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Summary

This report asks Members to note that there have been no new activities since the last update to Members on 18 July 2019, so this report lists upcoming education events over the Autumn Term. Events are listed as they relate to the three strategies: Education, Cultural and Creative Learning, and Skills.

Recommendation

Members are asked to note the report.

Main Report

Upcoming activities

Education

1. Scrutiny Meetings (Standards) – 30 October 2019
The Standards Scrutiny Meetings are an important aspect of the Accountability Framework to ensure exceptional education is delivered through the City Corporation's sponsored and co-sponsored academies. An update on the Scrutiny Meetings will be submitted to the Education Board in November.
2. Governor Training (Safeguarding) – 31 October 2019
To take forward the recommendations from the recent Safeguarding Review of the Family of Schools, the governor training in safeguarding this Autumn Term will include a two-hour 'advanced session' for designated Safeguarding Governors and governors with existing experience in safeguarding to deepen their understanding of best practice and consider practical case scenarios.
3. Liveries Education Leads Meeting – 15 October 2019
Following a recommendation from Members of the Education Board, the Education Unit have invited education leads from across the Livery Companies where the Company runs schools and/or has a major focus on education to an informal meeting to share priorities and approaches and identify areas for collaboration.
4. The City Schools Conference – 4 November 2019
The City Schools Conference this year will be themed on 'Inclusion and Wellbeing' to support the delivery of the Education Strategy Goal: Education is safe, inclusive, supportive and empowering for all, regardless of age, background or circumstance. The Chair and Deputy Chair of the Education Board are formally invited to open and/or close the conference.
5. Lord Mayor's Show – 9 November 2019

This year, three schools are celebrating anniversaries: the 125th anniversary of City of London School for Girls and the 10th anniversary for both City of London Academy Islington and The City Academy Hackney. To honour these, the theme of this year's Education paraders will be 'Excellence in Education Throughout the Ages'. Participating schools have been asked to consider ways they can integrate the theme into the curriculum leading up to and after the event.

Cultural & Creative Learning

6. Arts, Creativity and Culture CPD Event – 23 September 2019

A CPD event for a range of stakeholders including classroom teachers, researchers, policy makers and arts organisations. The event is an opportunity to learn about the integration of arts and cultural learning with presentations by Southbank Centre Creative Learning, City of London Corporation and Culture Mile. It will launch a national network for classroom teachers to be an interface between the different arts sectors and schools by being a vehicle for sharing good curriculum practices and pedagogical ideas that are research-informed

Skills

7. City Students Conference and Prefects' Dinner – 12 December 2019

The Chief Commoner has invited secondary school pupils in the Family of Schools and beyond to an afternoon conference focused on the politics and governance of cities. This event will provide insight into political processes, encourage political engagement, and provide exposure to jobs in the public administration sector. The conference occurs before the annual Prefects' Dinner. All Members of the Education Board are invited to the Prefects' Dinner.

Appendices

- Appendix 1 - Calendar of forums and events over the 2019/20 academic year.

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