

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Youth Advisory Commission
Monday, April 3, 2017 at 5:00 p.m.
Community Conference Room, 4975 Memorial Drive, La Mesa, California

La Mesa Youth Advisory Commission Minutes

Date: April 3, 2017

Meeting called to order at 5:00 p.m.

Salute to the flag

Present Commissioners: Emily Alessio, Penelope Amado, Isaac Baber, Savannah Baird, Jennifer Barillas, Payton Bechefskey, Thomas Bradvica, Katie Chen, Francesca Di Giammarino, Jagger Giles, Anderson Lam, and Chance Lux

Absent Commissioners: Will Harris, JJ Thomas, and Madison Williams

Staff members present: Michele Greenberg-McClung, Community Services Manager and Andrea Gonzalez, Recreation Supervisor.

Current Business:

1. Teen Workshop: Commissioners began by organizing tables for sign-in and food and the projector. The sign-in table had brochures for the event and sheets for attendees to fill out their name, school, and email. Commissioners Alessio, Giammarino, and Lux managed the sign-in table. The food table had cheese and pepperoni pizza, napkins and water. Commissioners Baber, Chen, and Lam managed the food table. To greet the audience and speakers, Commissioners stood at the doorways and outside with a sign. Commissioner Giles introduced the speakers and commenced the event. Ms. Bycsek from Helix presented on college preparation and application with topics like classes, standardized testing, student timelines, and early action/decision. Ms. Irving from Helix presented on financial aid with topics like FAFSA, work-study, scholarships, how to apply, where to apply, and why to apply. The Commissioners then thanked all the attendees for taking the initiative to understand more about college and cleaned the venue.

Staff Announcements: None

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

The next official meeting will be held on Monday, April 10, 2017 at 4:30 p.m.
Anderson Lam, La Mesa Youth Advisory Commission Secretary.