
Meeting	Safeguarding Overview and Scrutiny Committee
Date	20 March 2013
Subject	Youth Shield – Presentation
Report of	Overview and Scrutiny Office
Summary	The Safeguarding Overview and Scrutiny Committee has requested that the Committee receive a presentation from the Barnet Youth Shield on their recent success in the London Safeguarding Children Awards 2012

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Status (public or exempt)	Public
Wards Affected	All
Enclosures	None
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1. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1.1 **That the Safeguarding Overview and Scrutiny Committee note the presentation from the Barnet Youth Shield and make comments and ask questions as appropriate.**

2. RELEVANT PREVIOUS DECISIONS

- 2.1 12 December 2012, Safeguarding Overview and Scrutiny Committee, (decision item 8) The Committee resolved to invite members of the Barnet Youth Shield to attend a future meeting of the committee to present on their work and to answer questions from the committee.

3. CORPORATE PRIORITIES AND POLICY CONSIDERATIONS

- 3.1 The Overview and Scrutiny Committees must ensure that the work of Scrutiny is reflective of the Council's priorities.
- 3.2 The three priority outcomes set out in the 2012/13 Corporate Plan are: –
- Better services with less money
 - Sharing opportunities, sharing responsibilities
 - A successful London suburb

4. RISK MANAGEMENT ISSUES

- 4.1 None in the context of this report.

5. EQUALITIES AND DIVERSITY ISSUES

- 5.1 In addition to the Terms of Reference of the Committee, and in so far as relating to matters within its remit, the role of the Committee is to perform the Overview and Scrutiny role in relation to:
- **The Council's leadership role in relation to diversity and inclusiveness; and**
 - **The fulfilment of the Council's duties as employer including recruitment and retention, personnel, pensions and payroll services, staff development, equalities and health and safety**

6. USE OF RESOURCES IMPLICATIONS (Finance, Procurement, Performance & Value for Money, Staffing, IT, Property, Sustainability)

- 6.1 None in the context of this report.

7. LEGAL ISSUES

7.1 None in the context of this report.

8. CONSTITUTIONAL POWERS (Relevant section from the Constitution, Key/Non-Key Decision)

8.1 The scope of the Overview & Scrutiny Committees is contained within Part 2, Article 6 of the Council's Constitution.

8.3 The Terms of Reference of the Overview & Scrutiny Committees is set out in the Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rules (Part 4 of the Constitution).

8.4 The Safeguarding Overview and Scrutiny Committee has within its Terms of Reference "To scrutinise the provision of education (children and adults), special educational needs provision, and the protection and welfare of children.

9. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

9.1 The Safeguarding Overview and Scrutiny Committee resolved at their last meeting on 12 December 2012 to invite Members of Barnet Youth Shield to attend a meeting of the Safeguarding Overview and Scrutiny Committee in order to present their work and answer questions from the committee.

10. LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS

10.1 None.

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