

# YOUTH AND PLAY SERVICE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Tuesday, 24 June 2014

Present:

Chair

Cllr Chris Meaden / Cllr Tony Smith  
Beth McGuinness (young person)

Councillors

Cllr Tony Smith  
Cllr Paul Hayes  
Cllr Walter Smith  
Cllr Tracey Smith

Officers

Deborah Gornik  
*Head of Targeted Services*  
Lindsay Davidson  
*Senior Locality Manager - Youth Support*  
Steve Chan  
*Youth Support Team Manager (Birkenhead)*  
Mark Newman  
*Youth Support Team Manager (West and South Wirral)*  
David Decorte  
*Youth Support Team Manager (Wallasey)*  
Caron Drucker  
*Youth Support Team Manager (Creative Arts Development)*  
Pat Rice  
*Team Manager Response*  
Jamie Greer  
*Team Leader – Youth Support*  
Adam Mellor  
*Team Leader – Youth Support*  
Jo Day  
*Team Leader – Operations Manager, Response*  
Christina Diamond (young person)  
Beth McGuinness (young person)  
Isobel McDaid (young person)

Apologies

Cllr Pat Williams, Cllr Wendy Clements, Cllr Cherry Povall, Cllr Chris Carubia, Cllr Philip Brightmore

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Minute 1	-	Welcome and apologies
Minute 2	-	Minutes of previous meeting
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Minute 4	-	Head of Service Report
Minute 5	-	Making a Difference, Youth Support Case Studies - Presentation
Minute 6	-	Wirral Young Peoples Engagement and Participation Framework
Minute 7	-	Any other business
Minute 8	-	Date of next meeting

**Minute 1 WELCOME AND APOLOGIES**

Cllr Chris Meaden opened the meeting and handed the chair over to Beth McGuinness.

**Minute 2 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

Agreed as a true record

**Minute 3 MATTERS ARISING**

No matters arising

**Minute 4 HEAD OF SERVICE REPORT**

Lindsay Davidson presented the Head of Service Report including outlining the Early Help Offer and prevention principles. Deborah Gornik reported that a Targeted Services Steering group is being developed to progress early help and partnership working.

**Minute 5 MAKING A DIFFERENCE, Youth Support Case Studies - PRESENTATION**

Creative Youth Development – Kidstime Project

Presented by Christine Diamond and Jamie Greer

Response

Presented by Pat Rice and Isobel McDaid

An example of a young person's journey

Presented by Adam Mellor – highlighting the journey through the Gateway process and partnership with Intensive Family Intervention Programme (IFIP).

**Minute 6 WIRRAL YOUNG PEOPLES ENGAGEMENT AND PARTICIPATION FRAMEWORK**

Lindsay Davidson presented the draft Young People's Engagement and Participation framework.

Beth McGuinness explained the process for Wirral young people and her involvement in the Youth Voice Group. Deborah Gornik outlined the role of the Youth Engagement Strategic Champions and Youth Engagement Reference Group. The Framework will be launched in Autumn 2014.

**Minute 7 ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

Cllr Tony Smith asked if the new 'my ticket' day bus pass was useful for young people. Beth McGuinness commented that it helps, but it would be also good to consider a weekly/monthly pass.

Beth McGuinness handed the chair back to Cllr Smith who thanked her for chairing the meeting.

**Minute 8 DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

Tuesday 28 October 2014 – to be confirmed. Meeting closed at 6.45pm.