MINUTES OF MEETING
LEARNING COMMUNITIES LEADERSHIP GROUP

MEETING TITLE >> Committee Meeting
MEETING NO. >> 4
DATE >> October 12, 2017
TIME >> 7.45am
VENUE >> Aitkenvale Library Meeting room

PURPOSE >> Information sharing
MINUTES >> Annette Burns

POSSIBLE ATTENDEES >>
Queensland Health Pam Hueber
TAFE North Qld Tammy Micola Von Furstenrecht
CQ University Townsville Kari Arbouin
James Cook University Helen Hooper
Mental Illness Fellowship NQ Peter Gorman
The Smith Family Karen Loto
TRCOTA Robyn Moore
Department of Science, Information Technology, John Williams
Innovation and the Arts
Townsville Business Development Centre Sharyn Brown
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Community Anthony Mitchell
Education Queensland Sue Currin
Project Booyah Dee Prasser
Townsville Multicultural Support Group Teneale Grigg
Community Information Centre Linda Blair

TCC
Townsville City Council Councillor Margie Ryder
A/Team Manager Community Engagement Unit Donna Jackson
A/Team Manager Galleries and Libraries Judith Jensen
A/General Manager Galleries Libraries and Jeff Jimmieson
Community Resources
Townsville Youth Council Jessica Ward
Administration Annette Burns

Acknowledgement of traditional owners by Chair, Tammy Micola Von Furstenrecht
Welcome to members.

1. ATTENDEES >> Tammy Micola Von Furstenrecht, Judith Jensen, Annette Burns,
Teneale Grigg, Robyn Moore, Helen Hooper, Councillor Margie Ryder, Dee Prasser, Linda Blair, Jessica Ward,
2. APOLOGIES >>  Anthony Mitchell, Jeff Jimmiesen, Arron Bowman, Pam Hueber, John Williams, Donna Jackson; Kari Arbouin, Peter Gorman, Sue Currin, Pam Hueber, Karen Loto, Sharon Brown

3. Minutes from the previous meeting were discussed, the Chair, Tammy Micola welcomed new members and all members introduced themselves and their organisations.

4. Discussion continued on the results of the last meeting and workshops. Tammy delivered an overview to date of the direction of the group and read through the collated data. This data will be updated again and a copy forwarded to the Group. It is expected that new data will be added to the document from members to ensure the document remains current.

An online survey has been produced for members to distribute to gather further information on the identified gaps in services and opportunities in formal and informal Learning in Townsville. This will be introduced at the next meeting.

5. The group considered the examples put forward, a vote was held and the following was selected, as the group’s Mission Statements

   **Building a Vibrant and Dynamic Learning environment for our community**

6. Project Booyah was introduced by Dee Prasser who gave an overview. Townsville has a high success rate, and Dee explained the mentoring system. This is an early intervention program and youth are mostly referred through the education system at approx. 15 – 16 years. Dee spoke about the fact that food and personal products are often barriers to school participation for some children in Townsville.

7. Townsville Youth Council was introduced by Jessica Ward. Jessica explained that any child for 12 – 24 could apply online to become a member of the Youth Council and that recruitment was currently taking place. The youth council was holding an event in Vincent on Friday afternoon.

8. Discussion around the opening of the Booyah café at the Thuringowa library was discussed and members agreed that the next meeting would take place there.

9. Helen enquired, about a central location where members could access the up to date documents of the committee. Tammy and Annette will investigate this and report back to the group.

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday 7.30 am, 9 November, 2017.
The meeting closed at approximately 9.30AM