

Minutes

Scottsdale Mayor's Youth Council

January 27, 2025 4:00-5:30 P.M.

Minutes of the MAYOR'S YOUTH COUNCIL held on Monday, January 27, 2025 at 4:00 P.M.

at Youth and Family Services Office

Call to Order

Council President Sophia Lin called the meeting to order at 4:06 P.M.

Attendance Roll Call

Council Secretary Arielle Kutz

Pledge of Allegiance

Council President Sophia Lin

Approval Of Minutes: N/A

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

The Mayor's Youth Council welcomes public comment. According to the Arizona

Meeting Law, the council may only discuss matters listed on its meeting agendas.

Matters brought up by the public under public appearances that are not listed on the

meeting agenda cannot be discussed over the Council. A three (3) -minute time limit per

person will be in effect.

1. Welcome

2. Agenda Item: Youth Town Hall Planning - Committee Work

Each committee split up to discuss possible themes, speakers, and activities for the Youth

Town Hall.

Communication/Career Readiness:

Speaker Ideas: Christine Marsh, Saguaro college counselor, Dragon Kim Foundation,
Young and Empowered

Main Themes: job interviews, resume building, first impressions, networking

Activity Ideas: partner speed interviews, conflict resolution scenarios, hot seat interview
workshop, elevator pitches

Financial Literacy:

Speaker Ideas: Kimberly Yee, City Clerk, Mrs. Wang, Economics/Home-Ec Teacher

Main Themes: saving/budgeting (credit vs. debit, saving vs. spending, adjusting budgets),
investing/taxes (tax terms, risks/rewards of investments, how to file taxes)

Activity Ideas: splitting up and adjusting budgets, tax player profiles, mock 1040 form

Nutrition:

Speaker Ideas: Dr. Amy Shah, Kathleen Dixon (ASU clinical professor)

Main Themes: meal prep, nutritional value, balancing food groups

Activity Ideas: choosing ingredients for meal prep based on nutrition goals and dietary
restrictions, guessing the nutritional values within different foods

3. Future Meeting Reminders

- February 1st - Parada Del Sol Parade
- February 10th - Mock City Council meeting
- February 24th - General Meeting
- March 31st - Economic Development - Tourism presentation
- April 7th - Hontz Police training facility
- April 17th - Youth Town Hall - ASU Sky Song - MANDATORY

Meeting adjourned by SMYC President Sophia Lin at 5:27 P.M.

Minutes Prepared by: Arielle Kutz, SMYC Secretary

Minutes Reviewed by: YFS Manager Kristy Hahn-McDonald, MSW, LCSW