

Work Programme



Children, Sports and Customer Services Committee

ROUND ONE - 8 June 2015

Main Theme – Sport, Leisure and Open Spaces/ Children and Young People

Agenda Item	Reasons & objective for item	Represented by:
Cabinet Member questioning	To hold to account and give 'critical friend' challenge to the portfolio holder.	Cabinet Member for Sport, Leisure and Open Spaces
Sports and Leisure- Service Review	To provide a report on the activities of the sports and leisure service including a review of the impact on wider corporate priorities and outcomes	Richard Barker/ Andy Durrant
Annual Review of the Looked After Children, Care Leavers and Corporate Parenting	Evaluation of work undertaken into LAC, Care Leavers and Corporate Parenting. Further to a request at the meeting of 21 April, this report will include information on the spike that has been experienced in asylum seeker children. It was also requested that comparator figures with other local authorities be included in this report.	Andrew Christie/ Glen Peache

ROUND TWO - 8 October 2015

Main Theme – Children and Young People

Agenda Item	Reasons & objective for item	Represented by:
Cabinet Member questioning	To hold to account and give 'critical friend' challenge to the portfolio holder.	Cabinet Member for Children and Young People
Integrated Gangs Unit	To critically examine the work of the IGU.	Matt Watson
Annual Safeguarding Review	To examine the work of the Safeguarding Board in the last year and the plans for the following year.	Tri Borough Safeguarding Officers – Jean Dal

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ROUND THREE - 7 December 2015 Main Theme –Children and Young People

Agenda Item	Reasons & objective for item	Represented by:
Cabinet Member questioning	To hold to account and give 'critical friend' challenge to the portfolio holder.	Cabinet Member for Children and Young People
Annual Education Report	The committee will evaluate the key areas of success and areas to be developed in the Annual Education Report.	Ian Heggs
Children's Centres	To critically examine the changes to children's centres across the borough.	Jayne Vertkin

ROUND FOUR – 1 February 2016 Main Theme – Sport, Leisure and Open Spaces

Agenda Item	Reasons & objective for item	Represented by:
Cabinet Member questioning	To hold to account and give 'critical friend' challenge to the portfolio holder.	Cabinet Member for Sport, Leisure and Open Spaces
Regional Schools Commissioner	The committee will examine the role of the schools commissioner and how he carries this out, especially in overseeing free schools in Westminster.	Richard Stanley, Martin Post (Region Schools Commissioner)
Year 6 to Year 7 Transition	To examine the identification, intervention and evaluation process of the Year 6 to Year 7 Transition and the work being undertaken in the wider context of the new 'on track' project.	Jayne Vertkin
Children and Families of Service Personnel	At the meeting of 9 February 2015 members requested that they be provided with an annual update on the needs of children of Service Personnel. (For information).	Steve Bywater

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ROUND FIVE – 14 March 2016 Main Theme – Children and Young People

Agenda Item	Reasons & objective for item	Represented by:
Cabinet Member questioning	To hold to account and give 'critical friend' challenge to the portfolio holder.	Cabinet Member for Children and Young People
Female Genital Mutilation	To examine what the council and partner organisations have in place to deal with and prevent FGM.	Debbie Raymond
Child Sexual Exploitation	To examine the processes and procedures in place to protect children at risk of sexual exploitation.	Melissa Caslake
School Organisation and Investment Strategy	To provide an update on the School Organisation and Investment Strategy (for information)	Alan Wharton

ROUND SIX – 9 May 2016 Main Theme – Children and Young People

Agenda Item	Reasons & objective for item	Represented by:
Cabinet Member questioning	To hold to account and give 'critical friend' challenge to the portfolio holder.	Cabinet Member for Children and Young People
A review of PE and School Sport Activities	A review paper on the strategy and activities relating to PE and School Sport including the impact on the wider curriculum.	Richard Barker/ Andy Durrant

Other Committee Events & Task Groups

Group/ Issue	Update	Type
Youth Mental Health	Meeting dates tbc.	T/G