

Children and Families Scrutiny Committee

Agenda

Date: Monday, 14th September, 2009

Time: 10.30 am

Venue: Committee Suite 1,2 & 3, Westfields, Middlewich Road,

Sandbach CW11 1HZ

The agenda is divided into 2 parts. Part 1 is taken in the presence of the public and press. Part 2 items will be considered in the absence of the public and press for the reasons indicated on the agenda and at the foot of each report.

PART 1 – MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED WITH THE PUBLIC AND PRESS PRESENT

1. Apologies for Absence

2. Public Speaking Time/Open Session

In accordance with Procedure Rules Nos.11 and 35 a total period of 10 minutes is allocated for members of the public to address the Committee on any matter relevant to the work of the Committee.

Individual members of the public may speak for up to 5 minutes but the Chairman will decide how the period of time allocated for public speaking will be apportioned where there are a number of speakers.

Note: In order for officers to undertake any background research it would be helpful if questions were submitted at least one working day before the meeting.

3. **Declaration of Interest/Party Whip**

For any apologies or requests for further information, or to give notice of a question to be asked by a member of the public

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To provide an opportunity for Members and Officers to declare any personal and/or prejudicial interests and for members to declare the existence of a party whip in relation to any item on the agenda.

4. **Minutes of Previous Meeting** (Pages 1 - 4)

To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 3 August 2009.

5. Redesign of Children's Social Care

To receive a presentation by Lorraine Butcher, Head of Services for Children and Families, on the Redesign of Social Care.

6. **Teenage Pregnancy** (Pages 5 - 8)

To consider a report of the Strategic Director People on the issues and recommendations arising from the recent visit of the National Support Team in relation to Teenage Pregnancy in Cheshire East.

7. **Summary of School Performance 2008-09** (Pages 9 - 20)

To consider a report of the Strategic Director People summarising the performance of Schools in Cheshire East across all phases for 2008-9.

8. Performance and Outcome Reporting Arrangements - Children and Families (Pages 21 - 52)

To consider a report of the Strategic Director People on the interim arrangements for the reporting of performance across Children & Families Services

9. **Think Family** (Pages 53 - 62)

To consider a report of the Strategic Director People on some of the dimensions of the Think Family agenda and how this agenda might be taken forward by Cheshire East Council and by the whole system in Cheshire East.

10. Work Programme (Pages 63 - 66)

To consider a report of the Borough Solicitor on the Work Programme.