

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Theme: “**That every child, in every part of the county should achieve their potential**”

Chairman: Councillor S F Williams

Vice Chairman: Councillor J D Hough

14 June 2013		
Item	Contributor	Purpose
Introduction to Children's Services	Debbie Barnes Executive Director of Children's Services	Status Report
Theme Performance: Quarter 4	Debbie Barnes	Performance Scrutiny
Proposal to expand Kirton Primary School (Final decision)	Michelle Andrews Interim Head of Property and Technology Management	Pre-Decision Scrutiny (Executive Councillor Decision on 28 June 2013)
Proposal to expand Coningsby St Michael's Church of England Primary School (Final decision)	Michelle Andrews	Pre-Decision Scrutiny (Executive Councillor Decision on 28 June 2013)
Improving Access to Post-16 Learning Provision in Lincolnshire Action Plan – Second Monitoring Update	Keith Batty Assistant Director CfBT Education Services	Scrutiny Review Activity
Schools Sixth Forms	Keith Batty	Status Report
Children's Centres – Progress and Successes	Stuart Carlton Assistant Director	Update Report
Corporate Parenting Panel Update	Chairman / Vice-Chairman of Panel	Update Report
Lincolnshire Safeguarding Boards Scrutiny Sub-Group Update	Chairman / Vice-Chairman of Scrutiny Sub-Group	Update Report

26 July 2013		
Item	Contributor	Purpose
Related Proposals to Amend the Age Range and Expand the Capacity at Grantham The Isaac Newton Primary School (Final decision)	Michelle Andrews	Pre-Decision Scrutiny (Executive Councillor Decision on 9 August 2013)

6 September 2013		
Item	Contributor	Purpose
Theme Performance: Quarter 1	Debbie Barnes	Performance Scrutiny
Post 16 Attainment and Narrowing the Gap (including vulnerable learners)	Keith Batty	Status Report
Corporate Parenting Panel Update	Chairman / Vice-Chairman of Panel	Update Report

18 October 2013		
Item	Contributor	Purpose

29 November 2013		
Item	Contributor	Purpose
Theme Performance: Quarter 2	Debbie Barnes	Performance Scrutiny
Curriculum and Apprenticeships	Keith Batty	Status Report
Corporate Parenting Panel Update	Chairman / Vice-Chairman of Panel	Update Report

Items to be Scheduled

- Early Intervention Strategy
- Individual Education Plans
- Raising the Participation Age - Update
- Use of Pupil Premium within schools / Account for the devolving of Special Education Needs funding
- Review of key policies relating to Children's Services
- Youth and Community Development Worker Model within Locality Teams
- Home to School Transport for 16-18 Year Olds
- Strategies for Recruiting Qualified and Experienced Social Workers
- Review of Absenteeism
- Early Education Offers
- Child Poverty Strategy Update
- Community Access to School Facilities – Interim report
- Budget 2013/14 Update



Theme Outcomes

The Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee is aligned to the five principles set out in the Children and Young People's Plan 2012-2015:

- 1. Early Intervention and Prevention**
 - Strong universal services, providing early action and intensive support to vulnerable children and young people.
- 2. Safeguarding and Best Start in Life**
 - Ensuring children are safe in every environment.
 - Encouraging community responsibility for safeguarding.
- 3. Aspiration and Well Being**
 - Ensuring all those working with children champion the importance of aspiration.
 - Develop self-esteem, self-belief and resilience in all children, young people and their families.
- 4. Learning and Achievement**
 - All children being the best that they can be.
 - Closing the gap between vulnerable groups and children living in disadvantaged communities.
- 5. Best Use of Resources**
 - Integrating delivery with a focus on outcomes, life chances and opportunities.
 - Effective use of resources to provide better services locally.
 - Empower communities, creating opportunities for them to engage.

