Concise Minutes - Culture, Welsh Language and **Communications Committee**

Meeting Venue: This meeting can be viewed

Committee Room 2 - Senedd on Senedd TV at:

Meeting date: Wednesday, 3 April 2019 http://senedd.tv/en/5346

Meeting time: 09.32 - 12.20

Attendance

Category	Names
Assembly Members:	Bethan Sayed AM (Chair)
	Mick Antoniw AM
	Delyth Jewell AM
	Caroline Jones AM
	David Melding AM
	Rhianon Passmore AM
Witnesses:	Catrin James, Urdd
	Siân Lewis, Urdd
	Kathryn Williams, Rubicon Dance
Committee Staff:	Martha Da Gama Howells (Second Clerk)
	Lowri Jones (Deputy Clerk)
	Osian Bowyer (Researcher)
	Robin Wilkinson (Researcher)
	Gwyn Griffiths (Legal Adviser)

- 1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest
- 1.1 The Chair welcomed Members to the meeting.
- 1.2 Apologies were received from Jayne Bryant AM and Vikki Howells AM.
- 1.3 Rhianon Passmore AM declared that her son is an Urdd participant.
- 2 Count me in! Inquiry into the role of arts and culture in addressing poverty and social exclusion: Children and young people
- 2.1 Members were shown a video from both organisations.
- 2.2 Witnesses responded to questions from Members of the Committee.
- 2.3 Witnesses from the Urdd agreed to provide additional information to the Committee regarding its strategic approach to addressing poverty and social exclusion through arts and culture.

3 Paper(s) to note

- 3.1 Committee Members agreed to discuss this paper during the private part of today's meeting.
- 3.1 Correspondence from the BBC regarding the representation of Wales
- 4 Motion under Standing Order 17.42(vi) to resolve to exclude the public from the meeting for the remainder of the meeting
- 4.1 The motion was agreed.
- 5 Private debrief
- 5.1 Members discussed the evidence received.
- 6 Supporting and promoting the Welsh language: Legal Briefing paper and consideration of key issues
- 6.1 Members discussed the legal briefing paper and consideration of key issues.
- 7 Film and major television production in Wales: Discussion of draft report
- 7.1 Members agreed to share their views with the Clerking team ahead of a further discussion on the report at its first meeting after Easter recess.