

Notice of meeting and agenda

Education, Children and Families Committee

10.00 am Tuesday, 3rd March, 2020

Dean of Guild Court Room - City Chambers

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1. Order of business

- 1.1 Including any notices of motion and any other items of business submitted as urgent for consideration at the meeting.

2. Declaration of interests

- 2.1 Members should declare any financial and non-financial interests they have in the items of business for consideration, identifying the relevant agenda item and the nature of their interest.

3. Deputations

- 3.1 Thistle Foundation (in relation to item 8.1 – Motion by Councillor Laidlaw)
- 3.2 Edinburgh Interfaith Association (in relation to item 7.8 – Promoting Equality)

4. Minutes

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8. Motions

8.1 Motion by Councillor Laidlaw – Thistle Foundation Children’s Wellbeing Project

“Committee notes:

- 1) The success of the Children’s Wellbeing Projects piloted by the Thistle Foundation - the Craigmillar based charity supporting the well-being of individuals with long-term conditions - that has supported children at Brunstane and Castlevie Primary Schools to better manage their worries, cope with difficult emotions and best respond to change.
- 2) That following a pilot in 2018, the 2018/19 project extended the work from a programme of six standalone sessions to working with children across the school year, with children at Castlevie aged between 8-10 years and those at Brunstane 6-8 years.

Committee recognises:

- 1) That the schools involved have an above average number of children with additional support needs and catchments that fall within SIMD areas 1 and 2.
- 2) That the best way to prevent Adverse Childhood Experiences is through preventative action with Health and Wellbeing with the project supporting the requirement in the Curriculum for Excellence to support ‘mental, emotional, social and physical wellbeing’.

Committee asks:

- 1) Officers to review the results of the projects to date and assess how these principles and partnership working could be applied in other schools across the North East and

beyond.”

Laurence Rockey

Head of Strategy and Communications

Committee Members

Councillor Ian Perry (Convener), Councillor Alison Dickie (Vice-Convener), Councillor Eleanor Bird, Councillor Steve Burgess, Councillor Mary Campbell, Councillor Joan Griffiths, Councillor David Key, Councillor Callum Laidlaw, Councillor Jason Rust, Councillor Susan Webber and Councillor Louise Young.

Added Members for Education Items

Religious Representatives

Fiona Beveridge, Monsignor Anthony Duffy and Rabbi David Rose.

Parent Representative (Non-Voting)

Alexander Ramage

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