

City of Coral Gables

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Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, April 4, 2018

6:30 PM

Coral Gables Youth Center, 405 University Drive, Coral Gables, FL
33134

Parks and Recreation Youth Advisory Board

CALL TO ORDER

@ 6:40pm

ROLL CALL

Present:

Matthew Wagner

Lydia Menendez

Amanda Hernandez

Kirk Menendez Jr.

Absent:

Rebecca Rodriguez

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

Lydia motioned to approve the minutes this was seconded by Alec and the board voted in favor unimously.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Carlos updated the board on the staff meeting that was held regarding new programming that will target the over 13 age bracket. Carlos also touched explained to the board several of the volunteer opportunities that exist through the City of Coral Gables Sustainability division. The board over all seemed interested in any green initiative that they can help the City participate in.

Carlos also brought up possible ideas for the mother / son day which would be centered around a trivia night or game day. Amanda believes that creating a social media account in which the Youth Center can target the 13 plus age bracket. Carlos explained to the board that the City is looking into social media accounts and working to target the desired age bracket to help with beta testing of apps.

Carlos also updated the board with the upcoming summer programs and activities. Amanda suggested that the Youth Center should create standing games throughout the summer. Carlos believes that doing a pilot run of this style of "pick-up" games can be tried with kickball this year. Carlos asked the board if they had reached out to Norma Gavarette and the special events division, Amanda stated she would be looking into if she can participate with Halloween but most of the board will be out of town for the fourth of July.

ITEMS FROM THE SECRETARY

Date & Time of the next meeting:

May 14, 2018 @ 6:30pm

ADJOURNMENT

@ 7:20pm

NOTE