



City of Westminster

Committee Agenda

Title: **Business and Children's Policy and Scrutiny Committee**

Meeting Date: **Wednesday 2nd February, 2022**

Time: **6.30 pm**

Venue: **Hybrid MS Teams and 18th Floor, Westminster City Hall, 64 Victoria Street, Westminster London SW1E 6QP**

Members:

Councillors:

Karen Scarborough
(Chairman)
Geoff Barraclough
Richard Elcho
Christabel Flight
Lindsey Hall
Aicha Less
Eoghain Murphy
Tim Roca
Mark Shearer

Elected Representatives
Ryan Nichol, Parent Governor

Co-opted Voting Representatives
Alix Ascough, CE Diocesan Rep
Marina Coleman, RC Diocesan Rep

Non-Voting Co-opted Representatives
Mark Hewitt, Headteacher, St John CE Primary School
Wasim Butt, Principal, Beachcroft AP Academy

Members of the public and press are welcome to attend the meeting and listen to the discussion of Part I of the Agenda.

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Note for Members: Members are reminded that Officer contacts are shown at the end of each report and Members are welcome to raise questions in advance of the meeting. With regard to item 2, guidance on declarations of interests is included in the Code of Governance; if Members and Officers have any particular questions, they should contact the Head of Governance and Councillor Liaison in advance of the meeting please.

AGENDA

PART 1 (IN PUBLIC)

1. MEMBERSHIP

To note any changes to the membership.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive declarations by Members and Officers of the existence and nature of any pecuniary interests or any other significant interest in matters on this agenda.

3. MINUTES

To approve the Minutes of the meeting held on Monday 29 November 2021.

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4. CABINET MEMBER FOR BUSINESS, LICENSING AND PLANNING - PORTFOLIO UPDATE REPORT

To receive an update report from the Cabinet Member on current and forthcoming issues in this portfolio.

(Pages 11 - 16)

5. CABINET MEMBER FOR YOUNG PEOPLE AND LEARNING - PORTFOLIO UPDATE REPORT

To receive an update report from the Cabinet Member on current and forthcoming issues in this portfolio.

(Pages 17 - 24)

6. REPORTS OF ANY URGENT SAFEGUARDING ISSUES

To receive a verbal update of any urgent safeguarding issues (if any).

7. SCHOOL UNIFORM REPORT

To receive an update from the School Standards team on how it intends to work with Westminster schools to lower the cost of school uniform, as per the Education (Guidance about the Costs of School Uniforms) Act 2021.

(Pages 25 - 28)

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| <p>8. SCHOOL PERFORMANCE STRATEGY 2021</p> <p>To review the School Performance Strategy 2021.</p> | <p>(Pages 29 - 46)</p> |
| <p>9. MARBLE ARCH MOUND INTERNAL REVIEW UPDATE</p> <p>To receive an update from the Chief Executive on progress since the extraordinary meeting of the Committee on 27 October 2021 to scrutinise the Marble Arch Mound.</p> | |
| <p>10. DRAFT REPORT OF THE CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S MENTAL HEALTH TASK GROUP</p> <p>To consider the draft report and recommendations of the Children and Young People's Mental Health task group.</p> | <p>(Pages 47 - 96)</p> |
| <p>11. WORK PROGRAMME</p> <p>To consider the Committee's Work Programme for the remainder of the current municipal year.</p> | <p>(Pages 97 -106)</p> |
| <p>12. ANY OTHER BUSINESS</p> <p>To consider any other business which the Chair considers urgent.</p> | |

Stuart Love
Chief Executive
25 January 2021