

SCRUTINY BOARD (CHILDREN AND FAMILIES)

Meeting to be held in Civic Hall, Leeds, LS1 1UR on
Thursday, 23rd June, 2011 at 9.45 am
(A pre-meeting will take place for ALL Members of the Board at 9.15 a.m.)

MEMBERSHIP

Councillors

J Chapman (Chair)	- Weetwood;
R Charlwood	- Moortown;
G Driver	- Middleton Park;
P Ewens	- Hyde Park and Woodhouse;
B Gettings	- Morley North;
A Khan	- Burmantofts and Richmond Hill;
A Lamb	- Wetherby;
P Latty	- Guiseley and Rawdon;
K Maqsood	- Gipton and Harehills;
M Rafique	- Chapel Allerton;
K Renshaw	- Ardsley and Robin Hood;

Co-opted Members (Voting)

* Mr E A Britten	- Church Representative (Catholic)
* Prof P H J H Gosden	- Church Representative (Church of England)
Vacancy	- Parent Governor Representative (Primary)
Ms J Ward	- Parent Governor Representative (Secondary)
Ms N Cox	- Parent Governor Representative (Special)

Co-opted Members (Non-Voting)

* Ms C Foote	- Teacher Representative
* Ms C Johnson	- Teacher Representative
* Mrs S Hutchinson	- Early Years Representative
* Ms T Kayani	- Leeds Youth Work Partnership Representative
* Ms A Choudry	- Leeds VOICE Children and Young People Services Forum Representative

* Subject to confirmation by the Scrutiny Board – please refer to agenda item 7

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A G E N D A

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1			<p>APPEALS AGAINST REFUSAL OF INSPECTION OF DOCUMENTS</p> <p>To consider any appeals in accordance with Procedure Rule 25* of the Access to Information Procedure Rules (in the event of an Appeal the press and public will be excluded).</p> <p>(* In accordance with Procedure Rule 25, notice of an appeal must be received in writing by the Chief Democratic Services Officer at least 24 hours before the meeting).</p>	
2			<p>EXEMPT INFORMATION - POSSIBLE EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC</p> <p>1 To highlight reports or appendices which officers have identified as containing exempt information, and where officers consider that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information, for the reasons outlined in the report.</p> <p>2 To consider whether or not to accept the officers recommendation in respect of the above information.</p> <p>3 If so, to formally pass the following resolution:-</p> <p>RESOLVED – That the press and public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following parts of the agenda designated as containing exempt information on the grounds that it is likely, in view of the nature of the business to be transacted or the nature of the proceedings, that if members of the press and public were present there would be disclosure to them of exempt information, as follows:-</p> <p>No exempt items or information have been identified on this agenda.</p>	

3		<p>LATE ITEMS</p> <p>To identify items which have been admitted to the agenda by the Chair for consideration.</p> <p>(The special circumstances shall be specified in the minutes.)</p>	
4		<p>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST</p> <p>To declare any personal / prejudicial interests for the purpose of Section 81 (3) of the Local Government Act 2000 and paragraphs 8 to 12 of the Members Code of Conduct.</p>	
5		<p>APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND NOTIFICATION OF SUBSTITUTES</p> <p>To receive any apologies for absence and notification of substitutes.</p>	
6		<p>MINUTES - 19TH MAY 2011</p> <p>To confirm as a correct record, the minutes of the meeting held on 19th May 2011.</p>	1 - 4
7		<p>APPOINTMENT OF CO-OPTED MEMBERS</p> <p>To receive and consider a report from the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development seeking Members' approval for the appointment of co-opted members to the Scrutiny Board.</p>	5 - 8
8		<p>CHANGES TO THE COUNCIL'S CONSTITUTION IN RELATION TO SCRUTINY</p> <p>To receive and consider a report from the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development providing the Scrutiny Board with information on recent amendments to the Council's Constitution, as agreed by Council on 26th May 2011, which directly relate to and/or impact on the work of Scrutiny Boards.</p>	9 - 10

9		<p>SOURCES OF WORK AND AREAS OF PRIORITY FOR THE SCRUTINY BOARD</p> <p>To receive and consider a report from the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development providing information and guidance on potential sources of work and areas of priority within the Board's terms of reference.</p>	11 - 60
10		<p>WORK SCHEDULE</p> <p>To receive and consider a report from the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development inviting the Scrutiny Board to consider its work schedule for the forthcoming municipal year.</p>	61 - 66
11		<p>GREEN PAPER - SUPPORT AND ASPIRATION; A NEW APPROACH TO SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS AND DISABILITY</p> <p>To receive and consider a report from the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development inviting the Scrutiny Board to contribute to the council's response to the recent government Green Paper on special educational needs and disability.</p>	67 - 202
12		<p>DATES AND TIMES OF FUTURE MEETINGS</p> <p>To note the following proposed dates of future meetings:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 23 June 2011 • 21 July 2011 • 8 September 2011 • 6 October 2011 • 10 November 2011 • 8 December 2011 • 12 January 2012 • 9 February 2012 • 15 March 2012 • 26 April 2012 <p>All at 9.45am (Pre-Meetings at 9.15am).</p>	