

Kent Foster Care Association



Newsletter

Project 2011 – Transition to Independence

We continue to progress with investigating issues related to LAC progressing to independence. Besides talks with foster carers in each of the four areas and attending a conference in London on Support Lodging and Staying Put; we have met with Catch22, Connections, and LAC Nurses. We are attending KCC Corporate Parenting meetings and looking at legislative changes that will impact on this area in the future including government driven pilot schemes on Staying Put.

We will bring this together at the Transition to Independence Conference which will be held in Lenham on **18 January 2012**. Invites will be issued closer to the date.

KFCA Christmas Extravaganza

A date for your diary: **Saturday 26 November 2011** at Lenham, the KFCA is hosting a Christmas Extravaganza and disco for KCC foster families and friends. *Entrance is free* but it will be necessary to book your place to enable us to manage numbers for catering and visits to Santa. Invites and further details will be issued soon.

From 6pm until 8pm we will cater for the younger members of the family (and the young at heart) with Santa's Grotto; party games, children's entertainer, Christmas Raffle with extras including a Tombola, guess the weight of the Christmas cake and how many chocolate coins in the jar; face painting, etc.

From 8pm to 10:30 there will be a disco with a live band and a DJ.

There will be refreshments on hand including hot dogs, burgers, and mince pies.

Update your diary now!

Other News

As a refresher to all those we have met at the KCC New Carer Induction sessions we would like to remind you about our website and forum:- www.kfca.org.uk for the latest KFCA news, projects and helpful links. You can also send us your comments, views or to 'get involved' via the contacts page.