

YOUNG PEOPLE OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

WORK PROGRAMME – 2007/2008 (updated November 2007)

Every Child Matters Outcomes

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In-depth Scrutiny Projects

SUBJECT	AIMS/TERMS OF REFERENCE	ACTION/BY WHOM	TIMESCALES
Sports Provision and participation for Young People in North Yorkshire	To consider how the County Council works with partner organisations to improve and increase the percentage of 5 – 16 year olds accessing two hours or more of high quality PE and School Sport within and beyond the curriculum each week; understand the importance and benefits of physical education and sport for young people.	Briefing Seminar and Scoping <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Task Group Meeting • Consultations • Draft Report to Committee • Final draft Report to Committee 	March/April/June September 07 November 07
School Meals	Following the job evaluation review and the increase in pay rates for Cooks the Committee agreed to work with the Catering Board and consider the alternative options available.	Task Group - Draft Report to autumn meeting of the committee	November - December 2007
Children as Victims of Domestic Violence	Proposed that the next in-depth scrutiny review looks into the support offered and provided to children, young people and their families as victims of domestic violence. Included in this review would be the role of Children's Centre's and partnership working.	Briefing Seminar and Scoping Exercise with Scrutiny Review Group and Officers from the Children & Young Peoples Service	Jan 2008 April/May 2008
OVERVIEW REPORTS			
Monitoring Pupil Numbers	Members of the committee requested an Overview report , on a purely theoretical and no commitment basis, which explores the options of the local formula for schools funding in the light of falling rolls	Corporate Director of Children & Young Peoples Service	November 07

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Health Related Behaviour Survey	Overview Report on the actions taken against the outcomes and recommendations arising from Health Related Behaviour Survey undertaken on behalf of NYCC and NY&Y PCT		Officer from the Children & Young Peoples Service	November 07
Anti Bullying	Overview Report on the take up of Anti Bullying practices by Schools in North Yorkshire and the actions being taken in relation to the findings in the Health Related Survey		Officer from the Children & Young Peoples Service	November 07
14-19 year olds Education & Skills	Briefing on the radical reform of the system for 14.-19 education and plans to transform secondary and post-secondary education so that all young people achieve and continue in learning until at least the age of 18.		Corporate Director of the Children & Young Peoples Service	February 08
Youth Offending Team	Briefing on the newly developed Education Training and Employment Strategy		Lesley Ingleson	February 2008
Young People and diversity	Children and young people from minority group backgrounds		To be advised	February 2008
Drug and Alcohol Treatments and services	Members to be briefed on the services, treatments and partnership arrangements available to young people with drug and alcohol problems.		To be advised	May 2008
Multi Agency Looked After Partnership	Responsibilities towards other LA's Children who live in North Yorkshire.		Paul Nixon and Nigel Ogle	May 2008
Commissioning for the Children's Health Agenda	Update from the North Yorkshire and York PCT on Childrens Services		Director of Commissioning and Director of Operations NY & Y PCT	May 2008

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Public Health Agenda for Children & Young People in North Yorkshire	Briefing by the Public Health Directorate on young people health related issues and the standards associated to the National Service Framework for Children and Maternity Services.		Director of Public Health	May 2008
Young Carers	Overview and clarification on the support and funding arrangements for this vulnerable group of young people		Director of C&YPS and Director of Adult Social Care	July 2008
Delegated Resources	Progress Report on the processes for Monitoring, Challenging and Supporting Schools who use delegated resources for children with special needs and underachieving gifted and talented children		John Bell	July 2008
C&YPS Partner organisations	Fire Service and Voluntary sector to be invited to explain their contribution to the Every Child Matters agenda		To be advised	July 2008
Children with Learning Difficulties and Disabilities	Transition planning for children & young people with learning difficulties and disabilities.			Sept 2008
Contact Point	Progress report on the policy guidance for users of Contact Point		Andrew Whittaker and Lynette Wise, Integrated Childrens Systems	Sept 2008
Extended Schools agenda	Progress report on the development of the Extended Schools programme		Bernadette Jones and Carolyn Bird	Sept 2008

This is a working document therefore topics and timeframes could alter