



NOTICE OF MEETING

Schools Forum

Thursday 14 July 2011, 4.30 pm

Council Chamber, Fourth Floor, Easthampstead House, Bracknell

To: The Schools Forum

Schools Members:

Maureen Beadsley, Secondary School Governor
Trisha Donkin, Primary School Representative
Andrew Fletcher, Secondary School Representative
Brian Fries, Secondary School Governor
Ed Glasson, Primary School Governor
Gill Harbut, Primary School Representative
Catherine Lovegrove, Primary School Representative
John McNab, Secondary School Governor
Joanna Quinn, Primary School Representative
Tony Reading, Primary School Governor
Paul Salter, Secondary School Representative
Trudi Sammons, Primary School Representative
John Throssell, Primary School Governor
Kathy Winrow, Secondary School Representative
Anne Shillcock, Special Education Representative
Vacant, Primary School Governor
Vacant, Primary School Representative

Non-Schools Members

Gordon Anderson, Diocese Representative (Vice-Chairman)
George Clement, Union Representative (Chairman)
Kate Sillett, PVI Provider Representative
Vacant, 14-19 Partnership Representative
Vacant, Diocese Representative (Roman Catholic)

ALISON SANDERS
Director of Corporate Services

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AGENDA

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1. Apologies for Absence/Substitute Members	
To receive apologies for absence and to note the attendance of any substitute members.	
2. Declarations of Interest	
Members are required to declare any personal or prejudicial interests and the nature of that interest, in respect of any matter to be considered at the meeting.	
3. Minutes and Matters Arising	
To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting of 3 March 2011.	1 - 6
4. Membership of the Schools Forum	
To receive a report advising the Forum of the outcome of nominations sought to fill three vacancies on the Forum for primary school governor representatives.	7 - 8
5. Review of Forum's Constitution	
To receive a report which seeks endorsement of an amendment to the Forum's Constitution which is intended to bring it into line with the Schools Forum (England) Regulations 2010 following the order for Ranelagh School to become an academy.	9 - 10
6. Services to Schools: School Meals	
To receive a report advising and seeking agreement from the Schools Forum on the arrangements for the re-tendering of the school meals contract	11 - 14
7. Services to schools: School Cleaning	
To receive a report advise and consult the Schools Forum on the arrangements for the re-tendering of the corporate cleaning contract in which schools participate.	15 - 18
8. The Academy programme and implications for Bracknell Forest	
To receive an update report which outlines the latest developments in the coalition government's programme for schools to become academies, the initial financial implications, and the potential impact that this might have on services provided by the Council.	19 - 28

9. **2010-11 School Balances**
To receive a report which provides members of the Schools Forum with an update on the level of balances held by schools as at 31 March 2011 and how these compare to the previous financial year. 29 - 36
10. **2010-11 provisional outturn on the Schools Budget**
To receive a report which informs members of the Schools Forum on the provisional outturn on the 2010-11 Schools Budget. 37 - 44
11. **DfE consultation on school funding reforms**
To receive an information report which updates members of the Forum on the initial proposals from the government on school funding reform, which may be introduced from 2012-13. 45 - 50
12. **Dates of Future Meetings**
The next meeting of the Schools Forum is scheduled for Thursday 15 September at 4.30pm in the Council Chamber, Easthampstead House.