

Introduction

The purpose of this newsletter is to bring everyone up-to-date with how the project is progressing in relation to the new Inverness Royal Academy campus.

Background

The project is jointly funded by the Scottish Government, via the Scottish Futures Trust (SFT) and The Highland Council.

In terms of the procurement of this project, the Council are in negotiation with Hub North Scotland Limited (HNSL) in relation to entering into a 25 year Design, Build, Finance and Maintain (DBFM) contract.

Miller Construction Limited will be the firm leading the construction of the new school campus.

Details in relation to the above were placed before the Councils Adult and Childrens' Services Committee on the 23rd January 2013.

Stakeholder Group

The existing Stakeholder Group has been expanded to include a number of representatives from the Parent Councils of the Associated School Group (ASG) Primary Schools.

The Head Teachers of the ASG Primary Schools are updated as to progress in relation to this project via regular meetings with the Senior Management Team of Inverness Royal Academy and this is then passed on to their Parent Councils.

Copies of the Stakeholder Group minutes and terms of reference are hosted on the Councils web site.

Community Access

High Life Highland, the Councils leisure services provider is presently exploring options in relation to managing community access to the new school building and pitches upon their completion with the view to increasing participation within the High Life scheme.

Planning

Hub North Scotland Limited, via jmarchitects, will be undertaking a public drop in session at the **Culduthel Christian Centre** on the **11 September 2013** between **3pm and 7pm** in order to present the current drawings (plans and elevations) for the new school campus. Comments in this regard should be made to jmarchitects either at the drop in session or in writing to:

**jmarchitects, 64 Queen Street,
Edinburgh, EH2 4NA**

no later than 11 November 2013

The plans will remain on display at both the Culduthel Christian Centre and at the Councils Service Point in Church Street, Inverness. The plans will also be available on the Councils web site from the 11 September 2013.

The location of the Culduthel Christian Centre is shown over the page.

Further Information

Details in relation to this project are hosted on the Councils webpage (www.highland.gov.uk), using the search term:

[Inverness Royal Academy - New Campus](#)

For PDF versions, click on the link above.

Planning – Drop in session location
Wednesday 11 September 2013 between 3pm and 7pm

Culduthel Christian Centre

Culduthel Avenue
INVERNESS
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