

****Please see Agenda for the Pre-Committee Meeting
Induction Session which commences at 9:15am**

SCRUTINY COMMITTEE FOR CHILDREN'S SERVICES

MONDAY 13 JULY 2009 at 11.00 am

COUNCIL CHAMBER, COUNTY HALL, LEWES

MEMBERSHIP - Councillor Ensor (Chairman)
Councillors Field, Gadd, Kenward, Ost, St Pierre, Waite, Webb
and Whetstone

Mr A Campbell OBE (RC Diocese)
Mr J Taylor (C of E Diocese)
Mr S Gregory (Parent Governor)
Mrs N Parker (Parent Governor)

Councillor Silverson (District / Borough representative)
Mrs Carole Shaves MBE (Police Authority representative)
Jeremy Alford (Health representative)

AGENDA

1. Minutes of meeting held on 9 March 2009 (page 1)
2. Apologies for absence
3. Disclosure by all Members present of personal interests in matters on the agenda, the nature of any interest and whether the member regards the interest as prejudicial under the terms of the Code of Conduct.
4. Notification of matters which the Chairman considers to be urgent and proposes to take at the end of the agenda. Any members who wish to raise urgent items are asked, where ever possible, to notify the Chairman before the start of the meeting. In doing so, they must state the special circumstances which they consider justify the matter being considered urgent.
5. Aiming High for Disabled Children - Implementation of Commissioning Plan – report by Director of Children's Services (page 5)
6. Children's Services Equality Strategy – report by the Director of Children's Services (page 73)
7. School Improvement Service (SIS) Transition - report by Director of Children's Services (page 75)
8. Scrutiny Review of Governing Body Clerks – report by Chair of the Review Board (page 89)
9. Scrutiny and Performance Management – report by the Director of Law and Personnel and the Director of Policy and Communications (page 113)

10. Scrutiny Work Programme
 - At a Glance work programme (page 131)
 - Progress Review (page 137)
11. The Forward Plan for the period 1 July 2009 to 31 October 2009. The Committee is asked to make comments on the Plan or request further information. Page 143.
12. Any urgent items previously notified under agenda item 4

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