# CHB Youth Development

# Youth Strategy in Action Work Stream – Stakeholder meeting

Meeting: Tuesday 2 July 2019 – Epic Ministries Waipukurau – 9am – 10.30am

Present:) Tama Bucknell (Epic Ministries), Christine Renata (Community Development Coordinator CHBDC), Scott Webster (Youth Aid Officer), John McConville (CHB District Library), Kelly Annand (Connecting for Youth Employment),

Apologies: Shaye Anderson and Louise Howe (TToH Youth Services), Anna Douglas (Head Girl at CHBC) Michelle Hayes (Aqua Management) and Phil Morris

#### Youth Development = Youth Strategy

VISION: Central Hawke's Bay young people are supported and valued by being heard and given opportunities within a safe and healthy community VALUES: This strategy is underpinned by the following values: Opportunity - Whanau -Acceptance -Connectivity – Choice – Belonging - Self-expression -Creativity - Role modelling TARGET AGE GROUP: The target age group for the Central Hawke's Bay Youth Strategy is defined as 12-24 years

#### Why another group?

Youth Development in CHB is in a good place, our young people have more on offer to them now than ever before. We want to capacity build on this to strengthen what we have in CHB, give those who don't have a voice in Youth Development a platform to have their say and identify any data indicators, gaps and areas of growth and work collaboratively to ensure to our youth people continue to get the best of what they deserve.

Initial Aims of Group:

- To ensure that youth focused agencies are all working together to deliver the CHB Youth strategy
- To establish a written model of Youth Development in CHB that will be an active moving document that can be delivered and presented at many of the forums we are present at
- Report to Safer CHB Youth Strategy in Action
- Regular meetings to discuss Youth Development of CHB and come up with fresh and innovative ideas
- To collect real data specific to CHB young people, to track real results
- To ensure those active in youth development have a voice i.e. Cadets, Scouts, Volunteer groups

#### **Guest - Andrew Eagle from Ruahine Cadet Unit:**

Cadets been going since 1908 and has been an active Youth Cadet unit since early 1990's. Had a steady number of 40-50 young people involved over the years and has been nationally recognised for its success and has been a leading unit over the years. Profile has dropped in community and currently 10 - 15 cadets involved currently, and only 1 cadet force commissioned leader. They have great committee of support staff for the funding and finance. There is a commitment from those involved that they want to do all they can to raise profile and boost numbers.

Ideal would be to have 2-3 commissioned leaders. Next recruiting evening is at start of term 3&1.

#### Ideas to raise profile:

- Open day event
- Facebook Promotion
- Pamphlets and brochures info packs
- CHB Mail article and history of unit
- Interviews with young people involved
- Careers advisors at college

Actions: John McConville - to touch base with Andrew on facebook promotion ideas

Andrew - to come back to the group with promotional packs and a comms plan that we through our networks can support.

## Agenda topics for today:

- Youth Development training Circle of Courage training
- Connecting Central Hawke's Bay this Thursday Christine
- TPK Catch up fill us in Christine/Tama
- Youth Week report Tama
- Youth Development on a page
- Added items and round table info

## Youth Development Training in CHB

We have a date 5&6 November 2019 – once we have the training information from Lloyd we will start the registration process

Action: Kelly to email Lloyd and get info sent for promotion and registrations

## **Connecting Central Hawke's Bay Event**

Great professional development event that is free! We all need to RSVP to Christine asap we want to make this as successful as possible.

## Te Puni Kokori

Tama and Christine met with Lisa Pohatu to hear more about their funding streams – linked Tania Walford to pilot some stuff out at Porangahau. Lisa coming to Safer CHB. Clear Maori focus which is great.

## Youth Week 17 – 26 May 2019 "We are more than you see"

Youth Week went well – they used it to launch new IVAN and CYE supported with holding the Market Day on the Friday – Pink Shirt day celebrated in there als0 – lots of good profile for Youth Development – Well done everyone.

Would like to look at holding a employment – give it a go day or week later in the year. Looking at the 14 November in line with PCT Comp – this could also be a great way to link in promotion of cadets.

Action: Follow up with Kim about trades evening and if there is another one planned for this year

## "Youth Development" – "On a Page"

Would be great to get this finalised this year -

Action: Tama and Kelly to work on this

## Oranga Tamariki update

Numerous attempts have been made to find out about the \$14000 contract that was previously owned by Whanau Aroha Centre – however Oranga Tamariki we are still no clearer.

## Action: Christine/Kelly attempt to contact again to see where this is at

No time for further discussion today......

## CENTRAL HAWKE'S BAY NUMBERS

#### Current NEETS, YP & YPP in CHB

Attendance services: Last Month 17, current 21 NEET = 21 No change YP = 19 No change YPP= 4 No change Total NEET 44

With Oranga Tamariki setting back up in CHB and are placing young people with caregivers here they are looking at an increase in numbers for the Youth Services over the next few weeks.

Youth Crime

Still very low youth crime stats which is great

Current Unemployment Numbers in CHB 18-24 years

24 in total = 14 male and 10 females – as of 20 May 2019

Current CHB High School numbers

CHB College 2019 Roll = 528 Te Aute 2019 Roll = 100

NCEA achievement rates for CHB College and Te Aute - ? how do we find these out?

## Next meeting Tuesday 13 August 2019 at Epic Ministries 9 am