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**Youth Council Meeting
Agenda
April 10, 2023 5:30 PM**



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AGENDA YOUTH COUNCIL MEETING CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE

MONDAY, APRIL 10, 2023 5:30 PM

I. Call to Order

1. Invocation Followed by Pledge
2. Roll Call
3. Approve Agenda

II. Old Business

4. First Responders Dinner and Panel
5. Leadership Retreat
6. Adoption of the January Minutes

III. New Business

7. Music Festival
8. Spring Concert
9. Senior Banquet

IV. Executive Session (if needed)

V. Adjourn

Youth Council Meeting Minutes

January 9th, 2023

Call to Order

On January 9th, 2023 the special call meeting was called to order at 6:51pm.

Roll Call

Members In Attendance	Guests in attendance	Members not in attendance
Mikyla McCowan	Sharika Zellars	
MacyEllen Thompson-Grimes	Ericka Harvey	Chloe Hale
Skai White		Taylor Harvey
Bryce Browne		
Zipporah Barnes		
Ari Hall		
Simone Walker		
Marshall Hall III (Trey) (tardy)		
Renee Gourdine-Chair		

Opening Remarks

Mikyla welcomed the members to the new years.

Adoption of Agenda

Motion to adopt: 1st Macy, 2nd Ari

In Favor: Mikyla, Skai, Bryce, Zipporah, Simone Walker

Opposition: None

Public Comments

Ms. Zellars suggested February 25th for the SYC retreat to welcome new members. However, the council requested the 24th for the retreat date.

Old Business

1. Calendar Update: Addition to the new calendar dates are as followed:

- Georgia and nearby colleges/university tours. Decided on a few colleges, but not yet finalized.
- Operation Lunchbox: Packing lunch boxes for different counties so that the company can be able to transport. SYC decided to complete the community service in collaboration with FGE (Future Georgia Educators).
Motion to make Ari chair of Operation Lunchbox Committee: 1st Skai, 2nd Macy
In Favor: Mikyla, Ari, Bryce, Simone, Zipporah
Oppose: None
Motion Carried
(Marshall Arrived)
- Literacy Day: Due to the lack of knowledge of the subject, it is decided to move it to February's meeting. Pushing the date itself to March.
- Beautification: Beautification date for January and the following months have not been announced, due to the absence of Chloe Hale. However, it will be planned.

- S.T.E.M Day:
Motion to remove S.T.E.M Day: 1st Ari, 2nd Simone, 3rd Bryce
In Favor: Mikyla, Macy, Skai, Trey, Zipporah
Oppose: None
Motion Carried
- Team Building Activity for SYC of 2023-2024:
Motion to have activity for July: 1st Macy, 2nd Ari, 3rd Bryce

2. **Homeless Kits:** Discussion to where to drop off the homeless kits is not announced. However, it is planned to be dropped off to certain places/businesses to which

New Business

1. **Black History Month/Art Show:** We needed a venue to host the art show during February. We need some artists, a prize for the winner(s) (one big prize and two small ones), and food for us. Date discussed for the event is February 18th, but the setting for the place is needed for discussion. If approved, then the date is settled for the 18th.
2. **Retreat (February 24th):** Student lead, but requires adult supervision. Trey suggested an escape room to build team building, also a beautification date for the 24th. Time is from 8 a.m to 6 p.m.

8:00-8:15 a.m: Arrival

8:15 - 8:45 a.m: Breakfast: Discussion of bylaws, introduction of Stockbridge, and code of conduct..

8:45-9:15 a.m: Parent meeting in regards to the SYC.

During the time, SYC members will go to the escape room and bring back the students. Icebreaker games, food is going to be decided. Information must be decided on my January 14th, 2023. (Games, 2 Food Options, and Icebreaker games cost)

3. **Interviews:** The interviews did go well. However, Macy feels that the SYC should have been part of the interview. However, if the SYC wants to be a part of the interview, among other things, then their response to the SYAC is crucial and needs to be more immediate.

Closing Remarks

None
 (Skai White left early)

Adjourn

Meeting is adjourned at 8:27 p.m

1st Macy, 2nd Trey

In Favor: Mikyla, Bryce, Zipporah, Ari, Simone

Oppose: None