

To: Members of the Performance
Scrutiny Committee

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Dear Councillor

You are invited to attend a meeting of the **PERFORMANCE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE** to be held at **10.00 am** on **THURSDAY, 28 SEPTEMBER 2023** in **COUNCIL CHAMBER, COUNTY HALL, RUTHIN AND BY VIDEO CONFERENCE.**

Yours sincerely

G. Williams
Monitoring Officer

AGENDA

1 APOLOGIES

2 DECLARATION OF INTERESTS (Pages 5 - 6)

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 7 - 20)

To receive the minutes of the Performance Scrutiny Committee meeting held on 20 July 2023 (copy attached).

10.05am - 10.10am

5 CHRIST THE WORD CATHOLIC SCHOOL INSPECTION REPORT UPDATE (Pages 21 - 26)

To consider and discuss a report from the Head of Education Services on the support provided to the school and progress made since the core Estyn inspection in May 2022 (copy enclosed).

10.10am – 10.45 am

6 WHOLE SCHOOL APPROACH TO EMOTIONAL AND MENTAL WELL-BEING (Pages 27 - 32)

To consider and discuss a report from the Head of Education Services which provides an overview of how schools are implementing Welsh Government's statutory framework on 'embedding a whole-school approach' to emotional and mental well-being (copy enclosed).

10.45 am – 11.15am

BREAK 11.15 AM - 11.30 AM

7 DELIVERY OF WELSH MEDIUM PROVISION (Pages 33 - 40)

To consider and discuss a report from the Head of Education Services on the progress of the planning and implementation work undertaken to date with respect of securing the delivery of Welsh Medium Curricula and Non-Curricula provision in the County's Schools in accordance with the Welsh Government's vision (copy enclosed).

11.30 am – 12.00 pm

8 DENBIGHSHIRE'S HOUSING AND HOMELESSNESS STRATEGY ACTION PLAN (Pages 41 - 74)

To consider and discuss a report from the Senior Officer – Strategic Planning & Housing on the progress made to date in delivering the revised Strategy and Action Plan approved by County Council in December 2020 (copy enclosed).

12.00 pm – 12.30 pm

9 SCRUTINY WORK PROGRAMME (Pages 75 - 100)

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.

12.30 pm – 12.45 pm

10 FEEDBACK FROM COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVES

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

12.45 pm – 13.00 pm

MEMBERSHIP

Councillors

Councillor Hugh Irving (Chair)

Councillor Gareth Sandilands (Vice-Chair)

Ellie Chard

Paul Keddie

Chris Evans

Diane King

Martyn Hogg

Terry Mendies

Carol Holliday

Andrea Tomlin

Alan Hughes

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

Kathleen Jones

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