

**MINUTES
TOWN OF YUCCA VALLEY
YOUTH COMMISSION**

Monday, November 4, 2013

CALL TO ORDER The regular meeting of the Town of Yucca Valley Youth Commission was called to order at 6:32 p.m. by Commissioner Chair Hannah Bogue.

ROLL CALL Commissioners present were: Commissioner Ahmadi, Commissioner Chair Bogue, Commissioner Geeson, Commissioner Gonzalez, Commissioner Vice Chair Green, Commissioner Green, Commissioner Hayes, Commissioner Idnani, Commissioner Lafferty, Commissioner Linzner, Commissioner Moffitt, and Commissioner Rowe.

Absent: Commissioners Bracamonte

Excused: Commissioner Caldwell.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE Led by Commissioner Idnani

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Action	Motion:	Commissioner Gonzalez moved to approve the agenda of November 4, 2013 Youth Commission meeting.
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Move: Gonzalez 2nd: Idnani Vote: 12-0-0

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Action	Motion:	Commissioner Ahmadi moved to approve the minutes of the October 7, 2013 Youth Commission meeting.
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Move: Ahmadi 2nd Idnani Vote: 12-0-0

Action:	Motion:	Commissioner Geeson moved to approve the minutes of the October 21, 2013 Youth Commission meeting.
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PUBLIC COMMENTS

No public comments

STAFF REPORTS

1. Sleep Deprivation Video Preliminary Planning

- a. The Youth Commissioners discussed doing an overview of adolescent sleep deprivation and will be interviewing teens and young adults for the first part of the video. It was decided that Commissioners Gonzalez, Hayes, and Caldwell will be leading the production of this segment which will include interviews with teens and young adults.
- b. The second part of the video will be “What is keeping kids from getting enough sleep (what not to do)?” Commissioners Rowe, Lafferty, Ahmadi and Chair Bogue agreed to lead the production of this segment which will feature Youth Commissioners acting out scenarios.
- c. “What’s the big deal about getting enough sleep?” will be the third segment of the Sleep Deprivation video, which will include an interview with Dr. Edith Jones Poland or other medical professional. Commissioners Geeson and Linzner will lead production of this segment.
- d. “What to do to get enough sleep; the benefits of getting sleep” will be the last and final segment of the Sleep Deprivation video. Commissioners Green, Vice Chair Green, Moffitt, and Idnani will lead the production of this segment. Youth Commissioners will act out scenarios.

2. Halloween Video Final Edit Assignment

Commissioners Lafferty and Ahmadi volunteered to edit the Halloween YouTube videos that were shot with the iPad with assistance from Recreation Leader Megan Stueckle on November 14, 2013 at 6:30 p.m.

3. Youth Commission Teen Community Forum

The Youth Commissioners have decided they would like to make an impact at the Grubstakes Community Fair for their forum. They want to do some a survey/clue search about Youth Commission that are hidden inside a maze, and for the people who participate in the maze and get all the facts written down get a prize. They indicated that they may also want to add a bounce house style feature.

Chair Bogue told the Commissioners to come back to the next meeting with ideas for the maze or even info about where to get a maze.

4. Smoke Shop Ordinance Update

Christina Phillips from the Morongo Basin Community Coalition will be at the next Youth Commission meeting on November 18, 2013, to present information and discuss sample smoke ordinances, as well as answer questions.

STAFF INFORMATION ITEMS

1. Commissioner Linzner took her Oath for being a Youth Commissioner.
2. A huge thanks to all the Commissioners who volunteered for all the Halloween events!
3. Recreation Leader Megan Stueckle took the Group Photograph of the 2013-2014 Town of Yucca Valley Youth Commission.
4. Recreation Supervisor Sue Earnest handed out Photo Release Forms to all the Youth Commissioners who did not send in a Photo Release Form.

COMMISSIONER REPORTS AND COMMENTS

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| 1. Commissioner Ahmadi: | Ay. |
| 2. Chair Bogue: | I love our shirts. |
| 3. Commissioner Geeson: | No Comment. |
| 4. Commissioner Gonzalez: | Good meeting, happy we got our shirts and badges. |
| 5. Vice Chair Green: | I like the shirts, it was a good meeting. |
| 6. Commissioner Green: | No Comment. |
| 7. Commissioner Hayes: | Meeting was good, shirts are nice. |
| 8. Commissioner Idnani: | Good meeting. |
| 9. Commissioner Lafferty: | No Comment. |
| 10. Commissioner Linzner: | No Comment. |
| 11. Commissioner Moffitt: | No Comment. |
| 12. Commissioner Rowe: | No Comment. |

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next scheduled meeting of the Youth Commission will be Monday, November 18, 2013 at 6:30 p.m. in the Ocotillo Room of the Yucca Valley Community Center.

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting was adjourned at 7:21 p.m.

Respectfully submitted

Sue Earnest
Youth Commission Staff Liaison/Acting Secretary