Bath & North East Somerset

Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education

Tuesday 20th February 2024: 19:00 - 21.00

Online, via Zoom

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Meeting ID: 822 8775 0164

Passcode: 819023

AGENDA

1 Welcome, apologies for absence and notification of substitutes

1.1 **Public Discussion**

To receive and hear any person who wishes to address the SACRE. The Chair will select the order of the matters to be heard.

1.2 Declaration of Disclosable Pecuniary Interest

A Member must declare any disclosable pecuniary interest where it relates to any matter being considered at the meeting. A declaration of a disclosable pecuniary interest should indicate the interest and the agenda item to which it relates. A Member is not permitted to participate in this agenda item by law and should immediately leave the meeting before the start of any debate.

If the Member leaves the Chamber in respect of a declaration, he or she should ensure that the Chair is aware of this before he or she leaves to enable their exit from the meeting to be recorded in the minutes.

2 Minutes of the meeting held on 18th October 2023 [PAPER 1] (7.00-7.10pm)

- 2.1 To be ratified and approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair
- 2.2 Matters Arising

3 Membership (7.10-7.20pm)

- 3.1 To review membership attendance and current vacancies [PAPER 2]
- 3.2 To propose Julia Beckett to membership of Committee A of SACRE.
- 3.3 To propose chair and vice-chair elections to move to autumn term.

4 Discussion: Collective Worship Policy (7.20-7.30 pm)

4.1 To hear feedback from the Collective Worship working group about draft of new Collective Worship Policy

5 Communication between SACRE and the Local Authority (7.30-7.40pm)

5.1 To create an action log and running record for communication between SACRE and LA.

6 SACRE Management (7.40 – 8.00 pm)

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- 6.1 Finance Statement for February 2024 [PAPER 3]
- 6.2 Development Plan for 2023-24. [PAPER 4]
- 6.3 Annual Report [PAPER 5]

7 Discussion: National Content Standard (8.00 - 8.10pm)

7.1 Purpose: to understand current national developments in RE and the possible implications for SACRE. [PAPER 6]

National content standard for Religious education IN England (religiouseducationcouncil.org.uk)

8 Standards in RE and collective worship (8.10 - 8.30 pm)

- 8.1 Website Reviews of Schools. Summary and findings [PAPER 7]
- 8.2 Summary of Ofsted reports [PAPER 8]
- 8.3 WIRE Award Update
- 8.4 Feedback from NASACRE Training [Kevin Burnett]

9 Regional and Local Developments (8.30 - 8.50 pm)

- 9.1 Learn, Teach Lead Area 2 [Mary Patterson]
- 9.2 Resource Centre [Jane O'Hara]
- 9.3 Updates from the Diocese of Bath & Wells [David Williams]
- 9.4 Updates from Bath Interfaith Group [Jane O'Hara]

10 Date and Venue for Next Meetings (8.50 -9.00pm)

• Summer Term: Tuesday 25th June 2024 7-9pm In person

11 Urgent business permitted by the Local Government Act 1972

Any item of business which the Chair is of the opinion should be considered at the meeting as a matter of urgency by reason of special circumstances (to be specified in the Minutes). For a matter to be considered as an urgent item, the following question must be addressed: "What harm to the public interest would flow from leaving it until the next meeting?" If harm can be demonstrated, then it is open to the Chair to rule that it be considered as urgent, otherwise the matter cannot be considered urgent within the statutory provisions.