

Youth Council Meeting
MINUTES
Thursday April 9, 2026

Attendees: A Barron, A Ritson, B Janssem, C Newman, R Trinh, E Lewis, M Villa, Cllr Raymond and Cllr Spinks
 Guest Speaker: Lloydminster Youth Council
 Vanessa Cutler from Beaumont FCSS
 Regrets: A Cummins, J Jerome, Z Solana and O Vandenhoogen

Recorded by: Karley Spelrem

AGENDA ITEM	DISCUSSION	ACTION REQUIRED
Meeting Called to Order at 06:01PM by C Newman and R Trinh		
Agenda	A Ritson and R Trinh made a motion to accept the agenda as presented. All in favor.	
Previous Minutes	A Barron and B Janssen made a motion to accept the March meeting minutes as presented. All in favor.	
Guest Speaker	Lloydminster Youth Council presented to go over their past events and priorities that they have implemented in Lloydminster.	
Guest Speaker	Vanessa Cutler Youth Outreach Worker from Beaumont FCSS presented to discuss her role and relation to the Chantal Berube Youth Centre in Beaumont.	Youth Council will complete a tour of the Chantal Berube Centre on May 4, 2026 at 5pm.
Old Business		
a) #Influencers	#Influencers are officially wrapped up and the Influencers subcommittee will be meeting on May 21 to go over other all the nominations and choose 2 to 4 applicants.	#Influencers Subcommittee will meet on May 21 and decide on the 2026 Influencers.

b) Newcomers Event Debrief	A Barron, Z Solana, O Vandenhoogen and A Cummins attended the Newcomers event and handed out swag to participants and was able to connect with others in our community to share about Youth Council and volunteering.	
New Business		
a) Subcommittees	This is a reminder for everyone to have the What's Up downloaded to ensure you have access to your appropriate subcommittee.	Subcommittees should be in communications daily to discuss Social Media and Marketing, Influencers and Volunteer fest.
b) Youth Wellness Symposium	Youth Wellness Symposium is on April 24 from 9am- 3:30pm. Youth Council has been invited to attend and host a table in Beaumont at their Community center.	A Barron, C Newman, Z Solana and M Villa attended this event and represented Youth Council.
c) Young Edmonton Grant Update	C Newman has been in touch with this grant person and is awaiting for the application to be reviewed.	
d) Spring Clean Up Partnership Update	K Spelrem is waiting to hear back from the Leduc Environmental Advisory Board as they will be meeting on May 12.	K Spelrem will follow up with Michael from Leduc Environmental Advisory Board.
e) Grain Elevator Collaboration	K Spelrem met with the grain elevator to go over their ideas and how Youth Council can partner and connect in the future with the Grain Elevator. During our September meeting, we will go to the Grain Elevator to have our meeting and discuss plans for 2027.	Youth Council will have our September meeting at the Grain Elevator.
f) Youth Focus Group at Leduc Recreation Center	Youth Council has been asked to participate in a youth focus group so that the LRC can more insight of that they are needing more of in terms of youth engagement.	Youth Focus Group is on Friday, May 15 at 11 am at the LRC- LPH room.
g) Summer Movie Night	Jenna from BGC has connected with K Spelrem to partner with Youth Council to host a summer movie night at the outdoor pool. K Spelrem will connect with the Outdoor Pool to book a time, and Youth Council will begin planning this.	K Spelrem connect with Outdoor pool to book a date for the summer.

h) Beaumont Chantal Berube Center	Youth Council will be touring the Chantal Berube Center on May 4 at 5pm. Youth Council will meet at the Centre.	
i) Presentation to Council	C Newman and R Trinh will be presenting to council on June 15 at 5pm to Council.	C Newman and R Trinh meet with K Spelrem to go over this presentation prior to presenting.
j) Telford Lake Community Clean Up	Cllr Spinks discussed Telford Lake Community Clean Up to Youth Council. Youth Council has decided to attend on Sunday, April 19 at 10am.	Youth Council will meet at Telford House at 10am.
Standing items		
a) City Council Update		City Council representatives shared an update and summary to Youth Council.
Adjournment at 8:00 PM		
Next Meeting: May 14, 2026, at the Civic Centre- Telford Boardroom		