

**Minutes  
Garland Youth Council  
October 7, 2008**

**Members Present:**

Jaywin Malhi  
Phillip Graham  
Valencia King  
Katie Bosler  
Celeste Vielma  
Brianda Reyes  
Dakota Thompson  
Jennifer Sims  
Adrienne Johnson  
Christa Vielma

Representatives from GISD's high school Teens in the Driver Seat Campus Teams were also present.

Jaywin Malhi – GYC Chair – called the meeting to order at 5:20 p.m.

**1. Approved Minutes from September 16, 2008 Meeting**

**2. Teens in the Drivers Seat (TDS)**

Christi Madsen from Texas Transportation Institute will updated GYC on statistics and program updates for TDS in the Garland area. Representatives from GISD High School Campus Teams shared plans and ideas for 2008-09 TDS activities. Each Team was asked to submit an action plan to the GYC and TDS representatives.

**3. Upcoming GYC Activities**

- a. TDS Summit – Katie Bosler briefed everyone on her plans to attend and present on behalf of GYC.
- b. Garland Neighborhood Summit – Celeste, Christa, and Jennifer agreed to participate on behalf of GYC.
- c. Garland Goes Green – discussed possibility of hosting fitness walk/run at this event. Referred to TDS/Projects committee for further discussion.
- d. Other Opportunities – Brianda, Adrienne, Jennifer, Celeste & Christa agreed to judge tables for upcoming event for Koni Ramos Kaiwi. Dorothy asked all members to begin checking their calendars for availability for Texas Youth Summit, March 14-15, 2009.

**4. Committee Updates**

Reviewed committee assignments & meeting schedule. Changed promotions committee meeting time to avoid school scheduling conflict.

**5. Citizen Comments – there were none**

**6. Future Agenda Items**

- a. November 4 Agenda – committees will give updates
- b. Envision Garland Workshop – will set for 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday in January at 5:15 p.m.
- c. Other items – December Meeting will be targeted as “Bring a Friend” night with everyone bringing snacks. We will also review the Reach Out Now presentation at December Meeting. A campout was suggested for a future activity.

**7. Adjourned at 9 p.m.**