KYCC Meeting Summary – May 2019

At the May KYCC meeting 45 members were present.

Campaign updates – Kent BIG issues

Anti-bullying – Group worked on video filming of blog and confirmation of plan. Group also discussed other posts for social media and recent media training for media rep.

Curriculum for life – Group split into usual 3 subgroups and worked on reviewing results from recent online surveys, reviewed and worked on PowerPoints and booklets being designed for schools use. Group also identified that they would like to do a school specify survey.

Mental health – Group worked on creating tweets for mental health awareness week (13-19th May) and then worked out the update on their campaign to be part of the KCC annual report

Developing resilience in young people - Awaiting Info

Morning choice sessions

Debating in the chamber - Group debated 2 topics:-

"Government should be doing more to combat climate change" - Results: For - 23, Against – 1

"Is Disney overated" - Results For - 4, Against - 6

June meeting debates agreed as "Animal testing in a medical research capacity is a necessary to develop medicine" and "University fees should be set parallel to potential earning post graduation"

Equality flags session – Young people learnt about several different equality flags through a presentation.

Project time

Period Poverty – Group wrote their piece for the annual KCC report and continued work on their letters to MP's to gain support of a ban on the tampon tax.

Equality -

Public Transport – Group worked on content for KCC annual report, developed posters for buses and discussed use of surveys

UKYP – Discussed knife crime in Kent and UK need to look into facts on topic. Group also worked out manifesto statement for KCC annual report

Media Group – Worked on developing social media posts for mental health week (13th-19th May)

KYCC specific time

Group discussed and revised changes to the KYCC constitution following proposals made at cabinet meeting.

Headstart Speakout specific time (HP)

Group discussed the Headstart wellbeing measurement framework survey and where it could be sent and how results could be used. Group also discussed forthcoming residential at Bewl water and the activities that they would like to complete.

Evaluations (36 returned)

Ranking 1-4	1	2	3	4	5
(1 is best)					
Kent big issues (campaign time)	0	0	4	10	22
Choice session	1	2	7	15	11
Project work time	0	2	5	14	15
Overall day	0	0	0	18	18