



BOURNEMOUTH SACRE

Monday 9th February 2015

Time: 16:00 – 17:30

Venue: Bournemouth Town Hall Extension, Room B

A G E N D A

1. Opening reflection Cllr. Chappell
2. Introduction of new members
3. Minutes and matters arising
4. Report on the presentation of the Annual Report to the O & S panel
5. Representation from Bournemouth Islamic Centre
6. Letter from Lord Nash
7. New DfE Guidance on SMSC
8. Formation of Agreed Syllabus Conference
9. Questionnaire to be sent out to RE teachers
10. RE annual Conference
11. Forced Marriages & FMG Conference
12. Report on HMD

AOB:

- Extending membership of SACRE
- Newsletter
- Safeguarding.
- Venue for next meeting.
- Volunteer for opening reflection at the next meeting.

Minutes of the SACRE Meeting held on Monday 9th February 2015 at the Town Hall

Present: Lynda Ford-Horne (chair), Rubina Nasser, Sue Sedgley, Richard Dyer-Smith, Cllr Coope, Cllr Chappell, Alison Harris, Tirlochan Lall, Peter Thomson, Sian Harley and Margaret Powell (note taker).

Item	Comment	Action
1. Opening reflection	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This was the last committee meeting for Cllr Chappell as a BBC representative as he is standing down in the May elections, and he gave the opening reflection on the thoughts of Archbishop William Temple. LFH presented a certificate of thanks for his long service as Cllr Chappell had been involved with Bournemouth SACRE from its inception. 	
2. Welcome, apologies and introduction to new members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Apologies were received from Rev Ian Terry and Bharati Joshi. No new members this meeting but it was noted that Martin White had stood down as academies representative. RN to approach NASACRE for guidance as to how SACREs should support academies as it looked likely that there would only be 5 schools in the borough which were not academies by September 2015. Abid had stood down as BICCM representative on SACRE. 	RN
3. Minutes and matters arising	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mayor's reception - no news of a date yet, Cllr Coope to contact the Mayor's secretary. Youth SACRE - launch did not take place, Martin White had promised to nominate at least 4 pupils from Bishop of Winchester Academy Spring newsletter - scheduled for the second half of the spring term - LFH requested faith representatives email her with special days in their faith's calendars up to the end of 2015. 	Cllr Coope
4. Report on the presentation of the Annual Report to the O & S panel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This had taken place on 11th December 2014 - Cllr Coope reported. RN had reported on the KS3 and KS4 trends in exam courses. 	
5. Representation from the Bournemouth Islamic Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> There is now no representative from the Bournemouth Islamic Centre - LFH to approach the Imam with a view to inviting a new representative. 	LFH
6. Letter from Lord Nash	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This letter had been forwarded to the Leader of the Council and the portfolio holder for education. The central role of SACREs noted. LFH stated that, although there was no budget and Bournemouth was 	

	<p>generally supportive of SACRE, it would be appreciated if there was agreement for the funding of various activities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Para 4 mentions the importance of ‘all schools promoting the fundamental British values...’ - RE teachers in general were concerned that this responsibility might be handed directly over to them. • Although not mentioned in this letter, it was noted that the inclusion of Humanism with RE teaching was being supported publically by, amongst others, the Archbishop of Canterbury in the current debate. 	
7. New DfE Guidance on SMSC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To be an agenda item next meeting. DfE website 	
8. Formation of Agreed Syllabus Conference (ASC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ASC - RN explained the law and said, with regard to the new syllabus, a questionnaire was to be sent out to all RE teachers in Bournemouth and Poole, enquiring which aspects (levels, assessments) of the current syllabus they would like to see revised. Who actually writes the revised syllabus had yet to be agreed with Poole. A working party would be set up, the first meeting to be scheduled for Tuesday 24th March at the Town Hall. LFH requested all SACRE members who would like to be part of this working party to please confirm this with Margaret who would research availability of meeting rooms. 	MP, All willing to take part in the working party.
9. Questionnaire to be sent out to RE teachers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See item 8 above. 	
10. RE Annual Conference	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Subject to be Progression and Assessment - further details to be confirmed shortly. 	
11. Forced Marriage & FGM Conference	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conference on 18th March at BLC; to be further publicised to PSHE leaders in schools. 	
12. Report on HMD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LFH reported the pleasing response at events held in Lytchett Minster and in Poole, however disappointing response from Bournemouth schools. 	
A.O.B	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Extending membership of SACRE: academy and special school representatives needed. LFH suggested that we could have a representative from another branch of Islam - members urged to go away and consider this. All members to check the membership of their committees. • Newsletter: RN requested faith representatives email their list of holy days to MP for inclusion - up to 	

	<p>the end of the year.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Safeguarding: Forced Marriage and FGM Conference part of this aspect.• Next meeting: please note altered date - now Tuesday 16th June in the Town Hall.• Opening reflection: to be given by AH.	
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Dates for future meetings: Tuesday 16th June 2015 in Room C on E3 in the Town Hall at 4pm.