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LINCOLNSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL – FORWARD PLAN OF DECISIONS RELATING TO CHILDREN’S SERVICES FROM 1 MARCH 2013

DEC REF	MATTERS FOR DECISION	DATE OF DECISION	DECISION MAKER	PEOPLE/GROUPS CONSULTED PRIOR TO DECISION	DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED FOR DECISION	HOW TO COMMENT ON THE DECISION BEFORE IT IS MADE AND THE DATE BY WHICH COMMENTS MUST BE RECEIVED	RESPONSIBLE PORTFOLIO HOLDER AND CHIEF OFFICER	KEY DECISION YES/NO	DIVISIONS AFFECTED
02139 	Proposal to expand Kirton Primary School (decision to go to Statutory notice)	08 March 2013	Executive Councillor for Children’s Services and Lifelong Learning	Interest parties as DfE guidance including parents, school staff, neighbouring schools, County District and Parish Councils, MPs, Trade Unions and Diocese	Report	Interim Head of Property and Technology Management e-mail: michelle.andrews@lincolnshire.gov.uk Tel: (01522) 553269	Councillor Mrs P A Bradwell and the Interim Head of Property and Technology Management	No	All seven Boston divisions
02108	Proposal for a new primary Academy in Bourne (submission to Secretary of State of results and evaluation of process to identify an operator)	13 March 2013	Executive Councillor for Children’s Services and Lifelong Learning	All Headteachers and Chairs of Governors of all Lincolnshire schools and Academies; RC and CofE Dioceses; County, District and Town Councils. Details were also made available to potential interested parties via the DfE, Independent Academies Association and the New Schools Network websites as well as the LCC website	Report	In writing to the Executive Director of Children’s Services	Councillor Mrs P A Bradwell and the Executive Director Children’s Services	Yes	Bourne Abbey and Bourne Castle
02141 	Proposal to expand Coningsby St Michael’s Church of England Primary School (decision to go to Statutory Notice)	15 March 2013	Executive Councillor for Children’s Services and Lifelong Learning	Interested parties as DfE guidance including parents, school staff, neighbouring schools, County District and Parish Councils, MPs, Trade Unions and Diocese	Report	In writing to the Interim Head of Property and Technology Management	Councillor Mrs P A Bradwell and the Executive Director Children’s Services	No	Billingham and Metheringham; Tattershall Castle; Boston NW; Woodhall Spa and Wragby
02114	Proposal to relocate and expand Crowland South View Community Primary School (Final Decision)	19 March 2013	Executive Councillor for Children’s Services and Lifelong Learning	Interested parties as DfE guidance including parents, school staff, neighbouring schools, County District and Parish Councils, MPs, Trade Unions and Diocese	Report	In writing to the Executive Director of Children’s Services, 14 days prior to decision date	Councillor Mrs P A Bradwell and the Executive Director for Children’s Services	Yes	South Holland

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02148 ↩	Proposal to amend the age range and expand capacity at The Isaac Newton Primary School, Grantham (decision to go to Statutory Notice)	15 April 2013	Executive Councillor for Children's Services and Lifelong Learning	Interested parties as DfE guidance including parents, school staff, neighbouring schools, County District and Parish Councils, MPs, Trade Unions and Diocese	Report	In writing to Michelle Andrews, Interim Head of Property and Technology Management 14 days prior to the decision date	Councillor Mrs P A Bradwell and the Executive Director for Children's Services	No	All Grantham divisions
02140 ↩	Proposal to expand Kirtan Primary School (Final decision)	28 June 2013	Executive Councillor for Children's Services and Lifelong Learning	Interest parties as DfE guidance including parents, school staff, neighbouring schools, County District and Parish Councils, MPs, Trade Unions and Diocese	Report	Interim Head of Property and Technology Management e-mail: michelle.andrews@lincolnshire.gov.uk Tel: (01522) 553269	Councillor Mrs P A Bradwell and the Interim Head of Property and Technology Management	Yes	All seven Boston divisions
02142 ↩	Proposal to expand Coningsby St Michael's Church of England Primary School (final decision)	28 June 2013	Executive Councillor for Children's Services and Lifelong Learning	Interested parties as DfE guidance including parents, school staff, neighbouring schools, County District and Parish Councils, MPs, Trade Unions and Diocese	Report	In writing to the Interim Head of Property and Technology Management	Councillor Mrs P A Bradwell and the Executive Director Children's Services	Yes	Billinghay and Metherringham; Tattershall Castle; Boston NW; Woodhall Spa and Wragby
02147 ↩	Proposal to amend the age range and expand capacity at The Isaac Newton Primary School, Grantham (Final decision)	9 August 2013	Executive Councillor for Children's Services and Lifelong Learning	Interested parties as DfE guidance including parents, school staff, neighbouring schools, County District and Parish Councils, MPs, Trade Unions and Diocese	Report	In writing to Michelle Andrews, Interim Head of Property and Technology Management 14 days prior to the decision date	Councillor Mrs P A Bradwell and the Executive Director for Children's Services	Yes	All Grantham divisions

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