

Current Issues:

1. I am pleased to report that we have received our Investors in People (IIP) accreditation Council wide. There was a celebration to mark this achievement on 10th May.
2. The Environmental Services Inspectors were here from 25th April and it is expected that they will conclude their inspection by the end of May. I was interviewed on 27th April.
3. On 27th April, I accompanied Ian Philp, National Director for Older People's Services and Kathryn Hudson, National Director of Social Care on a visit to the Morley Centre, Billet Road. We spoke with carers and service users about the future of the Centre and their experiences of working with and using the service.

Meetings and Events attended between 20/04/05 and 17/05/05:

External Meetings and Events:

- LBWF Mayor's Charity dinner, Chingford Assembly Hall
- Early Years Award Ceremony, Walthamstow Assembly Hall
- Visit to the Morley Centre, Billet Road with Ian Philp (National Director for Older People's Services) and Kathryn Hudson (National Director of Social Care)
- Leytonstone Beat Sweep
- Association of London Government Leader's meeting
- Opening of Leytonstone bike shed
- Hosting of a Breakfast Meeting for LBWF Head Teachers
- Opening of Leytonstone Town Talk
- Birthday celebration of Prophet Mohammed (PBUH)

Internal Council Business Meetings and Events:

- Environmental Services Inspection interview
- Regular business meeting with Chief Executive and Deputy Leader
- Top Team briefing
- Investors In People celebration
- Regular meeting with the Government Office for London
- Full Council
- Children Act meeting

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