

Youth Council Meeting Minutes
31st March 2008 6-8pm Barnsley Town Hall

Members Present: Omar, Osman, Katie, Becki M, Chris, Shari, Amy S, Jamie, Jacky, Katie, Jacky, Ash T, Sam.

Workers Present: Clare, Emma, Karen, Charmaine

Apologies: Charlie, Becci N, Ash B, Hayley, Lizzie

Minutes: Agreed and passed by all members.

Introductions: Charmaine Bolton Choy, the new BME support worker introduced herself and her role.

Votes@16: Shari explained that the [votes@16](#) had been a major success the results were 5,684 yes, 2,534 no, 120 spoilt, total cast 8,338. Clare in process of producing a report.

Leadership Roles: It was agreed that Shari, Katie and Jamie would stand down from their positions and therefore not be eligible to re-stand this time so that other members could have the opportunity to take on a leadership role.

Campaign Issues: Based on young peoples research, members were previously asked to consider issues and decide on the most appropriate one to focus on this year. Clare asked members for their response. Members discussed this in length. The most popular campaign issues were the following; Bullying, Sex and Relationship Education, Young peoples rights and choices, Challenging stereotypes and promoting positive images. To be discussed further at the next meeting.

YAG / Surgery / Events Update: Emma gave an update. Discussion took place with members around linking up better. Clare agreed to organise a meeting with all team and members.

Summer Carnival: Members were told that the Summer Carnival would take place on Sat 14th June and asked if they were interested in getting involved. Members agreed to be involved. Clare asked members to think about what they would like to do on the day, this to be discussed at next meeting.

UKYP Questionnaires: Members gave feedback on the UKYP SRE Conference. Members were asked to fill in questionnaires about SRE and these would be sent back to the team working on SRE.

Website: Clare explained the website was undergoing updates.