South West Catchment Review

Balerno High School
Wednesday, 14 November 2018
19:00 – 21:00

Currie High School
Monday, 19 November 2018
19:00 – 21:00
South West Catchment Review

- Tom Wood
- Councillor Ian Perry, Convener of Education, Children and Families Committee
- Lorna Sweeney, Schools and Lifelong Learning Senior Manager Quality, Improvement and Curriculum
- Robbie Crockatt, School Estate Planning Manager
- Elaine Watson, School Estate Planning Officer
Why are we here?

- Informal consultation November 2017 – June 2018
- Education, Children and Families Committee, 21 June 2018
- Option 1 agreed to be taken forward to statutory consultation
Communication and Consultation

- Two public meetings
- Consultation Hub
- Advert in Currie / Balerno News
- Letters to parents / carers
- Letters to affected residents
- Education Scotland
- Elected members
- Community Councils
- Local groups
- Childcare providers
- Unions
Why is a catchment change proposed?

• To reduce accommodation pressure at Currie Primary School
• Nether Currie has capacity to support additional demand
• Proposals mean new accommodation is only required at Dean Park PS
• Opportunity to align school boundaries with Community Council boundaries
• Balerno HS catchment area geographically linked
Summary of Proposals

• Section of Currie PS realigned to Nether Currie PS – no change to secondary school catchment areas
• Section of Currie PS realigned to Dean Park PS – realignment of secondary school catchment areas required
• Would affect P1 and S1 registrations from August 2020 and new registrations
• No mandatory transfer of pupils attending another school
82 Primary Pupils
Currie PS 72%
Dean Park PS 24%

75 Secondary Pupils
Currie HS 54%
Balerno HS 43%
37 Primary Pupils
Currie PS 51%
Nether Currie PS 27%
LDP’s Education Appraisal estimates: 100 primary pupils, and 63 secondary pupils
Currie Primary School
Currie PS School Roll

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Accommodation Solution at Currie Primary School
Nether Currie PS School Roll

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Dean Park Primary School
Currie High School
Currie HS School Roll

Currie - School Roll

Current Projected Roll (Dec 2017) 740 754 784 822 831 847 863 894 920
Proposed with catchment change 740 753 782 817 823 835 847 880 896
Balerno HS School Roll

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Comments on the proposals can be submitted until **Monday, 3 December** by Email

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**Questionnaire**

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**Post**

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Next steps

• Education Scotland Report
  ▪ Comments from this meeting will be recorded and sent to Education Scotland

• Outcome of Consultation Report
  ▪ Full Council, provisionally March 2019
  ▪ Report published three weeks in advance
Thank you

Questions?