

Education

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To: Parents of all pupils in East Renfrewshire schools

Dear Parent

Meetings of Parent Consultation Groups – Session 2012-2013

I would like to remind you of the dates of the parent consultation group meetings. These dates are also available on the East Renfrewshire Parent Website:

www.ea.e-renfrew.sch.uk/parents

The two parent consultation group meetings are attended by members of the Education Directorate, Senior Officers in the Education Department and Elected Members of the Education Committee.

1. Parent Council Chairs' Forum

The Parent Council is the body that represents all parents in a school. Two members of the Parent Council can attend this meeting to represent all parents within the school.

Date	Venue
Tuesday 2 October 2012	Barrhead High School
Wednesday 13 February 2013	Williamwood High School
Wednesday 22 May 2013	Mearns Castle High School
All meetings are held at 7.00pm.	

Contact for this group is John Daffurn, Professional Officer, telephone 0141 577 3945 or e-mail john.daffurn@eastrenfrewshire.gov.uk

2. Equalities Forum

This meeting is for a nominated parent representative from each school and schools' equality co-ordinators. It replaces what was previously known as the Minority Ethnic Parent Forum.

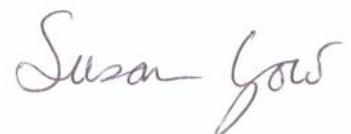
Date	Venue
Thursday 20 September 2012	Isobel Mair School
Thursday 10 January 2013	Braidbar Primary School
Thursday 16 May 2013	Woodfarm High School
All meetings are held at 4.00pm	

Contact for this group is Maureen Sneddon, Quality Improvement Officer, telephone 0141 577 3942 or e-mail maureen.sneddon@eastrenfrewshire.gov.uk

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We welcome agenda items from parents. If you wish to put forward an item for the agenda, please e-mail or telephone the above named contact. It would be helpful if agenda items could be submitted one week before the meeting.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Susan Gow". The signature is fluid and cursive, with "Susan" on the top line and "Gow" on the bottom line.

Susan Gow
Head of Education Services
(Staff, Parents and Corporate Services)