

COUNCIL 13 JANUARY 2022

CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

Chairman's Visits and Functions Attended

1. A list of functions attended by the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of Council since the last meeting is attached.

Queen's New Year's Honours List

2. The Chairman was delighted to hear of Worcestershire residents being recognised in HM The Queen's New Years' Honours List for 2021.

Patricia Ann Court BEM

3. Patricia Court from Worcester has received a British Empire Medal (BEM) for services to the community in Staffordshire.

Zulkifl Ahmed MBE

- 4. Zulkifl Ahmed has been awarded an MBE for services to education and to young people.
- 5. Among his many achievements, Mr Ahmed led Sandwell's Statutory SEND Services through the period of a Written Statement of Action (WSoA) to an exceptional 100% resolution of serious weaknesses in just two years.
- 6. Zulkifl formerly worked as a Special Educational Needs and Disability Group Manager for Worcestershire County Council and played a significant part in the improving programme, as good progress is made in addressing the WSoA targets.

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