

Yukon Regional PSAC Youth Committee Minutes
June 13, 2007 –7—8:45pm
Dave Hobbis Boardroom

In Attendance:

Tamara Ohlin, YEU Y010 Youth rep Sarah House, Nat Y0102 Youth rep
Kait.Dinunzio, Y010 Youth rep Nancy Debreceni, PSAC staff
Laurie Butterworth, YEU
Regrets: Jean-François Des Lauriers

Chair: Kait Dinunzio

Welcome Sarah. Seems last minute circumstances prevented others keen to participate from attending.

Jan. Minutes reviewed along with reports to Yukon Area Council and PSAC North Council. Great support shown by both Councils.

Bank account to be opened soon.

The Committee reviewed recruitment and awareness actions to date:

- Director seat and great support from Yukon Area Council
- Youth Director seat on YFL –Kait Dinunzio
- Youth Director seat on YEU Executive – Ron Davis
- Extensive email network list being developed by word of mouth / Face Book
- Kait invited to meeting w/ Governor General on June 18th.

Discussion on recruitment with decision to include:

- Possible survey to be developed and distributed through piggy backing with YEU newsletter plus mail out to non-YEU members and look at feasibility of posting on-line.
- Focus on issue of difficulty in getting permanent jobs – use of casuals and AOC
- Explore Coalition projects with BYTE, Skookum Jim, FASSY, High School Social Justice Clubs
- Info Booth at July 1st, participate in Summer Campaign and Labour Day BBQ
- Alliance Facilitator Network developing weekend Succession Planning/Activist workshop (1st day youth, followed by joint day with seasoned activists to bring awareness of issues, links and mentoring)
- Combine awareness discussions with other activities, sport, build float, booth, etc.

Discussion on Projects

- Lobby for inclusion of more labour history and info as well as YFL initiative on H&S awareness in school curriculum
- Kait to check on July 1st float – YFL as well as Nancy to assist with proposal for Summer Campaign funds.
- Breaking Down Barriers – mentoring/peer support to encourage employment opportunities for youth as well as identifying barriers and solutions
- Access to Permanent jobs – includes meeting w/ Public Service Commissioner
- Article in YEU Newsletter, Letters to Editor, Letter to be sent to L. Butterworth requesting issue brought forward at LMC –w/ questions on use of casuals
- Sarah to approach Nat Y0102 Pres., J-P Molgat to add to DIAND LMRC agenda

Next Meeting - TBA