

**Essex Primary Headteachers' meetings
Spring Term 2017
AGENDA**

MID: Thursday 2 March, Chelmsford City Football Club, CM1 2EH

1.	Welcome: Clare Kershaw and Cheryl Allard	9.00 – 9.10
2.	Looking Forward - Clare Kershaw, Director for Commissioning Education and Lifelong Learning This session to include updates on <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Future shape, role and functions of the LA - Governance Services - Budget including apprenticeship levy - New Banding descriptors and SEN funding 	9.10 – 10.00
3.	Primary Improvement - Alison Fiala, Lead Commissioner Mid <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Safeguarding - Moderation update –support available and timelines for 2017 - Raising achievement for disadvantaged pupils conference – 26th April 	10.00 – 10.30
	COFFEE	10.30 - 11.00
4.	Meeting the needs of Young Carers – Tim Frances, Youth Work Commissioner Young Carers in Schools is a free England-wide initiative that makes it as easy as possible for schools to support young carers, and awards good practice. Run jointly by Carers Trust and The Children's Society Young Carers in Focus partners , we are working with schools across England to share good practice, provide relevant tools and training, and to celebrate the great outcomes that many schools achieve for young carers. This initiative is funded by The Queen's Trust and The Big Lottery Fund . https://youngcarersinschools.com/	11.00 – 11.15
5.	EPHA Area Meeting – Cheryl Allard, MEPHA Chair	11.15 – 11.30
6.	Safeguarding update Andrew Hall is an experienced teacher with nearly 30 years of service in schools. He became a headteacher in 1997 and has led a wide variety of schools, including a school serving inpatients at a long-stay child and adolescent psychiatric hospital. In 2010, Andrew set up ' Success In Schools Ltd. ' to share his experience and help colleagues develop their skills working with students who find learning difficult for whatever reason. Since 2011 Andrew Hall has focused on supporting schools and colleges with their safeguarding and child protection policies and procedures. Andrew's training focusses on the needs of school staff and headteachers and ensures that he shares practical strategies that really make a difference. This session will cover: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Effective Safeguarding • Policy into Practice • Governor Responsibilities • Extremism • Understanding Grooming 	11.30 – 1.00
	LUNCH	1.00 – 2.00
	Close - The venue will be available until 3.00 pm if headteachers would like to use it for cluster or individual meetings.	