

Swindon Borough Council

Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education

Tuesday, 4 December 2018

Committee Room 5, Civic Offices, Euclid Street, Swindon

At 6.00 p.m.

Group A: Christian Denominations and Other Religions or Religious Denominations	Malkit Babbra, Sikh Community Jo Backus, Buddhist Community David Burbidge, Baptist Church Clare-Marie Burchall, Roman Catholic Community Atiff Ghafar, Muslim Community Reverend David Howell, Swindon Evangelical Alliance Michelle Howard, United Reformed Church Dinesh Patel, Hindu Community
Group B: The Church of England	Reverend Clive Deverell Janet French Reverend Norma McKemey Ruth Williams
Group C: Teacher Associations	Tracy Mason, NUT Lottie O'Brien, NASUWT Mandy Sandleton, NASUWT Emma McCarthy, NUSUWT
Group D: The Local Authority	Councillor Matthew Courtliff Councillor Fay Howard Councillor Nick Martin Councillor Barbara Parry Councillor Roger Smith
Co-Opted:	Jo Garton, Swindon Humanists Fidelma Meehan, Baha'i Community
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AGENDA

1. Welcome from the Chair

2. Apologies for Absence

3. 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.

4. 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.

5. Membership

6. Minutes (Pages 5 - 8)

To receive the minutes of the meeting held on 26th June 2018.

7. Matters Arising (Pages 9 - 10)

Letter to SACRES from LTLRE re-funding (Final)- Oct 2018

8. Website review (Pages 11 - 20)

- Following on from Website reviews, all delegates to review attached proposal, criteria and letters.
- Delegates to agree future actions.

9. CORE Report

Please note: <https://www.commissiononre.org.uk/>

Delegates to discuss possible repercussions for SACRE.

Please note attached simplified paper with questions at the end. Full report available at:

<https://www.commissiononre.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2018/09/Final-Report-of-the-Commission-on-RE.pdf>

10. The WIRE Award (Pages 21 - 28)

Delegates to discuss if they would we like to introduce this for Swindon Schools.

11. Feedback from the Religious Education hub meetings

12. Forthcoming CPD for teachers and SACRE members

Verbal update regarding the Conference to be held at Dillington House Conference Centre on Monday 4th March 2019.

13. Date and Time of the Next Meeting

The next meeting of the SACRE is on 26th March 2019. Members of the SACRE are asked to suggest venues or indicate where this and future meetings of the Panel should be held.

Date of Despatch: 26 November 2018

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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