Cllr A Pearce and Cllr C Pearce.

**YC02. 07/21 Public Consultation:** T Hogg (The Hogg Show) gave a presentation for a summer holiday event.

**YC03. 07/21 Declarations of Interest:** None.

**YC04. 07/21 To Approve the Minutes of the meeting held on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2021:**

It was proposed by Cllr N Ind, seconded by Cllr G O'Connor to approve the minutes of the meeting held on the 19<sup>th</sup> of July 2021

Voting Record	For 3	Against 0	Abstain 1	Absent 2
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**YC05. 07/21 To Note Budget to date:** Noted

It was agreed to pay the full World Jungle outstanding invoice for May Half term activities.

**YC06. 07/21 To Receive Report from Youth Working Group:**

Cllr D Creed was unable to give an update due to the working group not meeting until Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> of July.

Cllr D Creed explained that he would like to meet with the group for an informal chat and discuss the future of the working group.

**YC07. 07/21 To Receive from Tetbury Area Youth and Community Trust:**

A Evans (TAYCT) was welcomed by the committee in her new role at TAYCT. A Evans gave a brief overview as she is new in her role.

TAYCT were previously asked to provide an overview what provisions they could provide for detached older youth from 7pm-9pm

A Evans has explained the young people have expressed that they want a place/shelter of their own. They want a safe trusted adult that are not a part of school or family member.

The members wanted clarification regarding Mental Health support. A Evans informed the committee that the youth work is not metal health work, it supports the health and wellbeing of the young.

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**YC08. 07/21 To Receive an Update from TAYCT shelter proposal for Recreation Ground:**

D Law (TAYCT) had met with Cllr G O'Connor and Cllr Z Baker to discuss sites within the recreation grounds. It was noted that the structure needs to be not only for older youth but for all, so moving forward it would be classed as a Community and Youth shelter.

The consideration for a structure that would be sustainable was agreed and VICS would contact Ben Jackson of greening Tetbury to discuss Straw Bale Shelters.

It was agreed that a brief would be the next step and Cllr G O'Connor and Cllr Z Baker would run this project to support TAYCT.

The committee also discussed setting a contingency fund for maintenance/repair/upkeep.

**YC09. 07/21 To Approve youth activities for School Summer Holidays:** After the presentation from The Hogg Show the committee agreed to fund a summer event.

It was proposed by G O'Connor, seconded by Cllr Z Baker to grant £1500 for the summer family event.

Voting Record	For 4	Against 0	Abstain 0	Absent 2
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**YC10. 07/21 Correspondence:** None

**YC11. 07/21 Brief Councillor Reports:** None

**YC12. 07/21 Future Agenda Items:**

Half Term Activities

Christmas Activities

Merge of Health and Wellbeing and Youth Committee

**YC13. 07/21 Date and Time of the Next Meeting:** Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2021 at 7pm

The Meeting closed at 9pm

Chair .....

Date .....