

Marsden Youth And Community Project **Meeting**

Minutes from the meeting on Monday 30th March 2009.

Present: Keith Melbourne, Liz Voros
Jenni Smith-Wignall, Tania Gill-Martin.

Apologies: Cllrs Ridgway & Fearnley and Turner.

It was decided not to go through the minutes as there weren't enough people present. The main reason for this meeting was to look at funding and grants. All the updates on what going on with the group are in these minutes.

This meeting was to talk about funding and what funders are looking for. Keith went through grant applications and brought one that had already been passed. We were also given loads of details and a really good insight to how the grant and funding system works.

If you require any more details on funding, please contact Keith Melbourne,
Email: keith.melbourne@kirklees.gov.uk Tel: 01484 225709

We have had a meeting with the M.C.A - Marsden Community Association. They have confirmed that M.Y.A.C will become a sub group of themselves so that grants and formalities can be passed through them. So great news and everything should be finalized before our next meeting in April.

Liz, Jenni and Keith met up with Marika from Leisure services at the old goods yard. We have been assured that there is funding set aside for the lighting at the multi-court.

Also some funding for play equipment and a consultation is planned to ask the young people what kind of equipment they would like there.

Marika from Leisure services is looking into this and we will update you as it unfolds.

We would like to thank Jolene Allen, Jessica Elliot from Y.P.S and Katie Walsh from organised-chaos for all their feedback on activities.

With what we already have from the young people we will be going ahead with these soon.

The survey idea was brought up earlier on in year and was kindly looked into by one of the supporters of the group.

To do an in-depth survey would take a lot of members plus time to be done.

These types of surveys help with grants and also getting feedback for the group.

They require training and a lot of time to sort out so it was decided to hold off for a while and look again at this later on in the year.

M.A.S.T.T Marsden and Slaithwaite Transition Towns are a local group and they are having a stall on cuckoo day, which is on the 25th April.

The stall will have information about who they are and what they are doing.

They will be there from 10 - 4 and have kindly said we can share their stall.

There will also be information about our group and I will be there in the afternoon.

If anyone would like to help with the stall or hand out information, please email jenni on: info@m-yac.co.uk or Tel: 07976963126.

For more information on M.A.S.T.T please check out the website: www.mastt.org.uk

Or email Tiffany Schofield: info@mastt.org.uk

Dave Parnell from The Design Mechanics has been doing the website since the group started.

We have had great feedback from the site and been told that it is user friendly.

Dave and the design mechanics have been really great with our group and we would like to thank them for their help and ongoing support.

Dave has done the group a short online survey which will be a great start in getting feedback and ideas.

This will be on the main website from Tuesday 14 April. www.m-yac.co.uk

Please take a look and pass it on, the more feedback the better.

If you would like any information about The Design Mechanics please go to www.thedesignmechanics.com or Tel: 01484 841088.

NEXT MEETING MONDAY 27thAPRIL 2009

7.30 –9.00

MARSDEN FIRE STATION,

MANCHESTER ROAD,

MARSDEN

