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Sent: 02 November 2008 20:39 To: George, John F. (Councillor)

Subject:

Dear mr George

I am writing to ask you to speak to the head of child services. A notice was fastened on the gate of Fender primary school stating that arrowe hill is closing. As a working parent I did not collect my child from arrowe hill and therefore this is the first information I have received about it. I think Mr Cooper should have written to parents to explain what is happening and how as a parent I can appeal please can you find out what I can do about this.

gillian Hargreaves

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Sent: 01 November 2008 23:34 To: HESFORD, Stephen Subject: arrowe hill closue

Message : Dear Mr Hesford

Thank you for writing to Wirral council on my behalf. I feel it is a shame that they could write to you to clarify some of my questions but could not have the courtesy to write to me directly. Could you clarify these further points

- ${\bf 1}$ what does council mean when they say they have been criticized for their rationalisation of schools
- 2 will council guarantee a place in a school of parent's choice.
- 3 Will council fund any extra expenses imposed on parents by the changes they are enforcing eg new uniforms bus fares new book bags pe kits
- 4 In final part of closure notice can parents appeal about closure?

In addition to this might I say to you that the L.E.A. claim no parents have complained to them after changes have taken place . Can I say I am not surprised I feel that in speaking with L.E.A I was not met with the understanding or respect that a deeply worried parent should receive and felt I was being bullied by the L.E.A. repsentives for questioning their actions and expressing my concerns for my child . Having spoken to other parents from Arrowe Hilll this seems to be standard practise. Is it no wonder nobody complains they just give up in sheer frustration.

Yours sincerely Gillian

Hargreaves.

ps just noticed a letter on fender school about closure put up over half term holiday but not received any information directly is this really a good way for wirral to behave ppps why did you go to fender school but not arrowe hill at such a sensitive time?

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