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To: The Chair and Members of the  
Standing Advisory Council on  
Religious Education

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## **STANDING ADVISORY COUNCIL ON RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

Tuesday, 19th November, 2019

A meeting of the Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education is to be held on the above date at 10.00 am in the Committee Suite - County Hall to consider the following matters.

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## **A G E N D A**

### **PART I - OPEN COMMITTEE**

- 1 Apologies for Absence
- 2 Minutes  
Minutes of the meeting held on 14 June 2019 (previously circulated).
- 3 Items Requiring Urgent Attention  
Items which in the opinion of the Chair should be considered at the meeting as matters of urgency.
- 4 Devon SACRE Membership: Update  
Ed Pawson to report
- 5 Agreed Syllabus Update  
Ed Pawson to report
- 6 Raising the Profile of RE, Collective Worship and SACRE in Devon  
Ed Pawson to report

- 7        Exam feedback and Schools Monitoring  
Ed Pawson to report
- 8        Reviewing Guidance on Collective Worship  
Ed Pawson to report
- 9        Learn Teach Lead RE Updates  
Tatiana Wilson to report
- 10       National Developments: Ofsted and RE  
Tatiana Wilson to report
- 11       Interfaith Week and Holocaust Memorial Day Planning (Pages 1 - 6)  
Jeremy Roberts and Ed Pawson to report (documents attached).
- 12       Future SACRE Meetings  
Thursday, 13th February 2020 and Thursday, 25th June 2020  
  
SW SACRE conference 2nd March 2020

**PART II - ITEMS WHICH MAY BE TAKEN IN THE ABSENCE OF PRESS AND  
PUBLIC ON THE GROUNDS THAT EXEMPT INFORMATION MAY BE DISCLOSED**  
Nil

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**MEMBERS ARE REQUESTED TO SIGN THE ATTENDANCE REGISTER**

Membership	
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Members are reminded that Substitutes are permitted</i></p> <p><b>Group A: Christian and Other Religion and Belief Communities, with the exception of the Church of England</b></p> <p>W Becher (Quaker Representative)  K Denby (Devon Humanists Representative)  R Halsey (Jewish Representative)  H Hastie (Baha'i Representative)  M Hext (Methodist Representative)  G Kang (Sikh Representative)  B Lane (United Reformed Church Representative)  M Miller (Pagan Representative)  R Nathwani (Hindu Representative)  J Taylorson (Buddhist Representative)  Vacancy (Roman Catholic Representative)  Vacancy (Baptist Representative)  Vacancy (Muslim Representative)</p>	
<p><b>Group B: The Church of England</b></p> <p>S Gill  C Hulbert  R Ingrouille  J Roberts (Chair)  B Twiggs  T Wilson</p>	
<p><b>Group C Teachers' Associations</b></p> <p>L Clay  R Flanagan  J Gooddy  P Hammett  W Harrison  E Mihas  P Randall  S Shute</p> <p><b>Group D Devon County Council</b></p> <p>Councillor C Channon  Councillor I Chubb  Councillor P Colthorpe  Councillor G Hook  Councillor G Sheldon  Councillor M Squires</p> <p><b>Co-opted Members</b></p> <p>R Khreisheh  R Northcott  P Rouvas  S Spence  G Teece</p> <p><b>Adviser:</b> E Pawson</p>	

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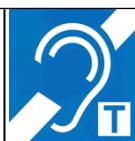
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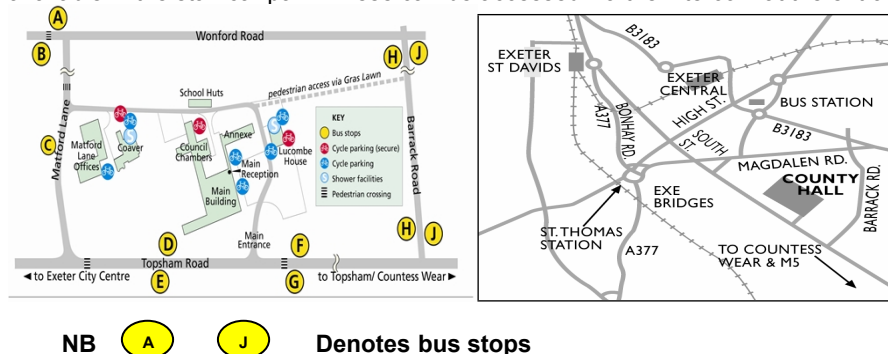
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## Events for Holocaust Memorial Day Exeter 2020

### Monday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2020

Place	Times	Details	Age
Cathedral	10.00 - 10.35am	<b>Opening ceremony:</b> Lord Mayor of Exeter, Chairman of DCC, Deputy Lord Lieutenant, Dean of Exeter Cathedral, Chair of Devon SACRE, Student Ambassadors, Primary school choirs	Any
Guildhall	10.00am - 3.30pm	<b>Free Exhibition on the Holocaust and other genocides</b>	Y5+
Synagogue	10.00am-12.00	<b>Synagogue tour:</b> 30 minute guided visits (Stewart Raine)	Y5+
Southernhay URC	10.45-11.35am	<b>Talk: stories from the liberation of Bergen-Belsen Concentration camp</b> (Cathie Bowness)	Y5+
	10.45-11.35am	<b>Talk and activity: Whoever saves a single life, the story of an Albanian (Muslim) family rescuing Jews</b> (Jeremy Roberts /Ed Pawson)	Y8+
	11.45-12.30pm	<b>Film and talk: Showings of 'Porajmos', the Nazi genocide of the Gypsy, Roma and Sinti peoples</b> (Liz Small)	Y8+
	12.45 - 1.30pm	<b>Talk: a Kindertransport Child, the story of Otto Deutsch</b> (Stewart Raine)	Y5+
	1.45-2.30pm	<b>Talk: Russia and the Holocaust</b> (Issy Sawkins)	Y8+
		<b>Human rights trail:</b> a guided, reflective walk in central Exeter	Y5+
Guildhall	3.30 - 3.45pm	<b>Closing ceremony,</b> Moments of Reflection & Candle Lighting led by the Jewish Community	Y5+

### Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2020

Southernhay URC	7.30-8.45pm	<b>Speaking across the divide:</b> 'The Nazis tried to kill kindness. We fight against that'. Noemie Lopian (the daughter of Holocaust survivors) and Derek Neimann (the grandson of an SS Officer)
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All events are free and open to the public. For booking information, please contact [Ed Pawson](#) for details



# A Holocaust Memorial Day Event Exeter 2020

## Speaking Across The Divide

‘The Nazis tried to kill kindness. We fight against that.’



HOLOCAUST  
MEMORIAL  
DAY 27/1

- Noemie Lopian and Derek Niemann
- Southernhay URC, Exeter
- 7.30pm Wed 29<sup>th</sup> Jan 2020
- Free event

- **Dr Noemie Lopian**  
the daughter of  
Holocaust survivors
- **Derek Niemann**  
the grandson of an  
SS officer



Through this extraordinary partnership, Neomie and Derek share their stories as a warning of the perils of extremism and to inspire greater understanding of people we might consider to be ‘other’.

