

Children & Young People Select Committee

A meeting of Children & Young People Select Committee was held on Wednesday, 22nd January, 2014.

Present: Cllr Carol Clark(Chairman), Cllr Norma Stephenson O.B.E(Vice-Chairman), Cllr Barbara Inman, Cllr Ken Lupton, Cllr Tracey Stott, Cllr Mrs Sylvia Walmsley, Mr David Campbell.

Officers: Shaun McLurg, Dave Willingham(CESC), Richard Poundford, Roland Todd(DNS), Judith Trainer and Kirsty Wannop(LDS).

Also in attendance:

Apologies: Cllr Ben Houchen, Cllr Elliot Kennedy,

CYP 42/13 Declarations of Interest

There were no interests declared.

CYP 43/13 Minutes for Signature - 16th October 2013

The minutes of the meeting held on 16th October 2013 were signed by the chair as a correct record.

CYP 44/13 Draft Minutes - 28th November 2013

Consideration was given to the minutes of the meeting held on 28th November 2013.

AGREED the minutes be approved.

CYP 45/13 Review of Employment and Education

Members were provided the summary of evidence that had been considered during the review and discussed areas for recommendations around the following emerging issues:-

- How to support and encourage work experience and work placement programmes.
- How to make sure that young people in schools can access quality information and receive impartial advice and guidance?
- How to encourage education for economic well-being?
- How to get young people to stop dropping out and not progressing?
- How to get employers more involved in schools?

AGREED the Committee finalise its recommendations at their next meeting on 19th February 2014.

CYP 46/13 Work Programme

Members considered the Committee's work programme.