

# Greenbrae School Extension and Refurbishment

## Newsletter

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Planning Application Elevations

#### Welcome

It has been a very busy few months since we issued the last newsletter. During this period we have been in detailed discussions with the Design Team to develop and finalise the new school layout and design.



#### Work done to date

To date, detailed discussions have taken place between Education and Children's Services, the school and the Parent Council. The feedback from these discussions has played a key role in finalising the new school layout and character, and has allowed the detailed design to commence. The subsequent "Roadshows" held last month at the parents' evenings were a great success. The proposed plans and elevations received very positive feedback from both parents and pupils for their design.

The Design Team continues to work together and with other outside organisations such as the Care Inspectorate to complete the design and prepare the tender package. The Design Team has also completed the first stage of the tender process and following the review of pre-qualification questionnaires, 6 building contractors have been short listed for the invitation to tender stage.

Finally we are pleased to confirm the Planning Application has been submitted and validated and can be viewed and monitored online at <a href="https://www.aberdeencity.gov.uk">www.aberdeencity.gov.uk</a>.

### Key activities in the next two months

The billing process will be completed and the tender documents issued to the short listed building contractors to start the next phase of the tender process and the design team will continue preparing documentation and drawings in preparation for the building phase starting in late autumn.

After the summer holidays, we will be out to visit the school and provide staff and the Parent Council with an update on the next stage of the project.

We hope all the pupils and staff at Greenbrae School enjoy the summer break!

## Thank you for your patience whilst work to design your new school is carried out

We will endeavour to keep any disruption to a minimum and ensure that regular updates are issued to keep you informed of progress. If you have any questions, please email clcowan@aberdeencity.gov.uk

