

DUDLEY SCHOOL

ORGANISATION COMMITTEE

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16th January 2006

Dear Member,

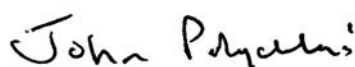
Dudley School Organisation Committee

Further to previous correspondence, I now write to give notice that a meeting of the Dudley School Organisation Committee will be held in Dudley Concert Hall, St. James's Road, Dudley on Thursday 26th January 2006 at 6.00 pm to consider the business set out in the agenda overleaf.

Car parking provision will be available in the Members' Car Park situated to the rear of the Council House, entry to which is gained from St. James' Road. Entry to the car park is barrier-controlled and members will be admitted upon announcing their arrival through the intercom machinery at the barrier. A location map is attached.

A light buffet will be available at the venue before the meeting from 5.15 p.m. onwards.

Yours sincerely,



Secretary

To: All Members of the Dudley School Organisation Committee, namely:

Councillors Vickers, Mrs Dunn, Finch, Mrs. Ridney and Wright (LEA Group);
Mr. Bell, Mrs Eden, Mrs. Jessup, Mrs. Lewis, Mr. Patterson, and Mr Timmins; (Schools Group);
Mr. Potter and Mr. Spurrell (Roman Catholic Church Group);
Mrs Capell, Rev. Johnston and Reverend Morphy (Church of England Group);
Mr Seaton (Black Country Learning and Skills Council)

DUDLEY SCHOOL ORGANISATION COMMITTEE

Thursday 26 January 2006 at 6.00 pm

A G E N D A

1. MINUTES

To approve as a correct record and sign the minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 13th December 2005. (Attached)

2. MATTERS ARISING

To consider any matters arising from the minutes.

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive declarations of interest in accordance with paragraph 4.2 of the Constitution and Terms of Reference of the Committee.

4. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies for absence from the meeting.

5. ARRANGEMENTS FOR CONSIDERATION OF DUDLEY MBC PROPOSALS FOR DISCONTINUATION OF PRIMARY SCHOOLS

The Chairman to outline the proposed procedure for considering the proposals by Dudley MBC for the discontinuation of Beauty Bank, Highfields, Holt Farm, Maidensbridge and Sycamore Green primary schools.

6. MAIDENSBRIDGE PRIMARY SCHOOL (PAGE 1)

To receive the proposals of Dudley MBC as local authority, regarding Maidensbridge Primary School, as set out in the statutory notice attached and to consider the request of the Council in the letter attached that consideration of the proposals be deferred until 21st February, 2006.

(NB The proposals of Dudley MBC regarding Beauty Bank and Holt Farm Primary Schools have been scheduled for receipt and consideration on Thursday 2nd February, 2006)

7. SYCAMORE GREEN PRIMARY SCHOOL (REPORT AND RELEVANT DOCUMENTATION TO FOLLOW)

To consider, in accordance with the relevant legislative requirements, the proposal by Dudley MBC to discontinue Sycamore Green Primary School, as set out in the attached published notice dated 21 November 2005.

8. HIGHFIELDS PRIMARY SCHOOL (REPORT AND RELEVANT DOCUMENTATION TO FOLLOW)

To consider, in accordance with the relevant legislative requirements, the proposal by Dudley MBC to discontinue Highfields Primary School, as set out in the attached published notice dated 21 November 2005.

9. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

To note that future meetings of the Committee are scheduled for the following dates: -

- Thursday 2nd February, 2006
- Tuesday 21st February, 2006