

SCRUTINY BOARD (CHILDREN AND FAMILIES)

Meeting to be held in Civic Hall, Leeds, LS1 1UR on Thursday, 19th September, 2013 at 9.45 am

(A pre-meeting will take place for ALL Members of the Board at 9.15 a.m.)

MEMBERSHIP

Councillors

J Akhtar -Hyde Park and Woodhouse;

J Chapman (Chair) -Weetwood;

J Elliott - Morley South;

C Gruen - Bramley and Stanningley;

A Lamb - Wetherby;

P Latty - Guiseley and Rawdon;

K Mitchell - Temple Newsam;

M Rafigue - Chapel Allerton;

K Renshaw - Ardsley and Robin Hood;

A Sobel - Moortown;

B Urry - Roundhay;

Co-opted Members (Voting)

Mr E A Britten Mr A Graham Ms A Craven Ms J Ward

Church Representative (Catholic)

- Church Representative (Church of England) Parent Governor Representative (Primary)

Parent Governor Representative (Secondary)

Co-opted Members (Non-Voting)

Ms C Foote Ms C Raftery Ms S Hutchinson

Ms T Kayani

- Teacher Representative - Early Years Representative

- Teacher Representative

- Young Lives Leeds (0-13 age group) Ms J Morris-Boam

Young Lives Leeds (13-19 age group)

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AGENDA

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1			APPEALS AGAINST REFUSAL OF INSPECTION OF DOCUMENTS	
			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).	
			(* In accordance with Procedure Rule 25, notice of an appeal must be received in writing by the Head of Governance Services at least 24 hours before the meeting).	
2			EXEMPT INFORMATION - POSSIBLE EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC	
			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.	
			2 To consider whether or not to accept the officers recommendation in respect of the above information.	
			3 If so, to formally pass the following resolution:-	
			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:	
			No exempt items have been identified on this agenda.	

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3			LATE ITEMS	
			To identify items which have been admitted to the agenda by the Chair for consideration.	
			(The special circumstances shall be specified in the minutes.)	
4			DECLARATION OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS	
			To disclose or draw attention to any disclosable pecuniary interests for the purposes of Section 31 of the Localism Act 2011 and paragraphs 13-16 of the Members' Code of Conduct.	
5			APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND NOTIFICATION OF SUBSTITUTES	
			To receive any apologies for absence and notification of substitutes.	
6			MINUTES - 25 JULY AND 7 AUGUST 2013	1 - 14
			To confirm as a correct record, the minutes of the meetings held on 25 July and 7 August 2013.	
7			LEARNING PLACES FOR LEEDS OVERVIEW	15 -
			To consider a report from the Director of Children's Services outlining the work undertaken to ensure sufficiency of learning places for children and young people in Leeds.	44
8			RESPONSE OF THE CHILDREN'S TRUST BOARD TO THE STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP REPORT OF THE CHILDREN AND FAMILIES SCRUTINY BOARD	45 - 50
			To consider a report from the Children's Trust Board in response to the Strategic Partnership inquiry conducted by the Scrutiny Board in March 2013.	

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9			TERMS OF REFERENCE - INQUIRY INTO SCHOOL TRANSPORT	51 - 58
			To consider a report from the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development presenting the draft terms of reference for the School Transport Inquiry.	
10			SCRUTINY BOARD (CHILDREN AND FAMILIES) INQUIRY REPORT INTO RAISING ATTAINMENT IN MATHS AND ENGLISH	
			Report to follow.	
11			WORK SCHEDULE	59 - 110
			To consider a report from the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development outlining the Scrutiny Board's work schedule for the remainder of the current municipal year.	110
12			DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING	
			Thursday, 10 October 2013 at 9.45am. (Pre-meeting for all Board Members at 9.15am.)	