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AGENDA

Committee	CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
Date and Time of Meeting	TUESDAY, 12 JUNE 2018, 4.30 PM
Venue	COMMITTEE ROOM 4 - COUNTY HALL
Membership	Councillor Lee Bridgeman (Chair) Councillors De'Ath, Philippa Hill-John, Joyce, Morgan, Murphy, Phillips, Taylor and Singh Patricia Arlotte (Roman Catholic representative), Carol Cobert (Church in Wales representative), Rebecca Crump (Parent Governor Representative) and Karen Dell'Armi (Parent Governor Representative)

*Time
approx.*

1 Appointment of Chair and Committee Membership 4.30 pm

The Council at its meeting on 24 May 2018 appointed Councillor Lee Bridgeman as Chair and the following Members to the Committee:

Councillors De'Ath, Philippa Hill-John, Joyce, Morgan, Murphy, Phillips, Taylor and Singh.

Co-Optees Patricia Arlotte (Roman Catholic Representative), Carol Cobert (Church in Wales Representative), Rebecca Crump (Parent Governor Representative), Karen Dell'Armi (Parent Governor Representative).

2 Terms of Reference

To scrutinise, measure and actively promote improvement in the Council's performance in the provision of services and compliance with Council policies, aims and objectives in the area of children and young people, including:

- School Improvement
- Schools Organisation
- School Support Services
- Education Welfare & Inclusion

- Early Years Development
- Special Educational Needs
- Governor Services
- Children's Social Services
- Children & Young Peoples Partnership
- Youth Services and Justice
- Play Services

To assess the impact of partnerships with and resources and services provided by external organisations including the Welsh Government, joint local government services, Welsh Government Sponsored Public Bodies and quasi-departmental non-governmental bodies on the effectiveness of Council service delivery.

To report to an appropriate Cabinet or Council meeting on its findings and to make recommendations on measures which may enhance Council performance or service delivery in this area.

3 Apologies for Absence

To receive apologies for absence.

4 Declarations of Interest

To be made at the start of the agenda item in question, in accordance with the Members' Code of Conduct.

5 Minutes (*Pages 5 - 6*)

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the previous meeting held on 8 May 2018.

6 Children's Services Quarter 4 Performance Report (*Pages 7 - 26*) 4.35 pm

- (a) Councillor Graham Hinchey, Cabinet Member – Children & Families, will be invited to make a statement. He, along with Sarah McGill, Corporate Director People and Communities, and Irfan Alam, Assistant Director – Children's Services will be available to answer Members' questions;
- (b) Questions by members of the Committee;
- (c) The way forward for this item will be considered at the end of the Children's Services items.

7 Children's Services Directorate Delivery Plan (*Pages 27 - 100*) 5.10 pm

- (a) Councillor Graham Hinchey, Cabinet Member – Children & Families will be invited to make a statement. He, along with

Sarah McGill, Corporate Director People and Communities, and Irfan Alam, Assistant Director – Children’s Services will be available to answer Members’ questions;

- (b) Questions by members of the Committee;
- (c) The way forward for this item will be considered next.

8 Way Forward - Children's Services Items 5.40 pm

9 Education Quarter 4 Performance Report (Pages 101 - 116) 6.00 pm

- (a) Councillor Sarah Merry, Deputy Leader, Education, Employment & Skills, will be invited to make a statement. She, along with Nick Batchelar, Director of Education, and Suzanne Scarlett, Performance Manager, will be available to answer Members’ questions;
- (b) Questions by members of the Committee;
- (c) The way forward for this item will be considered at the end of the meeting.

10 Education Directorate Delivery Plan (Pages 117 - 184) 6.30 pm

- (a) Councillor Sarah Merry, Deputy Leader, Education, Employment & Skills, will be invited to make a statement. She, along with Nick Batchelar, Director of Education, and Suzanne Scarlett, Performance Manager, will be available to answer Members’ questions;
- (b) Questions by members of the Committee;
- (c) The way forward for this item will be considered at the end of the meeting.

11 Way Forward - Education Directorate Items 7.00 pm

12 Date of next meeting

The date of the next scheduled meeting of the Children & Young People Scrutiny Committed will be Tuesday 10 July 2018 at 4.30 pm in Committee Room 4.

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