11 NATIONAL VOLUNTEERS WEEK 1ST TO 7TH JUNE 2004 (AN199-2004)

The Committee is asked to note that National Volunteers Week will take place from Tuesday, 1st June to Monday, 7th June, 2004.

The theme for the week this year is "20:20 Vision". The emphasis is on the sustainability of volunteering and encouraging young people to volunteer.

A Volunteer Recruitment Fair will be held on Wednesday, 2nd June, 11 am to 6 pm in Meadowside St Paul's Church halls.

A Young Volunteer Photographic competition will also be held and options are being identified for high profile volunteering during the week.

Departmental staff are working closely with staff from the Volunteer Centre and will be collaborating on the production of a "What's On" Guide to be available during May.