

To: Members of the Performance

Scrutiny Committee

Date: 10 January 2014

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Dear Councillor

You are invited to attend a meeting of the PERFORMANCE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE to be held at 9.30 am on THURSDAY, 16 JANUARY 2014 in COUNCIL CHAMBER, RUSSELL HOUSE, RHYL.

Yours sincerely

G. Williams Head of Legal and Democratic Services

AGENDA

PART 1 - THE PRESS AND PUBLIC ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THIS PART OF THE MEETING

1 APOLOGIES

2 DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

Members to declare any personal or prejudicial interests in any business identified to be considered at this meeting.

3 URGENT MATTERS AS AGREED BY THE CHAIR

Notice of items which, in the opinion of the Chair, should be considered at the meeting as a matter of urgency pursuant to Section 100B(4) of the Local Government Act 1972.





4 MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING (Pages 5 - 14)

To receive the minutes of the Performance Scrutiny Committee held on Thursday, 12th December, 2013.

5 ESTYN ACTION PLAN (Pages 15 - 22)

To consider a report by the Head of Education (copy enclosed) which provides an update on the progress made in response to the recommendations made by Estyn following the 2012 inspection.

9.35 a.m.

6 KS4 EXAMINATION RESULTS (Pages 23 - 32)

To consider a report by the School Effectiveness Performance Officer: Secondary (copy enclosed) which detailed the verified performance of Denbighshire schools external examinations results at Key Stage 4 and post 16.

10.10 a.m.

Comfort Break

7 SCHOOL PLACES DATA (Pages 33 - 44)

To consider a report by the Head of Customers and Education Support (copy enclosed) which provides information regarding pupil places, future projections, condition and suitability of schools and the number of mobile accommodation units currently in use.

10.55 a.m.

DENBIGHSHIRE PERFORMANCE ON FLY TIPPING ISSUES (Pages 45 - 68)

To consider a report by the Head of Highways and Environmental Services (copy enclosed) which sets out how fly-tipping is reported and dealt-with in Denbighshire.

11.30 a.m.

9 SCRUTINY WORK PROGRAMME (Pages 69 - 72)

To consider a report by the Scrutiny Coordinator (copy enclosed) seeking a review of the committee's forward work programme and updating members on relevant issues.

12.05 p.m.

10 FEEDBACK FROM COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVES

To receive any updates from Committee representatives on various Council Boards and Groups

12.15 p.m.

MEMBERSHIP

Councillors

Bill Cowie
Meirick Davies
Peter Owen
Dewi Owens
Richard Davies
Arwel Roberts
Colin Hughes
Geraint Lloyd-Williams
David Simmons

Voting Co-opted Members for Education (Agenda Item No. 5,6 and 7 only)

Mr G Williams Ms D Houghton Mrs G Greenland Dr D Marjoram

Ms Nicola Lewis

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