

minutes

Meeting CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE'S COMMITTEE

Date 29 April 2019 (commencing at 10.30am)

Membership

Persons absent are marked with an 'A'

COUNCILLORS

Philip Owen (Chairman)
Boyd Elliott (Vice-Chairman)
Tracey Taylor (Vice-Chairman)

A Samantha Deakin Roger Jackson John Handley John Peck JP Errol Henry JP Liz Plant

Paul Henshaw Sue Saddington

CO-OPTED MEMBERS (NON-VOTING)

4 Vacancies

OFFICERS IN ATTENDANCE

Pav Ayoub Youth Service, Senior Practitioner

Pom Bhogal Youth Service Manager

Marion Clay Service Director, Children and Families Services Steve Edwards Service Director Young Families & Social Work

Joe Foley Group Manager, Safeguarding Assurance and Improvement

Laurence Jones
Irene Kakoullis
Colin Pettigrew
Pip Milbourne
Martin Gately

Service Director, Children and Families Services
Corporate Director, Children and Families Services
Business Support, Children and Families Services
Democratic Services Officer, Chief Executives

1. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

The minutes of the meeting held on 18 March 2019 having been circulated to all Members, were taken as read and were signed by the Chairman.

2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

None.

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None.

4. NOTTINGHAMSHIRE EARLY YEARS IMPROVEMENT PLAN

The Chairman introduced the report and responded to questions and comments from Members.

RESOLVED 2019/036

That:

- 1) the proposal to develop a Best Start Board and Best Start Strategy for 2020-2025 be approved.
- 2) the proposed Best Start Strategy for 2020-2025 be brought to the Committee for consideration and recommendation to Policy Committee for approval, with approval also being sought from the Health and Wellbeing Board.
- 3) The new Early Years Workforce Development Advisor (Grade 5) post in Early Childhood Services is extended from 0.4 fte 0.6 fte be approved.

5. YOUNG PEOPLE'S SERVICE - ALTERNATIVE SERVICE DELIVERY MODEL OPTIONS APPRAISAL AND REMODELLING OF THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S SERVICE

The Chairman introduced the report and responded to questions and comments from Members.

RESOLVED 2019/037

That:

 the remodelling of the Young People's Service to enhance the Council's offer of open access youth provision in Nottinghamshire as detailed in paragraphs 6 to 11 be approved.

6. PROVISION, ACHIEVEMENTS AND PROGRESS OF THE CHILDREN IN CARE COUNCIL AND PARTICIPATION OF CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE LOOKED AFTER 2018/19

The Chairman introduced the report and responded to questions and comments from Members.

RESOLVED 2019/038

That:

1) A further update report on the work of the Youth People Looked After Youth Work team in 12 months and that this be included in the work programme.

7. ADOPTION SERVICE UPDATE: JUNE 2018 TO MARCH 2019

The Chairman introduced the report and responded to questions and comments from Members.

RESOLVED 2019/039

That:

1) any further action required arising from the update on activity in the Adoption Service from June 2018 to March 2019 be considered.

8. CHILD SEXUAL EXPLOITATION (CSE): MID-YEAR UPDATE 2018/19

The Chairman introduced the report and responded to questions and comments from Members.

RESOLVED 2019/040

That:

- 1) any actions required in relation to the issues contained in the report be identified
- 2) an annual report for 2018-19 be received in June 2019 on the work to address the threat of child sexual exploitation in Nottinghamshire

9. REVISED PROCEDURE FOR LOCAL AUTHORITY GOVERNOR NOMINATIONS AND RE-NOMINATIONS TO SCHOOL GOVERNING BODIES

The Chairman introduced the report and responded to questions and comments from Members.

RESOLVED 2019/041

That:

 a revised procedure for the nomination and re-nomination of Local Authority governors to maintained school governing bodies and academy school local governing bodies and that the committee delegates the authority to make nomination and re-nomination decisions to the Service Director, Education, Learning and Skills, as well as the Corporate Director, Children and Families Services. 2) a quarterly update report in relation to the appointment of Local Authority governors to school governing bodies be received and that these be included in the work programme.

10. SCHOOLS FORUM AND EDUCATION TRUST BOARD OFFICER GROUP

The Chairman introduced the report and responded to comments and questions from Members.

RESOLVED: 2019/042

That:

- 1) a further report be brought to Committee to outline any significant implications arising from the high needs review on the proposed review of the Support to Schools Service staffing structure.
- 2) a further update report on the work of the Schools Forum and Education Trust Board be received in 12 months and that this this be included in the work programme.

11. WORK PROGRAMME

The Chairman introduced the report and responded to comments and questions from Members.

RESOLVED: 2019/043

That:

1) the work programme be agreed.

The meeting closed at 11:03 am.

CHAIRMAN