



WREXHAM PUBLIC SERVICES BOARD

Minutes of meeting held on 14th March 2019

Wrexham Guildhall, Council Chamber

Lyndsey Rawlinson	Natural Resources Wales (chair)
Cllr Hugh Jones	Wrexham County Borough Council (deputy chair)
Ian Bancroft	Wrexham County Borough Council
Gary Doherty	Betsi Cadwaladr University Health Board
Sue Price	Coleg Cambria
Bob Baines	Public Health Wales (for Angela Tinkler)
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Mark Pierce	North Wales Police
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John Gallanders	AVOW
Lynne Moore	Department for Work and Pensions
Jono Clarke	Wales Probation Service
Claire Mooney	Wales Probation Service
Mike Whitley	Natural Resources Wales
Ian Roberts	Wrexham County Borough Council
Donna Dickenson	Wrexham County Borough Council
Francine Salem	Wrexham County Borough Council
Sally Holland	Children's Commissioner for Wales
Kath Mattingly	Office of CC for Wales
Siwan Dafydd	Office of CC for Wales
Jessie Hack	Senedd yr Ifanc
Alexander Pengelly	Senedd yr Ifanc
Jade Griffith	Senedd yr Ifanc
Stephen Lockhart	Senedd yr Ifanc
Toby Jones	Senedd yr Ifanc
Andrew Roberts	Senedd yr Ifanc
Emilia Mandyna	Senedd yr Ifanc
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Anna-Louise Edwards	Wrexham Young People's Care Council
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Simon Smith	North Wales Fire and Rescue Service
Angela Tinkler	Public Health Wales

1	Welcome	
	Lyndsey welcomed Sally Holland and her team, alongside members of Wrexham’s Senedd yr Ifanc to the meeting, and thanked them for all the work that they had been doing to prepare a workshop to enable PSB partners to start to consider how they could embed children’s rights within their organisation.	
	Strategic	
2	Sally Holland, Children’s Commissioner for Wales	
	<p>Sally and her team have been working closely with Wrexham’s Senedd yr Ifanc to develop a joint workshop for the Wrexham PSB. This would have a number of aims: ,</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To learn more about the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC) and how it can link to the work of the PSB • To understand the role of Children's Commissioner for Wales - Sally Holland • To explain The Right Way approach and for partners to reflect on what they are doing to improve outcomes from a children and young people perspective. • To identify where the PSB supports children and young people to access their rights already and to discuss ways to develop the work • To identify actions to take forward as a PSB and build commitment to the approach <p>The workshop presentation is available alongside these minutes</p>	
	A project team at WCBC is testing out the how a children’s rights approach could be embedded and trying out the Right Way toolkit, and will update progress to the September PSB meeting	MC
3	Senedd yr Ifanc	
	Building on earlier work that helped to shape the Well-Being plan, members from Wrexham’s Senedd yr Ifanc presented their recent consultation findings, investigating views and opinions around sleep, food and weight management and building life skills.	

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	The PSB also committed to carrying on the conversation with the Senedd yr Ifanc about the best way for children and young people to shape, challenge and contribute to how the well-being plan is delivered in Wrexham, and Lyndsey will attend a future Senedd meeting.	LR/ MC
	The Wrexham PSB committed to take action to build up a practical understanding of how children's rights could be embedded within public sector organisations and also within the PSB as a strategic body: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Long term - how can the PSB develop intergenerational working? • Prevention – what will the PSB do to develop a children's rights approach? • Collaboration – how can partners build shared working? • Involvement – how can the PSB work with children and young people to shape the delivery of the well-being plan? • Integration – what will partners do to embed children's rights? 	ALL
	Lyndsey thanked Sally Holland and her team and the Senedd yr Ifanc for delivering such an engaging and energetic workshop, and on behalf of the PSB committed to continue to work with both to raise the effectiveness of children's rights across Wrexham.	
	Operational	
4	Items for June 2019 PSB meeting	
	Lyndsey closed the meeting with three business items for action:	
	The PSB Terms of Reference is in need of a refresh, since being agreed in 2016. An email from the MAT will be sent out to allow PSB members to comment, so that the update can then be discussed at the next meeting.	ALL/ MC
	The MAT will now work with PSB members to produce an Annual Report on the first year of the Wrexham well-being plan. An email from the MAT will be sent out to enable PSB members to contribute, so that the report can then be signed off at the next meeting.	ALL/ MC
	PSB Members were asked to consider which of the remaining objectives will be taken forward as priority areas for 2019/2020, and this can then be agreed at the next meeting.	ALL
5	Date of next meeting	
	10am, 13 th June 2019 Wrexham Ambulance and Fire Resource Centre, Croesnewydd Road, Wrexham.	

2019 Meeting Dates:

12.09.19	10am to 12	Wrexham Ambulance and Fire Resource Centre
12.12.19	10am to 12	Wrexham Ambulance and Fire Resource Centre

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