



Walsall Council

## Children's Services & Lifelong Learning Scrutiny and Performance Panel

MEETING  
TO BE HELD ON

**Thursday, 22 December, 2005 at 6pm**

Your attendance is requested at the above meeting, which will be held at the Council House, Walsall. A list of the items of business to be considered at the meeting, together with any supporting papers is enclosed. Please bring the papers with you to the meeting.

### **MEMBERSHIP:**

Councillors: Bird (Chair)

E.E. Pitt (Vice Chair)

Arif

Cassidy

Khan

Martin

Walker

Chambers

Wilkes

Non-Elected Voting Members:

Mr. A. Butterworth (Lichfield Diocesan Board  
of Education)

Mr. M. Quinn (Archdiocese of Birmingham)

Mrs E. Collins (Parent Governor)

Mrs L. Holford (Parent Governor)

Mr. M. Lee (Parent Governor)

Non-Elected Non-Voting Members:

Mr. R. Grainger (Secondary School)

Mr. D. J. Jones (Primary School)

**Portfolio Holder:** Councillor E. Hughes

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## ITEMS OF BUSINESS

### **PUBLIC ITEMS**

1. **Apologies**
2. **Substitutions**
3. **Declarations of interest and party whip**
4. **Local Government (Access to Information) Act, 1985:**  
To agree that the public be excluded from the private session during consideration of the agenda items indicated for the reasons shown on the agenda.
5. **Minutes of previous meetings,**
  - a) **20 October 2005** enclosed
  - b) **28 November 2005 (budget special)** enclosed
6. **Report from working groups**
  - a) **School Buildings working group (10/11/05)** enclosed
  - b) **Social Inclusion working group (30/11/05)** enclosed
7. **Introduction of the new Directors to the Panel**  
An opportunity for the Panel to meet David Brown (Director of Children's Services) and Helen Denton (Director of Education Walsall)
8. **Annual performance assessment (APA) results** verbal update
9. **Teenage pregnancy – quarterly monitoring update** enclosed
10. **Progress and attainment : Effect of Walsall Academy** verbal update
11. **Corporate parenting: Parameters and outcomes** to follow
12. **Beacon Index – Quarters 1 and 2 out turn data** enclosed
13. **Aldridge Pupil Numbers : referred from the School Organisation Committee** enclosed
14. **Children's overweight and obesity report** verbal update
15. **Forward Plan:**

School Organisation Committee membership – to review the membership of the schools group and ask Council to appoint members to the schools group	Susan Lupton	16 January 2006
Adoption and fostering statement of purposes	Pauline Pilkington	18 January 2006

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