



## Welland Mayor's Youth Advisory Council Meeting Minutes

<b>Place:</b>	Welland Community Wellness Complex - Meeting Room
<b>Date:</b>	Dec/2/ 2019
<b>Time:</b>	4:01- 7:00

<b>Members</b>	<b>Name:</b>	<b>Representing:</b>	<b>Initials:</b>
	Owen Gallagher	Chair	OG
	Cassidy West	Vice Chair	CW
	Krish Patel	Secretary	KP
	Avery Turner	Promotions & Publicity	AT
	Emily Hamann	MYAC	EH
	Damon Stachura	MYAC	DS
	Camille Peddle	MYAC	CP
	Alex Zhuang	MYAC	AZ
	Kaitlin Ives	MYAC	KI
	Micheal Abdelmaksoud	MYAC	MA
	Ella Boon	MYAC	EB
	Ayden Durco	MYAC	AD
	Alyssa Plopp	MYAC	AP
<b>Staff Liaison:</b>	Krista Bowie	Staff Liaison	KB
<b>Absent:</b>	Camille Peddle	MYAC	CP

1. Meeting Commencement

2. Bus to Winter Lights

3. Event Debrief:

a. Hometown Hockey

b. Santa Claus Parade

Hot chocolate went well! Hot chocolate with donation if possible. Have salvation army there. Better crafts if possible (less messy). Cookie pops were good. More candy for parade! Overall, very well.

4. Upcoming Events:

a. Winter Lights Tour - December 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> (5pm to 10pm)

\*Be there at 6:00 if you are there for the first bus

Bus Number	Time	December 9th - Monday	December 10th - Tuesday
Bus Number 1	6:45	Avery & Owen	Ella & Ayden
Bus Number 2	7:00	Emily, Cassidy, Camille	Alex & Krish
Bus Number 3	7:15	Kaitlin & Alyssa	Damon & Micheal

b. New Year's Eve Celebration - December 31<sup>st</sup> (3pm to 7pm)

→Wellness Centre Jobs

- Mini Putt
  - Cassidy, Emily
- Face Painting
  - Alyssa
- Candy Floss
  - Kaitlin, Krish
- London Reptile
  - Avery
- Frozen Characters
  - Ayden & Ella

→Arena Jobs

- Popcorn
  - Damon, Micheal
- Club Wrecks
  - Camille

c. Open Arms Mission (Feb 22<sup>nd</sup>, Saturday)

d. Youth Week Concert (May 2020)

Start planning in February. Talk to individual schools music/arts departments. Can expand invitation for participation outside of Welland, but it depends on the number of participants from Welland.

5. Discussing specifics for MYAC Action on Climate Change
  - Prize for social media challenge (any good environmental deeds could qualify you for a raffle draw)
  - Clean the Canal:
    - Community service hours, more garbage collected equals better prize. Do it around Earth Day

6. Round Table

## 7. Additional Business

- Bigger Presence on Social Media
  - General Welland Account, any events happening from any group to share their events
- Reach Out to:
  - Black Sheep Lounge
  - Major Sports Games
  - Rose City Kids?
  - Rose festival
  - MYAC
  - Arena (skating nights)
  - REACT
  - Heritage Council
- Possible Name(s) to Social Media Account:
  - Welland Happenings
- Vote on MYAC Hoodie or Quarter Zip
  - Quarter Zip - Large majority
    - Colour: Black
    - Includes Names

## 8. Meeting Adjournment