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**Date: 4th January 2017**

Dear Sir/Madam,

A meeting of the **Education for Life Scrutiny Committee** will be held in the **Sirhowy Room, Penallta House, Tredomen, Ystrad Mynach** on **Tuesday, 10th January, 2017** at **5.30 pm** to consider the matters contained in the following agenda.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Chris Burns'.

**Chris Burns**  
INTERIM CHIEF EXECUTIVE

## AGENDA

	Pages
1 To receive apologies for absence.	
2 Declarations of Interest.	

Councillors and Officers are reminded of their personal responsibility to declare any personal and/or prejudicial interest(s) in respect of any item of business on this agenda in accordance with the Local Government Act 2000, the Council's Constitution and the Code of Conduct for both Councillors and Officers.

To approve and sign the following minutes: -

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| 3 | Education For Life Scrutiny Committee Meeting held on the 8th November 2016. |  |
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- 4 Consideration of any matter referred to this Committee in accordance with the call-in procedure.
- 5 To receive a verbal report by the Cabinet Member(s).
- 6 Education for Life Scrutiny Committee Forward Work Programme. 9 - 20
- 7 To receive and consider the following Cabinet Report(s)\*: -  
 Abertysswg/Pontlottyn Primary and Islwyn High School - Revised Proposed Opening Times -  
 14th December 2016
- \*If a member of the Scrutiny Committee wishes for any of the above Cabinet report(s) to be brought forward for review at the meeting please contact Amy Dredge, 01443 863100, by 10.00 a.m. on Monday, 9th January 2017.*
- To receive and consider the following Scrutiny reports: -
- 8 Improving School Attendance and Reducing Exclusions (Attendance and Exclusions -  
 Presentation). 21 - 62
- 9 Junior and Youth Forum Priorities 2017. 63 - 66
- 10 Welsh in Education Strategic Plan 2017-2020. 67 - 104
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