

Positive for Youth: Delivering A New Vision for Youth Services Locally

10.15 *Registration and Morning Refreshments*

11.00 **Chair's Introduction**

Chris Waterman, Editor, Children's Services Weekly

11.05 **Morning Policy Session – Delivering a New Vision for Youth Services Locally**

- The role of local authorities in commissioning youth services: revised statutory guidance
- Measuring local authority progress in delivering better & more targeted services
- The role for voluntary and community organisations and businesses
- How to secure diverse sources of income for youth services
- Delivering the services that young people need: giving young people a voice
- The role of the professional youth worker
- The implications for secondary schools and colleges in delivery of services
- Lessons to be learned from the youth innovation zones
- Supporting families: universal and targeted services
- The focus on evidence based early help for the most vulnerable
- The contribution of youth services to health and wellbeing
- Developing a more contestable market for publicly funded services
- Measuring success in youth services
- Expanding the National Citizen Service

- **Peter Mucklow**, Director, Supporting Children & Young People Group, DfE
- **Jason Stacey**, Head of Policy, Media and Research, YMCA England
- **Fiona Blacke**, Chief Executive, The National Youth Agency
- **Cllr David Bellotti**, Deputy Chair, Children & Young People Board, LGA

12.00 *Open Discussion and Q & A Session*

13.00 **Interactive Voting Session**

13.15 *Networking Lunch*

14.00 **Afternoon Session: Policy Into Practice**

- Case Study examples of successful youth service deliver
 - Sharing experiences and examples locally & nationally
 - **Paul Boskett MBE**, Youth Democracy Manager, British Youth Council
 - **Simon Baker**, Development Manager, Wigan Youth Zone
 - **Jeremy Glover**, Chief Executive, OnSide North West
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15.25 **Chair's Summary**

15.30 **Event Close**

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