



Dudley Schools Forum

**Tuesday 8th July, 2014 at 6.00pm
at Saltwells Education Development Centre,
Bowling Green Road, Netherton, Dudley**

Agenda - Public Session **(Meeting open to the public and press)**

1. Introductions by the Chair
2. Apologies for absence.
3. To report the appointment of any substitutes for this meeting of the Forum.
4. To approve as a correct record and sign the minutes of the meeting of the Forum held on 3rd June, 2014 (attached).
5. Any other matters arising from the Minutes of the meeting of the Forum held on 29th April, 2014 not included on the agenda for this meeting.
6. Dudley's School's Delegated Reserves 2013/14 (Pages 1-8)
7. Dudley's Behavioural Pupil Referral Unit Review and Restructure (Pages 9-25)
8. Financial Support from High Needs Block for Rosewood Special School (Pages 26-29)
9. Feedback on the Consultation on School Funding Arrangements and changes for 2015/16 (Pages 30-34)
10. DfE Fair Funding Conference – 4th June, 2014 (Pages 35-37)
11. Allocation of DSG Reserve 2015/16
12. Effectiveness of Family Support Workers for Two Years Olds in Children's Centres and Private, Voluntary and Independent Sector Nurseries

13. Pensnett Site disposal update
14. Union Facilities Time
15. Schools Forum proposed meetings 2014/15 academic year (Pages 38-42)



Director of Corporate Resources

Dated 26th June, 2014

Distribution:

Members of Dudley Schools Forum

Mr Bate; Mrs Belcher; Mr Conway; Mr Derham; Mrs Garratt; Mrs Hannaway; Mr B Jones; Mrs N Jones; Mr Kelleher; Mr Kirk; Mr Nesbitt; Mr Oakley; Mr Patterson; Mrs Quigley; Mr Ridley; Ms Rogers; Mrs Ruffles; Mr Shaw; Mr Ward; Mr Warren; Mr Weaver; Mrs Withers; Mrs Wylie

Non-Voting Attendees

Councillor T Crumpton - Cabinet Member for Integrated Children's Services;
Councillor M Mottram - Chair of the Children's Services Scrutiny Committee;
P Sharratt – Interim Director of Children's Services;
H Powell/T Brittain – Acting Assistant Director of Children's Services;
I McGuff – Assistant Director of Children's Services;
K Cocker – Children's Services Finance Manager, Directorate of Corporate Resources;
S Coates – Principal Accountant, Directorate of Corporate Resources.

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