



To: Councillor McCaig, Convener; Councillor Greig, Vice-Convener; and Councillors Allan, Boulton, Collie, Cooney, Corall, Cormack, Farquharson, Laing, Leslie, May, Reynolds, Jennifer Stewart, John West, Kirsty West, Wisely, Yuill; and Mumtaz Abdullah, Alistair Aitken, Grant Bruce, Peter Campbell and Stewart Duncan.

Town House,
ABERDEEN, 25 May 2011

EDUCATION, CULTURE AND SPORT COMMITTEE

The Members of the **EDUCATION, CULTURE AND SPORT COMMITTEE** are requested to meet in Committee Room 2 - Town House on **THURSDAY, 2 JUNE 2011 at 2.00 pm.**

JANE G. MACEACHRAN
HEAD OF LEGAL AND DEMOCRATIC SERVICES

BUSINESS

EXEMPT BUSINESS

1.1 Determination of Exempt Business

Members are requested to resolve that the business listed under item 11.1 of this agenda be considered with the press and public excluded.

REQUESTS FOR DEPUTATION

2.1 No requests received at this stage

MINUTE OF PREVIOUS MEETING

3.1 Minute of Previous Meeting of 24 March 2011 (Pages 1 - 34)

MOTIONS

- 4.1 Motion by Councillor Boulton, referred from Council meeting of 23 February 2011 (Background Report) (Pages 35 - 42)
“That Aberdeen City Council writes to Mike Russell, the Cabinet Secretary for Education and Lifelong Learning, asking for a review of ‘The Parent’s Charter’.”
- 4.2 Motion by Councillor Cormack - Parental Involvement in Education (Pages 43 - 46)

REFERRALS FROM OTHER COMMITTEES

- 5.1 School Catering Services - Meal Price Increase - Referral from Enterprise, Planning and Infrastructure Committee of 24 May 2011 (Pages 47 - 50)

SERVICE WIDE REPORTS

- 6.1 Update on Progress with Implementation of Priority Based Budgeting Transformation Options (Pages 51 - 56)

CULTURE

- 7.1 Deferred Cultural Grants 2011/12 (Pages 57 - 62)

SPORT

- 8.1 Bookings and Lettings Review - Oral Update
- 8.2 Sports Grants (Pages 63 - 70)
- 8.3 Update on Implementation of Budget Decision - Reduce Communities Team (Pages 71 - 88)
- 8.4 Lease Agreements for Voluntary Organisations Occupying Woodside Fountain Centre (Pages 89 - 96)

EDUCATION

- 9.1 "Big Noise": Sistema Scotland in Stirling (Pages 97 - 104)

- 9.2 Closing the Gap (Pages 105 - 108)
- 9.3 Celebrating St Andrew's Day 2011 in Schools (Pages 109 - 112)
- 9.4 Provision for Children With Additional Support Needs Arising From Complex Factors - Progress Report (Pages 113 - 118)

COMMITTEE BUSINESS, MOTIONS AND PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT

- 10.1 Committee Business Statement (Pages 119 - 132)
- 10.2 Motions List (Pages 133 - 136)
- 10.3 Education, Culture and Sport Performance Report (Pages 137 - 302)

ITEMS WHICH THE COMMITTEE MAY WISH TO CONSIDER IN PRIVATE

SPORT

- 11.1 50 Metre Pool - Progress Report (Pages 303 - 316)

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