

Corporate Parenting Board

26 September 2016

Report of the Director of Children's Services

Show Me That I Matter Annual Report 2015-16

Summary

1. The aim of this report is to detail the issues identified by the Children in Care Council, how these issues are being addressed and what issues are still to be taken forward. The report also details professionals and partner agencies that met with the Children in Care Council (CiCC), the outcomes of these discussions and different projects that the CiCC is involved in.

Background

2. Show Me That I Matter (SMTIM) is the name of York's Children in Care Council. Monthly panel meetings are held for young people to raise and discuss issues that are important to them, with the aim of shaping and improving services for children and young people in care in York. Panel meetings are attended by Elected Members and Council Officers to listen to the views of young people and respond to issues raised.

Consultation

3. See Annex 1.

Options

4. See Annex 1.

Analysis

5. See Annex 1.

Council Plan

6. See Annex 1.

Implications

7. **Financial** (*Contact – Director of Resources*)

There are no financial implications to consider.

- **Human Resources (HR)** (*Contact – Head of HR*)

There are no HR implications to consider.

- **Equalities** There are no issues relating to equalities to consider.
- **Legal** There are no legal implications to consider.
- **Crime and Disorder** There are no issues relating to crime and disorder.
- **Information Technology (IT)** There are no IT implications.
- **Property** There are no issues relating to property.
- **Other** *No other known implications.*

Risk Management

8. There are no risks to consider.

Recommendations

9. Members are not being asked to endorse any recommendations but to be briefed on the work of the Children in Care Council.

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Specialist Implications Officer(s) *None*

Wards Affected:

All

For further information please contact the author of the report

Background Papers:

No back ground papers submitted.

Annexes

Annex 1 – Show Me That I Matter Annual Report, 2015-16

Abbreviations

CiCC - Children in Care Council

SMTIM - Show Me That I Matter