

West Sussex Youth Cabinet Minutes

Meeting date: 06/01/2025

Venue: Online [Zoom]

Attendees:

Youth Parliament:

Grace Dobson, Lacie Shaw,
Stella Dickens, Vivaan Dixit,
Afra Ahmed, Mya Mackrell, Khushi Katira.

Youth Cabinet:

Aamir Sawraj, Aeisha Faizal, Afrasayab Ahmed,
Alexia Mathieu, Amberley Hart, Ashfa Saval, Ayah
Miah, Baxter Ayling, Cammie Morris, Charis
Omuemu, Ella Brooks, Falizha Mahmod, Fraser
Squires, Fraser Stirling, Georgina Bryan, Grace
Dobson, Grace Townsend, Gracie Augustus, Harmony
Stephens, Harry Salmon, Janeria Quansah, Jorja
Lindridge, Joshua Bernardi, Jezel Yeboah, Katie
Barnes, Khushi Katira, Liubov Manzarkhanova, Lola
Hathaway, Maddi Andrews, Martha Deery,
Mohammad Pathan, Maya Muteru, Mya Mackrell, Nina
Wilson, Reema Ahamed, Stella Dickens, Lacie Shaw,
Vivaan Dixit, Cammie Morris, Holly Delacour

Workers: Angela Blackwell, Kate Avery

Mentors: N/A

Guests: Sophie Goodall-Smith – WSCC Waste Prevention

Apologies: Afrasayab Ahmed, Janeria Quansah, Lola Hathaway, Mohammad Pathan

Strikes: Vivaan Dixit (2), Jorja Lindridge (4), Kushia Katria (1), Aeisha Faisal (1), Janeria Quansah (1),
Lacie Shaw (1), Gracie Augustus (1), Charis Omuemu (2), Falizha Mahmod (1), Harry Salmon (1),
Joshua Bernardi (1), Jezel Yeboah (1), Liubov Manzarkhanova (1), Maddi Andrews (1), Stella Dickens (1)

Minutes:

Item	Feedback and Updates	Run by
Welcome & Ice Breaker	People introduced themselves and told everyone their highlight of the Year with the Youth Cabinet.	Chair
Guest Speaker	Sophie Goodall-Smith from West Sussex Waste Prevention gave a talk to the cabinet including; waste the dangers of it and recycling while also opening up to a Q&A from Youth Cabinet.	Chair
Matters Raised	There were a few matters raised by the chair including our upcoming trip to Ford waste centre and attending scrutiny committees.	Chair

Campaign Updates	An update from each campaign lead was given to the youth cabinet.	Chair
Questions & Urgent Matters	No questions or urgent matters were raised.	Chair
Campaign work	<p><i>Cabinet broke off into campaign groups:</i></p> <p><u>Environment:</u> The Environment campaign had engaging discussions with Sophie Goodall-Smith from WSCC Waste Prevention – particularly on the topic of waste involving fast fashion waste with textiles waste bins, charity shop encouragement and the Stone Pillow fashion show (with the idea to possibly create our own). We also spoke about the issue of rejected produce from farmers by supermarkets and ways to reduce waste this through websites like ‘Oddbox’ and others to rescue food waste; regarding this we also discussed apps like olio and others. Another, item of our campaign & manifesto which we discussed with Sophie was beach cleans, town cleans, and street cleans, and she provided us with some constructive and helpful feedback on how to achieve these. It was also stated that we would have posters from a particular member of the campaign for next meeting.</p> <p><u>Youth Safety:</u> The Youth Safety campaign had a recap on their ideas for the coming year. This included the drafting and mind mapping of ideas for a further podcast and the preparation for their guest (Sussex police) in the next monthly youth cabinet meeting on stop and search in the county.</p> <p><u>Mental Health & Well-being:</u> The Mental Health & Well-being campaign discussed upcoming plans; this included podcasts scripts and other projects. This campaign also spent time organising an online meeting within their campaign to further their plans. Contact has also been made to mental health charities to have protentional interviews with them for future podcasts and gained responses and interest from Andy’s Man Club and The Mental Health Foundation.</p> <p><u>Youth Equity:</u> The Youth Equity campaign was discussing their next steps for their podcasts with writing scripts for new episodes. In addition, they also discussed which topics members wanted to give presentations on in the next SAC meeting and reaching out to SEND schools to find out what resources they had available to their students.</p>	Chair
Feedback & Farewell	Feedback from each campaign was given to the full cabinet and the cabinet meeting drew to a close.	Chair

Next Meeting: February 3rd 6-8pm Location: Chichester County Hall	
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