This information sheet is intended to provide you with background information about the proposed option for the children centre in this area.

About the review

Brief outline

The Children Centre and Local Authority Nurseries review is about redesigning the children’s centre and nurseries services. The review includes reducing the number of children’s centre bases with dedicated children’s centre staff, whilst maintaining a network of services for children and families that are fit for current and future use and appropriate for each community. Services for children and families with under 5 year olds will be retained in areas of most need. In total, a saving of £377,000 is required over the next 2 years from children centres and nurseries budgets.

The proposal at present is that staff will be withdrawn from Banwell, Winscombe and Sandford children centre, which means the services offered by the local Children’s Centre team will be significantly reduced. We will attempt to provide an outreach service by remodelling the current services offered by the children centre building at Banwell. This will mean there will be a limited offer of children centre groups and activities delivered from within the community. Family Support work will still be offered to families in the local area.

The services in your area

Details of services

Banwell, Winscombe and Sandford
Children Centre, rear of car park, West Street, Banwell, Somerset, BS29 6DB

Banwell, Winscombe & Sandford Children’s Centre is located within the Banwell Youth & Community Centre which was refurbished in 2010 and is leased from Banwell Parish Council. There is a small dedicated car park on site, but this is supplemented by parking within the adjacent public car park.

Next closest services

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Banwell, Winscombe and Sandford Children Centre’s current opening hours

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Activities offered

Banwell, Winscombe & Sandford Children's Centre aims to be a welcoming place for families with young children, where families are supported and children encouraged to reach their full potential. The centre regularly produces a What's On leaflet which is widely available including via the recently updated Family Information Service web site.

| Children's Centre | • Tiger Tots Childminding Network  
|                   | • Forest school  
|                   | • Child Health Review Clinic  
|                   | • Postnatal checks and advice from midwife  
|                   | • Little Stars – a rolling programme of information and breastfeeding support for parents/carers with children up to 1 year old.  
|                   | • Baby massage  
|                   | • Breast-feeding support Weston |

Usage figures

| Children's Centre Based on January-December 2017 figures | Number of under 5s within reach area: 358  
|                                                          | Carers seen at by volume: 634 - Number of visits by carers (may include more than one visit by carer)  
|                                                          | Total number of individual carers that accessed the service : 122 - Number of unique visitors who are carers |

Public transport nearby

The children centre is located within easy walking distance of a bus route and the village is served by service numbers A2 and 126. The nearest railway stations are at Worle Parkway or Yatton.
What do you think about the Children Centre and Nurseries review proposal for Banwell, Winscombe and Sandford Children Centre?

This questionnaire is available online on the North Somerset council web site:
www.n-somerset.gov.uk/bwsconsult.

Q1.
Are you ....?

Giving the official response of an organisation? Tick here

Or

Responding as an individual? Tick here

Q2.
What is your home postcode?
(This is the only thing we ask about you. It so we can see where people taking part in this consultation come from)

Q3.
Do you think the proposal for Banwell, Winscombe and Sandford Children Centre would impact on you or your family? If so, how?

Q4.
We want to make sure that you are not disadvantaged by the proposals because of your age, gender, disability ethnicity, or other ‘protected characteristic’ (as defined the Equality Act 2010) Please let us know if there is anything you think we should include in the proposals to ensure that you are not disadvantaged because of any 'protected characteristic'. Also consider any aspect of your identity that is relevant, for instance being a carer.

Do you have any other comments or suggestions about our proposals?

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Thank you for taking part in this consultation, please return it to your nearest children centre before 23rd April – many thanks

Banwell, Winscombe and Sandford Children Centre, West Street, Banwell, BS29 6DB

Locking Castle and Locking Children Centre, The Campus, Highlands Lane, Worle, Weston-super-Mare, BS247DX

Worle Library and Children Centre, Mendip Avenue, Weston-super-Mare, BS22 6HN

Castle Batch Children Centre, Bishop Avenue, Worle, Weston-super-Mare, BS22 7PQ

Ashcombe Children Centre, Stepping Stone Walk, Weston-super-Mare, BS23 3NA

Oldmixon Family Centre, Monkton Avenue, Weston-super-Mare, BS24 9DA

The For All Healthy Living Centre, Lonsdale Avenue, Weston-super-Mare, BS23 3SJ

Weston Central Children Centre, 81-83 Meadow Street, Weston-super-Mare, BS23 1QL

Yeo Valley and Rural Outreach Children Centre, C/O St Andrew’s Primary School, Station Road, Congresbury, Bristol, BS49 5DX

Yatton Library and Children Centre, High Street, Yatton, Bristol, BS49 4HJ

Clevedon Children Centre, The Barn, Great Weston Road, Clevedon, BS21 6HB

Portishead Children Centre, St Barnabas Centre, West Hill, Portishead, Bristol, BS20 6LN

Pill Library and Children Centre, Crockerne House, Underbanks, Pill, Bristol, BS20 0AT

Long Ashton Children Centre, Hollis Close, Long Ashton, Bristol, BS41 9AZ