

Flintshire County Council – Decisions taken by the Education, Youth & Culture Overview & Scrutiny Committee on Thursday, 23 March 2023

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Part A – Items considered in public

A1	Apologies	Councillor Ray Hughes (Member of the Environment & Economy Overview & Scrutiny Committee)
A2	Declarations of Interest (Including Whipping Declarations)	<p>Councillor Carolyn Preece declared a personal and prejudicial interest for item 8 as a member of Theatr Clwyd and had a family member who was funded through her doctorate.</p> <p>Councillor Andrew Parkhurst declared a personal interest as a member of Theatr Clwyd.</p> <p>Members were advised that provided they had declared that they were school governors on their Code of Conduct form that they did not need to declare a personal interest for item 5. Councillor Roy Wakelam declared an interest as his mother had just been appointed as a school governor and his form had not been updated.</p>
A3	Minutes	That the minutes be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair.
A4	Forward Work Programme and Action Tracking	<p>(a) That the Forward Work Programme be noted;</p> <p>(b) That the Facilitator, in consultation with the Chair of the Committee, be authorised to vary the Forward Work Programme between meetings, as the need arises; and</p> <p>(c) That the progress made in completing the outstanding actions be noted.</p>
A5	School Parking	<p>(a) That the Committee note the historical issues associated with parking within the vicinity of schools and recognise the responsibilities of highway users in accordance with the requirements of the Highway Code;</p> <p>(b) That the Committee note the hierarchy of responsibility in relation to the management of traffic within the vicinity of schools and acknowledges the role of enforcement as a reactive measure, rather than a means to prevent initial occurrence; and</p>

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		<p>(c) That the Committee approves the creation of a joint Task & Finish Group in order to explore the issues in further detail and develop a collaborative and preventative approach with key stakeholders, which will involve:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elected Members from the Education, Youth & Culture OSC and Environment & Economy OSC; • Officers from both the Education & Youth and Streetscene & Transportation portfolios; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Head Teachers • Elected Members invited to attend as required; • Officers from North Wales Police invited to attend as required.
A6	Anti-racist Wales Action Plan	<p>(a) That the Committee support the vision of the Anti-racist Wales Action Plan and the actions set out for education;</p> <p>(b) That the Committee confirmed that it had received an appropriate level of assurance regarding the work of the Education & Youth Portfolio in meeting the requirement of the Anti-racist Action Plan for Wales;</p> <p>(c) That the Committee receive annual update reports on the Anti-racist Action Plan and that it be added to the Forward Work Programme.</p>
A7	Council Plan 2023-28 Development	That the Committee support the Council Plan 2023-28 Part 1 and Part 2 documents that outline the actions, measures and risks that underpin the Priorities, Sub-Priorities and Well-being objectives of the Council Plan 2023-28.
A8	Theatr Clwyd Business Plan	That the Committee commend the report to Cabinet.