

Youth Council Meeting
MINUTES
Thursday Feb 12, 2026

Attendees: S Raymond, J Spinks, A Cummins, J Jacob, R Trinh, E Lewis, C Newman, O Vandenhoogen, A Turnquist, A Barron, A Tomritson, F Batoon, Z Solana, and M Villa
 Regrets: B Janssen
 Guest Speaker: J Hruha from Leduc Recreation Centre
 Recorded by: K Spelrem

AGENDA ITEM	DISCUSSION	ACTION REQUIRED
Meeting Called to Order at 6:01 PM		
Review		
Agenda	J Jacob and R Trinh made a motion to accept the agenda as presented. All in favor.	
Previous Minutes	C Newman and A Barron made a motion to accept the January meeting minutes as presented. All in favor.	
Round Table Introductions	Youth Council went around the table and did introductions for new board members.	
Guest Speaker- Julianne Hruha	Julianne came to present to Youth Council to gain insight and feedback from youth about Teen Take Over and how we want it to be running for the next coming years.	
Old Business		
a) Strategic Plan Review	Strategic Plan was reviewed and is up to standard for our 2026 initiatives.	
New Business		

a) Youth Ambassadors	Youth Ambassadors will be joining us for our March Meeting. K Spelrem will bring board games and crafts to socialize with the youth ambassadors after or during our meeting. Invite has been sent out 8 youth ambassadors.	K Spelrem and E Hansen will continue to promote Youth Ambassadors at booth events at the schools. C Newman will present the Youth Ambassadors PowerPoint during March meeting.
b) Guest Speakers for 2026	Youth Council discussed who we would like to invite to our meetings for guest speakers for 2026. Lloydminster Youth Council will be presenting in April.	
c) Subcommittees	Subcommittees will now begin being formed. We will create a subcommittee for Grants, Volunteer fest, Influencers and Marketing and Communication. Marketing and communications motion made by J Jacob and seconded by R Trinh, carried unanimously. Influencers award motion made by J Jacob and seconded by A Barron, carried unanimously.	To be discussed at March's meeting.
d) Present to Council on June 15	C Newman will be presenting it to Council on June 15 at 5:15pm to showcase what Youth Council does within our board.	
e) #Influencers	Youth Council will help to promote #Influencers on social media and through promotion in the schools. E Hansen and K Spelrem have been in all the high schools and will be attending the outreach in March.	
f) Anti Bullying Day	Youth Council discussed Pink Shirt Day and decided to create a video for our Instagram page. We will also be completing crafts to give out to the community members to spread kindness.	
g) Newcomers Event- March 28	The Newcomers Event is happening on March 28 from 1pm- 4pm. Youth Council was invited to set up a booth with E Hansen.	We will follow up during our March meeting on who is able to join.
h) City Council Update	Cllr Raymond and Cllr Spinks presented Youth Council with an update of upcoming initiatives that City Council is working on.	
i) Headshots	Youth Council got their headshots completed by J Jacobs for our social media page.	J Jacobs will upload these onto Youth Councils Instagram page.

Adjournment at 7:45 PM

Next Meeting: Thursday, March 12, 2026, at the Civic Center