

# Swindon Borough Council

## Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education

**Tuesday, 4 December 2012**

Committee Room 6, Civic Offices (Anticipated meeting room)

At 6.00 p.m.

<b>Group A:</b>	Mr Arun Bedi, Sikh Community
<b>Christian Denominations</b>	Mr David Burbidge, Baptist Church
<b>and Other Religions or</b>	Mr Mark Cawte, Methodist (Vice-Chair)
<b>Religious Denominations</b>	Mrs Sarah Lane Cawte, United Reformed Church
	Reverend David Howell, Swindon Evangelical Alliance
	Mr M S Khan, Muslim Community
	Mr Tony McAteer, Catholic Community
	Mr Dinesh Patel, Hindu Community

<b>Group B:</b>	Miss Janet French
<b>The Church of England</b>	Reverend Norma McKemey
	Ms Steph Mundin
	Mrs Penny Summers
	Reverend Beth Brown

<b>Group C:</b>	Mrs Tracy Mason, NUT
<b>Teacher Associations</b>	Miss Lottie Rowe, NASUWT
	Mrs Mandy Sandleton, NASUWT
	Mr Paul Sunners, NAHT

<b>Group D:</b>	Councillor Claire Ellis
<b>The Local Authority</b>	Councillor Russell Holland
	Councillor Fay Howard
	Councillor James Robbins

Support Officers:	Katy Staples, SACRE Advisor
	Sarah Foulkes, Primary Link Adviser

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## AGENDA

### 1. Minutes Silence

A Minutes Silence will be held at the start of the meeting in remembrance and tribute to Councillor Doreen Dart.

2. **Appointment of Chair**
3. **Apologies for Absence**
4. **Declarations of Interest**  
Members are reminded that at the start of the meeting they should declare any known interests in any matter to be considered, and also during the meeting if it becomes apparent that they have an interest in the matters being discussed.
5. **Public Question Time**  
See explanatory note below. Please phone the Committee Officer whose name and number appears at the top of this agenda if you need further guidance.
6. **Minutes** (Pages 1 - 4)  
To receive the minutes of the meeting held on 25<sup>th</sup> September 2012.
7. **Membership Update** (Pages 5 - 6)
8. **RE Council Review of Religious Education** (Pages 7 - 46)
9. **SACRE Self-Evaluation and Draft Development Plan 2012-2014** (Pages 47 - 56)
10. **National Developments in RE** (Pages 57 - 62)
11. **Update on Network Meetings** (Pages 63 - 68)
12. **Date and Time of the Next Meeting**  
The next meeting of the SACRE is on 19<sup>th</sup> March 2013 at 6 pm.

**Date of Despatch:** 26 November 2012

**Key: Officers:**

GDC – Group Director: Children

DLDS - Director of Law and Democratic Services

**Public Question Time** - Swindon Borough Council is committed to increasing its accountability to the public and to promoting active citizenship. Up to 15 minutes will be allowed at the start of all Council meetings for questions to the Chair from members of the public about the work of the Committee (except for confidential matters and specific planning applications). Questions must be relevant, clear and concise. Because of time constraints Public Question Time is not an opportunity to make speeches or statements. Prior notice of a question to the Director of Law and Democratic Services is desirable - particularly if detailed background information is needed.

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