

Wasacre
County Hall, Atlantic Wharf, Cardiff.
Tuesday 26th March 2019

Mayor of Cardiff Council opened the meeting. The AGM was held and all officers were re-elected. The chairman spoke about the splintered and the challenges in the world. We need to work together. Edward Evans from Bridgend the chair led us all in quiet reflection and we prayed for the population in New Zealand.

The majority of the meeting was discussing the new curriculum and explaining that R.E. was to be placed in Humanities with history, geography, business studies, art and social studies.

Withdrawal figures of pupils withdrawn from R.E. are available and I noted that I needed to find out the DCC figures.

Libby from Wrexham Council spoke about the changes and that the changes to be finished by January 2020. R.E. would be in a stronger position.

NAPFRE - are keen for the Welsh Government to offer a conference for R.E. Teachers.

The WASACRE website was set up by the St Mary's Centre in North Wales, so it was decided for Edward Evans's son would set up a new site.

Meeting closed at 3.20 p.m.

After the end of conference I walked over to the Senedd and obtained admission into the debate about hitting children as a punishment. I stayed to watch this debate for over 30 minutes, I thoroughly enjoyed the conference meeting councillors and members from other parts of Wales.