

## **SCRUTINY COMMITTEE FOR CHILDREN'S SERVICES**

**MONDAY 21 SEPTEMBER 2009 at 10.00 am**

**COUNCIL CHAMBER, COUNTY HALL, LEWES**

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

Mr M Wilson (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 13 July 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. Children and Young People's Trust - Presentation
6. Annual Report of Local Safeguarding Children Board – report by the Director of Children's Services (page 7)
7. Safeguarding Children – Member and Senior Management Oversight of Services - report by Director of Children's Services (page 75)
8. Reconciling Policy and Resources (RPR) – report by Director of Law and Personnel (page 77)
9. Children's Services Complaints Procedure Annual Report – report by Director of Children's Services (page 117)
10. School Surpluses and Deficits – report by Director of Children's Services (page 145)
11. Topics for Future Scrutiny Reviews – report by Director of Law and Personnel (page 149)

12. Scrutiny Committee Work Programme – report by the Director of Law and Personnel (page 153)
13. The Forward Plan for the period 1 September to 31 December 2009. The Committee is asked to make comments on the Plan or request further information. Page 157.
14. Any urgent items previously notified under agenda item 4

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