

WEDNESDAY 5th JANUARY 2011

11am - Registration and lunch

1.00pm - Conference Start

Presidential addresses - Ann Widdecombe and Max Bailey

Keynote speakers

Steve Munby "Stepping Up to The New Challenges for the Leadership of Schools and Children's Services"

Sir Charles Pollard "Troubled Young Offenders – their Educational Opportunities in the Future"

Sir Paul Ennals Chief Executive National Children's Bureau "Improving Educational Outcomes by Meeting the Holistic Needs of Children and Young People"

Question time to the panel Led by Martin Bell, OBE

Evening - Civic Reception in the Imperial Hotel

THURSDAY 6th JANUARY 2011

8.30am - Registration & Refreshments

AM - Keynote speakers

Maggie Atkinson Children's Commissioner for England "Lip Service or Engagement – the Voice of Children and Families Within Schools"

Estelle Morris "The 14-19 agenda; Past Lessons and Future Plans"

*Learning Seminars - See attached list of learning seminars
Keynote speakers - Delegates to choose their preferred speaker*

Martin Bell - "International Perspective on Health"

Keith Leslie, Partner Deloitte - "Doing More for Less"

Member of Allan Review - "Early Intervention"

4 Children Families Commission - "Starting a Families Revolution"

PM - Keynote speakers - Delegates to choose their preferred speaker

Saul Nasse, Controller of Learning BBC - "Inspiring children and young people to learn"

Prof Ian Kennedy, Chair of Kennedy Review Team - "Getting it right for children and young people:

Overcoming cultural barriers in the NHS so as to meet their needs"

Ann Chinner - member of Frank Field Review Team - "Child Poverty"

Professor Barry Carpenter - "New Generation Children- the Changing Face of Special Educational Needs"

Discussion time

Martin Bell - "The Schools White Paper"

Evening entertainment - Gala Dinner at Blackpool Tower Ballroom



FRIDAY 7th JANUARY 2011

9.00am - Registration & Refreshments

AM - Keynote speakers

Bill Beaumont CBE, Vice Chairman of The International Rugby Board and Director of Rugby World - Introduction

Dame Tanni Grey Thompson - The London 2012 Olympics and Paralympics - An Invitation to Get Involved

Sharon Shoesmith

PM Martin Bell – Introduction, chair and Q&A

Andy Burnham, Shadow Education Secretary

Nick Gibb, Schools Minister

Invitation from Leeds

Ann Widdecombe - Closing speeches, including Young People's summing up

David Lund, Executive Director Children, Adult and Family Services - Prize Draw, Thank you and goodbye

NEEC LEARNING SEMINARS

Oonagh Aitken & Cllr Peter Collins

The Role of the Elected Member

Blackpool Showcase

Blackpool Showcase – award winning practice focussing on innovative support for a range of vulnerable Young people and families

Deborah Ramsdale

Update on findings from the Munro Review

Edison Learning

Redefining the value proposition for 14-19 year olds

Alison O'Brien

Anti Bullying Alliance

Alison Michalska & Karron Young

DCS Engaging Schools in Health Issues

Philip Duffy - Wirral governors

Governor Development

Penny Byrne and Suzanne Walsh

Shelter Education and links to Homelessness

Blackpool Young People

Parti-what? Participation, what is it and how can we benefit from it?

Roger Bushell

Making Partnerships Effective

**Michael Murphy, Salford University
& Ian Wheeler, Team Leader, Blackpool**

Everything You Always Needed To Know About Safeguarding

Kathryn Boulton

Restorative Practice – Blackpool's Journey

BBC

The BBC in the classroom

Andrew Webb

Time for a Fresh Start

Devonshire School

Schools of the Future

Sarah Thomas, Blackpool Zoo

Re engagement of pupils and Behaviour support

Prospect

Aiming for Outstanding in Parental Engagement

Child Poverty Unit

CP overview on Strategy and national CP pilots

