## **Budget & Finance Scrutiny Committee – 2013/14 Work Programme**

Date	Issue for Scrutiny	Type of Meeting	How	Who	Outcome
4 <sup>th</sup> June 2013 6.30pm MR3, Darby House	<ul> <li>Cabinet response to scrutiny comments on the budget</li> <li>Early Help / Safeguarding Cost Improvement Plan including report on Securing Permanency Group.</li> </ul>	Committee (invite CYP members)		Cllr. Bill McClements Laura Johnston	Further information requested. Report back at future meeting.
2 <sup>nd</sup> July 2013 6.30pm MR3, Darby House	<ul> <li>2012/13 Financial Outturn</li> <li>MD response to budget comments in particular:         <ul> <li>Approach to shared services and outsourcing</li> <li>Approach to financial planning and setting priorities for 2014/15 and beyond</li> <li>Opportunities for commercial income</li> <li>Single Status</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Committee		Cllr. Bill McClements Richard Partington Ken Clarke	
3 <sup>rd</sup> September (TBC) 6.30pm MR3, Darby House	<ul> <li>Welfare benefit policies monitoring:</li> <li>Impact of Council Tax Support         Scheme (improvements for 2014/15,         other Councils' schemes: the "post-         code lottery")</li> <li>Impact of Local Crisis Assistance /         Local Resettlement Assistance Policy</li> <li>Impact of Discretionary Housing         Payment Policy.</li> </ul>	Joint Committee meeting with Co- operative & Communities Scrutiny Committee		TBC	
Dec/Jan/Feb	Budget consultation - dates tbc				

## Other items

Informal briefing on cost of capital borrowing (Fiona Robinson)

Single Status

Cost Improvement Plan

Securing Permanence Group reports - quarterly