

## Minutes for UKYP Eastern Region- 12<sup>th</sup> July 2009

Present:-

Chair- Justin

Minute taker- George

Ben

Fraser

Ricci

Sam

### Item 1 – Apologies for Absence

Hannah

Sam

### Item 2 – Review of the minutes from last meeting

- Discussion on anti racism training – date still to be decided
- The policy of attendance was discussed, still need to decide what is a good reason for an apology such as work, a decision was made that if five meetings are missed with apologies then the status of the person would be discussed in the group
- \* *Sam needs a co-opted pack –Sam’s friend to e-mail Catherine to get details* \*
- The funding that the group applied for will be assessed on the 6<sup>th</sup> august.

### Item 3 – Annual Sitting

- There are positions that need to be filled – Catherine to look into Fraser and Channelle attending.
- Sam sends apologies for October – in India
- Emma Louise still to send in registration form for UKYP
- Annual sitting forms attached to last meetings minutes need to be sent back to UKYP by Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> July

### Item 4 – LDW / Café Event Contribution

- Eastern region events: it was decided that events should be planned in each area – Looking to become involved with YEA’s local democracy week event.
- Catherine will organize a meeting to discuss events – date to be decided

### Item 5 – Working on / Finishing Action Plan

- George is working with his school
- Fraser has boards in school and has done six presentations to other groups
- Sam has finished an awareness week
- Uttlesford had a fun day on the 24<sup>th</sup> July
- To be added to the action plan –
  - Everyone was asked at the last regional meeting to get three profile forms filled out by different people.
  - For the positive image of YP- if everyone could write a little paragraph each, Ricci will take them in and type them up together to go into local newspapers.

### Item 6 – Draft letters to MYP’s not attending meetings

- Fraser and George created a draft letter for the new attendance policy- there were no rejections – Catherine to type up.

**Item 7 – newsletter article and positive images of YP- newspapers etc.**

- The YEA newsletter will be produced once more on it's own, then it shall become an involvement news letter, a section shall be on the UKYP, it has been written up by the group explaining who we are, what we do and what we are planning to do
- The positive image of YP was discussed in the group- we decided to send some information and other items to local newspapers – this has been added to the action plan.

**Item 8 – AOB**

- Justin shall be doing a presentation on Wednesday about “the future of aviation” with three other MYP's to the transport select committee in parliament. Justin took some quotes from Ben about Stanstead.
- Ben has resigned, this was his last meeting.