

Children and Young People Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Wednesday 19 March 2014 at 7.00 pm
Boardroom - Brent Civic Centre, Engineers Way,
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Agenda

Introductions, if appropriate.

Apologies for absence and clarification of alternate members

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1 Declarations of personal and prejudicial interests	
Members are invited to declare at this stage of the meeting any relevant financial or other interest in the items on the agenda.	
2 Deputations (if any)	
3 Minutes of the last meeting held on 5 February 2014	1 - 8
4 Matters arising	
5 Brent Youth Parliament update	9 - 12
This report provides an update on the work of the Brent Youth Parliament.	
6 Task Group Report on Tackling Violence against Women and Girls in Brent	13 - 50
In March 2013, the Health Partnership Overview and Scrutiny Committee agreed to the formation of a task group to tackle violence against women and girls in Brent. The task group report is attached as appendix A. The findings of the tasks groups review is wide reaching, effects many pubic services and has a direct impact on the lives of children and young people.	
7 School Places - verbal update	
8 Annual Activity Survey 2013	51 - 68
This report provides an update on the annual activity survey which provides information about the post-school destinations of Year 11 pupils. This report was requested by members at the June 2013 meeting.	
9 Audits by the Local Safeguarding Children's Board	69 - 74
This report provides an overview of the quality assurance work that is undertaken by the Local Safeguarding Children Board (LSCB).	

10 The Work of the Brent Youth Offending Service 75 - 82

This report provides an update on the work of the Brent Youth Offending Service including performance, legislative changes impacting the service and revised inspection arrangements.

11 Children's Centres 83 - 106

This paper provides an overview of the progress of Brent Council in securing sufficient integrated early childhood services through children's centres that are well governed, managed and led, are accessible to very young children and families and have good quality practices that deliver positive impacts for children and families and reduce inequalities.

12 Progress on the Borough Plan - Children and Young People

This report outlines the progress achieved against the Children and Young People pledges set out within the revised Borough Plan.

Item deferred.

13 Children and Young People Overview and Scrutiny Work Programme 107 - 114

The work programme is attached for the committee's consideration.

14 Date of next meeting

The date of the next meeting of the committee will be determined at the Annual Council meeting scheduled for 4 June 2014

15 Any other urgent business

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