

CORPORATE PARENTING PANEL

Thursday, 19 July, 2018

10.00 am

Darent Room - Sessions House





AGENDA

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Ask for: **Theresa Grayell**

Telephone **03000 416172**

Tea/Coffee will be available 15 minutes before the meeting

Membership

Mrs A D Allen, MBE (Chairman), Mrs T Dean, MBE (Vice-Chairman), Mrs T Carpenter, Mr G Cooke, Mr T Doran, Ms S Dunn, Ms S Dunstan, Mr D Farrell, Ms L Fisher, Mrs L Game, Mrs S Gent, Mr R Graves, Mr S Gray, Mr S Griffiths, Ms S Hamilton, Mrs S Hammond, Mr A Heather, Mr G Lymer, Ms C Mutton, Mr M J Northey, Mrs S Prendergast, Ms N Sayer, Ms C Smith and Ms S Vaux

UNRESTRICTED ITEMS

(During these items the meeting is likely to be open to the public)

The Chairman will assume that all Members will read the reports before attending the meeting. Officers are asked to assume the same when introducing reports.

The Chairman will open the meeting. The first item of business may be a motion to exclude the press and public for item 1, as set out below.

MOTION TO EXCLUDE PRESS AND PUBLIC FOR EXEMPT BUSINESS

That, under Section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraphs 1 and 2 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act.

EXEMPT ITEMS

- 1 The views of Young People in Care (to be confirmed)

When the agenda for this meeting was being published, it was unclear whether or not a party of young people would be available to attend the start of the meeting to speak to the Panel about their experiences of being in care. If such a visit proves possible, the first part of the meeting will be closed to the public.

If any change of circumstances is known before the date of the meeting, a revised agenda will be published.

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(During these items the meeting is likely to be open the public)

- 2 Apologies and substitutes
- 3 Minutes of the meeting of the Panel held on 1 June 2018 (Pages 5 - 18)
- 4 Chairman's Announcements
- 5 Verbal Update from Our Children and Young People's Council (OCYPC)
- 6 Challenge Card update - Lifelong Links (Pages 19 - 22)
- 7 Verbal Update by Cabinet Member (Pages 23 - 24)
- 8 Performance Scorecard for Children in Care (Pages 25 - 34)
- 9 The National Fostering Stocktake - Foster Care in England: a review for the Department for Education by Sir Martin Narey and Mark Owers - February 2018, and the County Council's Fostering Service Business Plan, 2018 - 2019 (Pages 35 - 62)
- 10 Report on the types of accommodation for Children in Care and Care Leavers (Pages 63 - 70)

EXEMPT ITEMS

(At the time of preparing the agenda, the only potential exempt item was item 1. During any such items which may arise the meeting is likely NOT to be open to the public)

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Wednesday, 11 July 2018

Please note that any background documents referred to in the accompanying papers maybe inspected by arrangement with the officer responsible for preparing the relevant report.