

# HAMMERSMITH AND FULHAM SACRE MEETING

Tuesday 21 March 2023

Via Microsoft Teams On-Line

6.00 – 7.00pm

## Minutes

### SACRE meeting attendance

Group A Christian faiths and other religious denominations

- Bhupinder Singh Bhasin (**BS**)

Group B Church of England

- Mark Newton (**MN**)

Group C Teacher Association

- Fiona Battah (**FB**)
- Amy Cotton (**AC**)

Group D Local Authority

- Chris Cosker (**CC**)
- Keith Tysoe (**KT**)
- Cllr. Umeh Mercy (**CllrUM**)

Other attendees:

- Ann Kenny (**AK**) Clerk

Apologies: Joanna Asia Grzybowska

ITEM	AGENDA ITEM
1.	<b>Welcome, Introductions and Apologies</b>
	<b>1.1 Welcome</b> Mark Newton welcomed all attendees to the meeting and checked to ensure enough attendees in each category to make meeting quorate. <b>1.2 MN</b> invited all attendees to introduce themselves. <b>1.3 Lesley Prior:</b> <b>MN</b> advised group that due to a previous illness recurring, Lesley would be unable to attend sessions until further notice.
2.	<b>Agree Minutes to Meeting on 22.11.22</b>
	<b>2.1</b> Minutes from Autumn Term meeting on 22.11.23: Agreed.
3.	<b>Actions from Last Meeting</b>
	5 5.1: Contact H&F SACRE members to see if they want to continue being part of group – AK <b>AK</b> confirmed members had been contacted and were offered an opportunity for those who could no longer commit to attending meetings to respond to her. 6 6.1: <b>MN</b> to compile foreword for SACRE Annual Report: <b>MN</b> duly completed and forwarded to AK 6 6.2: <b>AK &amp; KT</b> to provide information for SACRE Annual Report. Mostly completed but still awaiting confirmation on some data/information required to be added 6 6.3: <b>MN</b> to sign off once complete: Still to be completed. 7 7.1: Look at places of Collective Worship for RE Group: List compiled and forwarded. 9 9.1: Put a list together of places for RE Group to visit: <b>HA-G</b> completed. <b>AK</b> to thank <b>HA-G</b> . Very good for submitting

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	<p>Material to be collated for RE Group places to visit: <b>AK &amp; LP</b> – incomplete due to absence of <b>LP</b></p> <p>Explore whether LBHF has a database and this information provided will be added to the database. We have a database in order to contact RE coordinators.</p> <p>Keith Tysoe to check with <b>AK</b> and Keith Fernandes whether we have a place on learning hub to put links so teachers can go there.</p>
<b>4.</b>	<b>Membership – Updates on attendance and any vacancies to be filled</b>
	<p><b>AK</b> confirmed she had written to all members who had not attended recent SACRE meetings, to give them an opportunity to step down from their representation on panel if they so wished.</p> <p><b>BS</b> confirmed he is happy to stay and would like to bring a colleague to the next meeting who could act as an alternate. <b>MN</b> agreed we would welcome as an observer.</p> <p>Drive to ensure faith groups are represented. We need to ensure all faith groups are represented and recognise need for a drive on this. <b>MN</b> and <b>AK</b> to compile a communication to send out to recruit more members to join panel.</p>
<b>5.</b>	<b>Future planning</b>
	<p><b>KT</b> said future planning was register of places.</p> <p>For consideration was new update to agreed syllabus. Feeling from teaching perspective may want to continue with what we had and whether it would make a difference whether we adopted now or in the future.</p> <p><b>FB</b> confirmed if a big overhaul, then that is a teacher workload. Need clarity of extent of changes.</p> <p><b>AC.</b> Her school follow the Catholic syllabus for RE but happy to feedback and give own contributions. Doesn't directly affect catholic schools. Interested to know more about it.</p> <p>Ongoing item for next meeting,</p> <p><b>SB</b> At Gurdwara very busy with lots of school visits coming along from H&amp;F. Found these sessions work best with 1-2 classes.</p> <p><b>MN</b> asked for views on next meeting being face to face.</p> <p>Agreed by: <b>Cllr.UM, FB, AC, CC</b></p> <p><b>MN</b> asked if we could meet other colleague of <b>SB</b> at the Gurdwara.</p> <p><b>Cllr.UM</b> asked if a visit to the St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church, Godolphin Road, Shepherds Bush, could be put on list and make the next meeting (Autumn Term) there. <b>Cllr.UM</b> to make contact and advise <b>KT</b>.</p> <p><b>KT:</b> Lovely to hear schools visiting the Gurdwara. Great to hear schools getting out in community. Asked from perspective of <b>AC</b> and <b>FB</b>, where are they now with Covid?</p> <p><b>FB:</b> Outbursts every now and again but everything back to way we were pre pandemic.</p> <p><b>AC:</b> Perspective same, but now seeing huge impact on children. Year 2 and 3 affected most. Impact on early years children not good and social interaction is a big problem. See a few parents wearing masks. Covid seems a distant memory but has left its legacy.</p> <p><b>Cllr.UM:</b> from perspective as a councillor, not hearing much about Covid in the community. Hopefully, once Spring is in the air, this will see the end of it.</p> <p><b>CC</b> asked if visits into school have picked up. Not necessarily, schools found they are getting other children being ill in schools, chicken pox and measles and mumps. Due to on-mixing childhood illnesses now appear to be visiting schools again.</p> <p><b>BS</b> confirmed he gave presentation at Miles Coverdale Primary School re Sikhism.</p>

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6.	<b>AOB</b>
	<b>MN:</b> Confirmed he would get card off to <b>Lesley Prior</b> Also, to communicate with <b>BP</b> to arrange visit.

Autumn term	Spring term	Summer term
Tuesday 29 November 2022	Tuesday 21 March 2023	Tuesday 2 May 2023

Ref.	ACTIONS NOTED IN THE SACRE MEETING 2022		Who	✓
3	3.9	KT to confirm with Keith Fernandes, Learning Partnership whether we can have a page on website for SACRE information to be posted,	<b>KT</b>	
4	4.3	MN & AK to compile a communication to be sent to recruit more panel members and representatives of specific faiths.	<b>AK</b>	
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6	6.1	MN to send card on behalf of SACRE panel to Lesley Prior	<b>MN</b>	