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Notice of Meeting

Dear Member

Children's Scrutiny Panel

The **Children's Scrutiny Panel** will meet in the **Meeting Room 1 - Town Hall, Huddersfield** at **10.00 am** on **Wednesday 9 August 2017**.

The items which will be discussed are described in the agenda and there are reports attached which give more details.

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Julie Muscroft

Assistant Director of Legal, Governance and Monitoring

Kirklees Council advocates openness and transparency as part of its democratic processes. Anyone wishing to record (film or audio) the public parts of the meeting should inform the Chair/Clerk of their intentions prior to the meeting.

The Children's Scrutiny Panel members are:-

Member

Councillor Cahal Burke (Chair)

Councillor Donna Bellamy

Councillor Fazila Fadia

Councillor Paul Kane

Councillor Robert Light

Councillor Amanda Pinnock

Dale O'Neill (Co-Optee)

Fatima Khan-Shah (Co-Optee)

Agenda

Reports or Explanatory Notes Attached

Pages

1: Membership of the Committee

This is where Councillors who are attending as substitutes will say for whom they are attending.

2: Interests

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The Councillors will be asked to say if there are any items on the Agenda in which they have disclosable pecuniary interests, which would prevent them from participating in any discussion of the items or participating in any vote upon the items, or any other interests.

3: Admission of the Public

Most debates take place in public. This only changes when there is a need to consider certain issues, for instance, commercially sensitive information or details concerning an individual. You will be told at this point whether there are any items on the Agenda which are to be discussed in private.

4: Leadership arrangements and priorities for Children's Services in 2017/18

To consider the work which is taking place in Children's Services in Kirklees, the new leadership and management arrangements and the issues and priorities for attention in 2017/18.

Contact: Steve Walker, Director for Children's Services – 01484 221000

5: Ofsted - Update on monitoring visit

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To consider the outcome of the recent Ofsted monitoring visit (June 2017) and the issues to be addressed in our improvement plan and performance in 2017/18.

Contact: Steve Walker, Director for Children's Services – 01484 221000

6: Draft work programme for the Panel

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To consider the draft work programme for the Children's Scrutiny Panel

(a) Guide to overview and scrutiny in 2017/18

(b) Potential items for the draft work programme for the Children's Services Panel in 2017/18

Contact: Yolande Myers, Governance and Democratic Engagement Officer – 01484 221000

7: Schedule of Meetings 2017/18

To consider arrangements for meetings of the Children's Scrutiny Panel for 2017/18.

(Please bring your diary for this item).

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