

## **CORPORATE PARENTING PANEL**

### **MEETING, FRIDAY 24 JULY 2009**

#### **10.00am, COMMITTEE ROOM, COUNTY HALL, LEWES**

**MEMBERSHIP** Councillors Gadd, Hughes, Livings, O’Keeffe, Ost, St Pierre, and Waite.

### **A G E N D A**

1. Election of Chairman
2. Minutes of last meeting held on 24 April 2009 (page 1)
3. Apologies for Absence.
4. 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.
5. Notification of items which the Chairman considers to be urgent and proposes to take at the end of the appropriate part of the agenda. Any members who wish to raise urgent items are asked, wherever possible, to notify the Chairman before the start of the meeting. In so doing, they must state the special circumstances which they consider justify the matter being considered urgently.
6. Children in Care Council  
*Members of the Children in Care Council are invited to put questions to the Panel.*
7. Draft Annual Report of the Corporate Parenting Panel – report by the Director of Children’s Services (page 5)
8. Looked After Children (LAC) Statistics – report by the Director of Children’s Services (page 15)
9. Any other non-exempt items considered urgent by the Chairman

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10. To consider excluding the public and press from the meeting for the remaining business on the grounds that if the public and press were present there would be disclosure to them of exempt information as specified in Category 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended), namely information relating to any individual.
11. Young people aged 19 years leaving care – report by the Director of Children’s Services (page 17)
12. Ofsted Inspection reports for the following (attached in Bundle1):
  - (i) Homefield Cottage – page 25
  - (ii) Lansdowne Secure Unit – page 41
  - (iii) The Bungalow, Sorrel Drive – page 63
13. Children’s Home Regulations 1991, Regulation 33: Inspection reports for March 2009, April 2009 and May 2009 for the following children’s homes (attached as Bundle 2 and Bundle 3)
  - (i) Broderick House – page 75
  - (ii) Acorns at Dorset Road – page 97
  - (iii) Hazel Lodge – page 127
  - (iv) Homefield Cottage – page 155
  - (v) Lansdowne Secure Unit – page 183
  - (vi) Rose Cottage – page 209
  - (vii) The Bungalow, Sorrel Drive – page 235
14. Any other exempt items considered urgent by the Chairman

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