

Notice of Meeting and Agenda

Education, Children and Families Committee

Tuesday 15 March 2011 at 10.00 am
In the City Chambers, High Street, Edinburgh

1 Order of Business

Including any notices of motion and any other items of business submitted as urgent for consideration at the meeting.

2 Declaration of Interests

Members should declare any financial and non-financial interests they have in the items of business for consideration, identifying the relevant agenda item and the nature of their interest.

3 Minute of the meeting of the Education, Children and Families Committee of 25 January 2011 (*circulated for approval as a correct record*)

4 Edinburgh Youth Issues Forum Event – The United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC) and ‘a RIGHT blether’ - report by the Director of Children and Families (*circulated*)

Note: Members of the forum will give a short presentation on the Youth Issues Forum event held in November and the results of a ‘RIGHT Blether’.

5 Notice of Motion remitted from Council

5.1 By Councillor Johnstone – Energy Use in Schools

“That this Council;

Notes that sustained low temperatures over winter are putting severe pressure on school energy budgets.

Notes concerns raised by parents over poor energy efficiency and inadequate temperature control within schools.

Notes that feed-in tariffs for renewable energy systems offer a significant income generating opportunity.

Believes that there are significant savings which could be made on energy budgets within schools and calls for a report into these issues and into how the Council can prepare and implement a comprehensive school energy improvement plan in advance of winter 2011-12.”

6 Deputations

6.1 Broomhouse Primary School Parent Council (*e-mail circulated*)

6.2 St Joseph’s Primary School Parent Council (*e-mail circulated*)

7 St Joseph’s RC Primary School and Broomhouse Primary School Accommodation - report by the Director of Children and Families (*circulated*)

(Councillors Coleman, Elliott-Cannon and Wilson called for ward interest)

8 Strategic Management of School Places: P1 and S1 Intakes for August 2011 - report by the Director of Children and Families (*circulated*)

9 School Session Dates 2012/13 - report by the Director of Children and Families (*circulated*)

10 Social Work Services for Children with Disabilities - report by the Director of Children and Families (*circulated*)

11 Positive Destinations - report by the Director of Children and Families (*circulated*)

12 School Attendance In Edinburgh 2009/10 - progress report by the Director of Children and Families (*circulated*)

13 Active Schools: Evaluation of Phase Two, 2008 – 2011 - report by the Director of Children and Families (*circulated*)

14 Pre-Birth to Three Plan for Action - progress report by the Director of Children and Families (*circulated*)

15 Performance Report – Children and Families – December 2010/January 2011 - report by the Director of Children and Families (*circulated*)

16 Redevelopment of Riddle’s Court - report by the Director of Children and Families (*circulated*)

(Councillors Dundas and Mowat called for ward interest)

17 Outstanding Remits - report by the Director of Corporate Services (*circulated*)

Alastair Maclean
Head of Legal and Administrative Services

Membership

Councillor MacLaren (Convener)	Councillor Keir
Councillor Beckett (Vice-Convener)	Councillor Lang
Councillor Balfour	Councillor G Mackenzie
Councillor Blacklock	Councillor Milligan
Councillor Buchan	Councillor Morris
Councillor Cairns	Councillor Munn
Councillor Day	Councillor Rose
Councillor Edie	Councillor Cardownie (ex-officio)
Councillor Godzik	Councillor Dawe (ex-officio)
Councillor Johnstone	

For Education Items

Mr Ted Brack
Mrs M Bryce Stafford
Mr A C Duncan
Rev Dr R Gould
Mr R Simpson

Notes:

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