



Town of Barnstable
BARNSTABLE RECREATION



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Barnstable Youth Commission Minutes

January 31, 2023 ~ 6:30 P.M. - 7:30 via Zoom

Isabelle Rudy called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

Notice of Recording: Yes - Meeting being audio recorded via Zoom for the purpose of taking minutes.

Roll Call:

Present: Isabelle Rudy (Chair), Luc-Andre Sader (Vice Chair), Cameron Levesque, Connor O'Reilly, Laik O'Reilly, Mary Flynn Kayajan, Mary Steinhilber, Piper Hunt, George Noonan (Assistant Director Recreation Division), Kip Diggs (Adult Advisor), Officer Gene Desruisseaux (Barnstable Police Department), Sandra Merritt (Division Assistant)

Absent: Alex Arabadzhiev, Eric Arabadzhiev, Michaela Stampfl, Jaden Jeffries, Maddy Boyle, Shalanda Grant, Megan Garthee, Kellie Crawley (Adult Advisor), Officer Brian Morrison

Minutes: Flynn Kayajan made a motion to approve the minutes of the January 17, 2023 meeting; Piper Hunt seconded; All in favor; motion passed.

Public Comment: None

Old Business

A. Sub-Committees

- a. Environmental - Laik O'Reilly
 1. Going door to door with the PFAS study to recruit people to participate in it
 2. Barnstable High School Green Club and Sturgis High School Advisor Club members attended meeting to discuss putting on event with Silent Spring
 - o Content will possibly include a movie and slide show with panel
 3. Laik and Luc will write an Agenda for the next meeting
 4. Luc will invite the clubs to the next meeting
- b. Job Fair - Piper Hunt
 1. Mainly discussed how to promote the event and how to get the message out
 - o Piper created a video to post based on information from Amy Harwood
 2. Twenty-five businesses have signed up
 3. All commissioners tasked with finding a business to sign up

4. **Luc, Alex, and Eric** met with Paula Hersey of Channel 18 to record information about the Job Fair for Town Talk
 - o Clips from this can be posted on the Instagram account
5. Date of Job Fair is March 8, 2023
- c. One Love - **Izzy**
 1. Friendless and Behind The Post sign up for training must be done by Monday, February 6, 2023
 - o **Izzy** will send out the recording for those who can't attend
 - o Website is Joinonelove.org
 2. **George** will send the link to Officer Desruisseaux so police officers can take the training
 3. **Luc** will schedule a meeting to get the dates set for Barnstable High School
 4. **Izzy** will reach out again to Sturgis faculty to get this planned
 5. **Flynn** will continue reaching out to Cape Cod Academy staff
- d. Youth Summit
 1. To be held May 19, 2023
 2. Connor will organize getting the next sub-committee meeting scheduled
 3. Barnstable Adult Community Center and Barnstable Intermediate School are booked

New Business

- A. **Luc** asked that commissioners reach out to anyone who might be interested in joining the Youth Commission
- B. **Recreation Commission Liaisons**
 - o Connor O'Reilly will attend the next meeting on February 6, 2023 and will ask Jayden Jeffries to join

Laik O'Reilly made a motion to adjourn the meeting; **Mary Steinhilber** seconded; All in favor; motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Sandra Merritt
Principal Recreation Division Assistant

**Next Meeting: Tuesday, February 14, 2023 6:30 PM
Hyannis Youth and Community Center - Shepley Room**

