

FLINTSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

REPORT TO: **LIFELONG LEARNING OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE**

DATE: **THURSDAY, 15 MAY 2014**

REPORT BY: **DIRECTOR OF LIFELONG LEARNING**

SUBJECT: **CULTURE AND LEISURE SERVICE PLAN 2014-15**

1.00 PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.01 To provide Members with an overview of the Culture and Leisure Service Plan for 2014-15.

2.00 BACKGROUND

2.01 The County Council is in the process of transition from a Directorate structure to a new operating model, so a Directorate Plan, which has been provided in previous years, is not appropriate. Individual Service Plans have always underpinned the Directorate Plan and these have been produced for 2014-15; they will be relevant irrespective of the new service configuration.

2.02 The Culture and Leisure Service Plan contains the following sections:

Community Libraries and Arts
North East Wales Schools Library Service
Leisure Service
Museums Service
Archives Service
Records Management

3.00 CONSIDERATIONS

3.01 The planned outcomes for the year are expressed as SMART (specific, measurable, assignable, realistic, time-constrained) targets which make clear who will deliver the improvements and show the associated risks.

3.02 The plan identifies links to strategic plans such as the Community Strategy and to service specific strategies such as the Libraries Strategy.

4.00 RECOMMENDATIONS

- 4.01 Members are invited to consider the Culture and Leisure Services Plan and identify any issues which ought to be included in the Scrutiny forward work plan.

5.00 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

- 5.01 There are no direct financial implications to this report; financial resources will be considered as part of the specific elements within the individual Plans.

6.00 ANTI POVERTY IMPACT

- 6.01 There are no direct anti poverty implications to this report; although these will be considered as part of the specific elements within the individual Service Plans.

7.00 ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

- 7.01 There are no direct environmental implications to this report; although environmental resources will be considered as part of the specific elements within the Service Plans.

8.00 EQUALITIES IMPACT

- 8.01 There are no direct equalities implications to this report; although equalities will be considered as part of the specific elements within the Service Plans.

9.00 PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS

- 9.01 There are no direct personnel implications to this report; although personnel implications will be considered as part of the specific elements within the Service Plans.

10.00 CONSULTATION REQUIRED

- 10.01 None.

11.00 CONSULTATION UNDERTAKEN

- 11.01 Cabinet Members for Lifelong Learning and Waste Strategy, Public Protection and Leisure have been consulted.

12.00 APPENDICES

Appendix 1: Culture and Leisure Service Plan 2014-2015

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ACCESS TO INFORMATION ACT) 1985
BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

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