# **Corporate Parenting Panel**

# **14 December 2015**

# Agenda

A meeting of the Corporate Parenting Panel will be held on **14 December 2015 at 10.00** a.m. in Committee Room 3, Shire Hall, Warwick

#### 1. General

(1) Apologies for Absence

#### (2) Disclosures of Pecuniary and Non-Pecuniary Interests

Members are required to register their disclosable pecuniary interests within 28 days of their election of appointment to the Council. A member attending a meeting where a matter arises in which s/he has a disclosable pecuniary interest must (unless s/he has a dispensation):

- Declare the interest if s/he has not already registered it
- Not participate in any discussion or vote
- Must leave the meeting room until the matter has been dealt with
- Give written notice of any unregistered interest to the Monitoring Officer within 28 days of the meeting

Non-pecuniary interests must still be declared in accordance with the new Code of Conduct. These should be declared at the commencement of the meeting.

# (3) Minutes of the meeting held on 26 October 2015

#### 2. Update on Children in Care Council (CiCC) and Corporate Parenting Development Group

To consider the minutes of the Children in Care Council meeting which was held on 3 November 2015. There has not been a meeting of the Corporate Parenting Development Group since the last meeting of the Corporate Parenting Panel and so there are no minutes to consider on this occasion. The Panel will also receive a verbal update from Shinderpaul Bhangal, Children's Social Care.

#### Rota for future CiCC meetings:

8 December 2015 (Cllr Jenny St.John) 12 January 2016 (Cllr Dave Parsons)



# 3. Improvement Plan for Looked After Children

Shinderpaul Bhangal will present an update to the Improvement Plan for Looked After Children.

# 4. Update from Strategic Lead and Performance Set

Brenda Vincent, Service Manager (Safeguarding) will give a verbal update on current issues/challenges and present the performance dataset.

# 5. Leaving Care

The Panel will receive a report from Jo Davies, Operations Manager (Safeguarding) around children leaving the care system.

# 6. Missing Children

Anita Gurry (Service Manager, Safeguarding) will present this report which comments on how Warwickshire manages missing children who are Looked After Children.

# 7. Annual Report for the IRO Service

Mary Eccleston (Children's Reviewing Manager) will present this report which will provide the Panel with the Annual Report for the IRO Service.

# 8. Work Programme 2015/16

Members of the Panel are asked to agree the proposed work programme and to consider possible themes for future meetings.

# 9. Any other Business

# 10. Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Corporate Parenting Panel has been scheduled for 15 February 2016, commencing 10.00 a.m. in Committee Room 3, Shire Hall, Warwick.

# Future meeting dates:

15 February 2016 10.00 am

CR3, Shire Hall



11 April 2016 10.00 am

CR3, Shire Hall

# **Corporate Parenting Panel Membership**

**Councillors:** Peter Fowler, Dave Parsons, Clive Rickhards, Dave Shilton, Jenny St John, Chris Williams (Chair).

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