FLINTSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

REPORT TO:LIFELONG LEARNING OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY
COMMITTEEDATE:THURSDAY, 5 SEPTEMBER 2013REPORT BY:DIRECTOR OF LIFELONG LEARNINGSUBJECT:PLAY DEVELOPMENT: SUMMER PLAY SCHEMES

1.00 PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.01 To consult the Committee about the report Play Development: Summer Play Schemes, which was considered by Cabinet on the 16th July 2013.

2.00 BACKGROUND

2.01 The report seeks to identify sustainable provision of the summer play scheme from April 2014.

3.00 CONSIDERATIONS

3.01 The report makes recommendations about the future allocation of grant funding for the provision of the summer play scheme.

4.00 **RECOMMENDATIONS**

4.01 Consider the contents of the report and respond to Cabinet.

5.00 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

5.01 The recommendation would enable the Summer Play Scheme to operate within budget subject to confirmation of grant funding from *Families First* and continued match funding support from town and Community Councils.

6.00 ANTI POVERTY IMPACT

6.01 Summer play schemes provide free access for all.

7.00 ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

7.01 None.

8.00 EQUALITIES IMPACT

8.01 The Summer play schemes make provision for 'buddying' to enable disabled children to participate.

9.00 PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS

9.01 None.

10.00 CONSULTATION REQUIRED

10.01 Ongoing consultation with Town and Community Councils concerning future delivery of summer play schemes.

11.00 CONSULTATION UNDERTAKEN

11.01 Regular consultation has taken place with Town and Community Councils concerning the operation of summer play schemes.

12.00 APPENDICES

Appendix 1: Play Development Summer Play Schemes.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ACCESS TO INFORMATION ACT) 1985 BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

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