

Building the Future

May 29th 2017, Smock Alley Theatre, Exchange Street Dublin 8.

11:30am Registration

12.00pm Opening session

Welcome by Pat Bergin, Oberstown Director.

Presentation by Prof Ursula Kilkelly, Chair Board of Management, 'Building the Future, The story so far'.

12:30pm Panel 1: Providing the best possible care for young people

Chair: Dr Niall Muldoon, Ombudsman for Children.

Speakers: Margaret O'Rourke, Clinical Psychologist, 'What's it all about at Oberstown?'

Lena Timoney, Deputy Director, 'CEHOP Framework.'

John Smith, Oberstown Activities Co-ordinator, 'Activities and Engagement'.

Questions for panel

13.00pm Light refreshments

13:15pm Panel 2: Developing a motivated, cohesive work force

Chair: Mr Colm Barclay, former Governor Irish Prison Service.

Speakers: Ray Murray, Oberstown Health and Safety Officer, 'Creating a Safe Environment'.

Clare Coyle and Paul McGuinness, Oberstown staff, 'Campus Peer Support Programme'.

Claire Casey, Restorative Practices Programme Coordinator, Childhood Development Initiative (CDI), Tallaght West, 'Implementing Restorative Practice'.

Questions for panel

2pm-3pm Concluding session

Director of Oberstown, Pat Bergin, 'Building the Future, Next Steps.'

Minister for Children and Youth Affairs, Dr Katherine Zappone, Closing Remarks.