



Youth Parliament of Manitoba

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Organization Strengths:

- Members continue to value the experience YPM offers
- Continued strong sense of community among membership
- Corporate donations have become more consistent
- Stabilization of finances
- Standardization of recruitment materials
- Receive consistent support from valued partners

Organization Weaknesses:

- Recruitment continues to be volatile
- Recent experience of alienation among some members
- Committees continue to be an inconsistent experience
- Mixed results concerning alumni involvement

Potential Concerns:

- Out of province exec
- Low Speaker's Night sales
- Renewal of Monsanto Rural Development Fund
- Need for storage/office space

Goals:

- Continue to have recruitment effort as a central theme of activities
- Give special attention to backbencher and cabinet/exec relations
 - maintain an inclusive attitude at all times
- Continue to organize, support, encourage, and facilitate various social activities throughout the year
 - combination of planned and organic/spontaneous
- Fully utilize funding available for rural, inner city, and northern youth

New Initiatives:

- Cabinet changes
 - removal of PS to Rural Development and Minister of Heritage
- Development of committee guide for backbenchers, cabinet, and exec
- Introduce more opportunities for membership feedback
- Begin setting aside funds for major events in the future (WCYP, YPM100)
- Arrange team transportation for cabinet retreat
- Solicit supporters for storage/office space solutions
- Develop tiered sponsorship package for individual donations

Concluding Comments:

- YPM is fairly stable, continue to ensure and add to said stability
 - YPM needs a stable base from which to launch WCYP in 2018 and YPM 100 in 2022
- Continue to refine our organization and the experience it provides

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