

BRONX COMMUNITY BOARD NO.8
MINUTES OF THE YOUTH COMMITTEE MEETING
Held on March 22, 2017 at
Community Board No.8 Office
5676 Riverdale Avenue Suite 100
Bronx, New York

PRESENT: Lamont. Parker - Youth Chairperson
Karizma Funnye - Kingsbridge Heights Community Center
Lisa Hernoon - Riverdale Press
Rita Pochter Lowe - Community Board Member
Ana Ohmada - Riverdale Neighborhood House
Nancy Nunez - Riverdale Neighborhood House
James Santiago - Community Board Member
Consuelo Hernandez - CAMH
Ruby Lee Palma - CAMH

ABSENT: Daniella Fuchs

Meeting Commenced at 1:00pm

Mintues for both January & February were approved.

Youth Chair Report- There is still no information on the Yankee Award ceremony. The talent show held by Marble Hill Community Center on March 10th, was a success. There were four groups that competed and the 2nd graders took 1st place & Kindergarten Kids took 2nd place. On March 9th the youth chair was a part of the Graffiti Clean up sponsored by Community Affairs of the 50th precinct. They walked around the neighborhood and cleaned up those areas that needed cleaning. The Knights Flag Football League will kick off on April 29th.

Thank you to all of the centers for their Comeback Kid nominations. It was a tough decision but the winners have been chosen and they will be announced at our next Youth meeting.

The Kingsbridge Heights Community Center is looking forward to hosting the Poetry Slam on Thursday, May 4th from 6:30pm to 9pm! More information to come on who will be the MC for this awesome event!

Updates on the Centers - Kingsbridge Heights Community Center programs are all doing well. Everyone is looking forward to planting season and of course the upcoming Poetry Slam!

Riverdale Neighborhood House is now offering OST program for middle schoolers at MS/HS 368. As we await for the warmer months, remember that RNH has a swimming pool and there are some variety of memberships available. Details for Summer 2017 are available.

Marble Hill Community Center programs so far are going great! The center is preparing for gardening season with classes being conducted by the help of Ruby Palma. The center also had a great turn out at their talent show which was held on March 10th.

Consuelo Hernandez came to share the upcoming event that is part of the church of the mediator project! The church is on their 3rd phase on helping the community through gardening. Everyone is invited to join the community on Saturday, March 25 from 11am to 4pm. It's a way of enriching the community plus helping the next generation.

The next meeting will be held at The Community Board 8 office on April 26, 2017 at 1pm

Meeting was adjourned at 2:15pm