

CLIENTS NAME:

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1.12.82	Phone calls to Langlands and Redheugh. I phoned to set up Christina going to Redheugh. When this was completed however, Mr Ingram phoned to say that Christina could not go until we know from Redheugh what their proposals were. I then had to phone back to Redheugh and Langlands to say that plans had been altered. Mr Edmonds (Headmaster) was furious. Christina had already been told. He said he would write to Mr Moxley (Director) and also to Mr Ingram giving his views. ET
2.12.82	Phone call from Langlands Park. They wondered if Christina could come to Dundee instead that weekend. I contacted Mr Ingram who had no objections. I also contacted Ryhill and they were prepared to have her. The weekend was subsequently arranged. Mr Edmonds (Headmaster) had written the letters to Mr Moxley and Mr Ingram. Later I received a phone call from Ann Street wondering about the possibility of Sarah's time being changed for Play Therapy. Rosebank School were also concerned and Mr Johnston (Headmaster) wanted to know more of the details. I explained the situation to Ann Street and I also contacted Mr Johnston at Rosebank school. A meeting with Dr Morton and Miss Sherrat (Therapist) had been arranged for 10 December and I could inform them of the outcome then. ET
6.12.82	
7.12.82	Phone call to Langland's Park. Ann Mill had apparently phoned in saying that Christina had been ill. Langlands Park had agreed that she should stay over-night. Mr Edmonds, like myself know that Christina being ill was an excuse. In fact Christina admitted later on that this was so. However, He was happy she remained there overnight as he was worried at her travelling in the dark since she could be attacked. I phoned Ann Mill to say that Christina should come up to my office that morning. She duly did and along with Miss Buttars (SW, Kirkton), I took her to the station. She caught the 12.15 pm train and duly returned to Langlands. ET
10.12.82	Visit to Ninewells Hospital I spoke to Dr Morton and Miss Sherret both felt that Sarah should continue with her Play Therapy as there was a lot of work still to be done. They were willing however to change the time so that she will not miss a whole morning's schooling. Sarah it was agreed, would come at 9.15 am and this would mean she would be back at Rosebank by 11.00 am.. We discussed Sarah's background and future plans. Dr Morton will be attending the next review meeting and Miss Sherret would confirm that week if it were possible for Sarah to come at 9.15 am every Thursday, starting from January 1983. ET
13.12.82	Letter received from Redheugh outlining their proposals for Christina. I also called to see Mr Johnston (Head Teacher, Rosebank School) concerning Sarah

Jonesz He was happy about the change of time for the May Therapy. Apparently Sarah is coming on very well at school and is no longer giving cause for concern about her ability to cope.

Afterwards, I called to see Andrew and Sarah at Ann Street. One difficulty that will arise for a change of time for Sarah's Play Therapy is that there will be no staff member available to take Sarah to Ninewells as they will be involved in getting the other children ready for school. It was suggested that a family helper would be used.

I had a long talk with Andrew about his forthcoming panel on 17 December. The recommendations will be; he continue at Ann Street. We discussed the assuming of parental rights. Andrew was quite happy discussing this. His main worry is contact with home. Andrew would like an overnight stay, especially at Christmas. He is well aware that we would not want to discourage contact with his mother.

16.12.82 Phone call to Langlands Park.

Mr Edmonds (Headmaster) had been in touch concerning leave at Christmas for Christina. It was felt that she should have Christmas and New Year at Langlands but she could go home for a few days between Tuesday 28 and Thursday 30 December. Mr Ingram (Area Controller) agreed to this. ET

17.12.82 Children's Hearing

The children's Hearing agreed to continue Andrew's 44(1)(b) supervision order at Ann Street. The panel went well and everyone was quite happy at the outcome. Andrew has asked to stay overnight at Christmas but circumstances will not make this possible since we would need to get medical permission for this.

I called later at Ann Street and it was agreed that Andrew and Sarah would be going home on Christmas Day and Boxing Day. They will be able to get the bus there and back. ET

22.12.82 Home visit - Ann Mill.

I called to see Ann to let her know what was happening at Christmas and New Year. She was happy with arrangements especially over Christina coming home. ET

23.12.82 Home visit - Ann Street

I spoke to Sarah mainly. While I was there Andrew, who had been outside came in with a badly cut wrist. He was rushed up to DRI to accident and emergency. Sarah seemed unperturbed by the whole thing and did not even get upset. ET+

29.12.82 Home visit - Ann Mill

I called to see Ann Mill and Christina. Things appeared to be going well. Christina was helping to make the tea and seemed to be doing her _____ chore. Christina tried pointed to ignore me but eventually she condescended to speak mainly about when she would be getting weekends. I made it plain that I expected her to return on the Thursday, 30 December, as arranged. ET

30.12.82 Home visit Ann Street

I called to see Andrew and Sarah. Andrew came out but Sarah was there watching a video recording of the film Grease. Miss McLennan (Family Helper) came down as well because she would now be taking Sarah to her Play Therapy sessions at Ninewells. Sarah was introduced to her. She was very polite but wanted to get back to see Grease.

I also contacted Ann Mill in the afternoon. Christina had not gone back. Their excuse was that Ann Mill was not well. ET

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visit. Mrs. Warwick, O.I.C. was on duty and after a brief discussion she agreed Christina could come back, but not for another three weeks. She felt that Christina had to be made aware that her behaviour on her last visit would not be tolerated. I relayed Mrs. Warwick's views to Langland's Park. Whatever we felt on the matter, there is no other place suitable for Christina in Dundee other than Ryehill and we cannot jeopardise this placement by trying to force their hand.

E.T.

4.11.82

Later I called to see Ann Mill. She had phoned up about her rent problems as she had received a notice threatening legal action. I had already phoned Housing at Kirkton concerning this and they had agreed to take no action. I suggested that Ann call at the Kirkton Housing to see Mr. Gaffney, who deals with Rent Arrears in order to get the matter sorted out. It would appear she is in arrears for a week more than she actually should be. We also discussed the possibility of Christina coming to Dundee in three week's time, she is happy with this arrangement. She ~~writes~~ does write to her daughter but Christina does not write back, but she is genuinely worried about Christina coming to live with her permanently.

E.T.

5.11.82

Letter and extract of Christina's Birth Certificate sent to Glasgow Police.

E.T.

9.11.82

Home Visit - Ann Street - Andrew and Sarah continue to do well. Sarah I noticed could cope with her new room-mate who is a very disturbed little girl and makes a lot of demands. She showed me the certificate she got for her fancy dress at the party the previous week. Andrew was wondering about the possibility of going home to his mother during the week. I agreed to talk to Ann Street staff and also my senior about it. Mrs. Jenkins, OIC felt that a visit once a fortnight for tea would be a good idea.

E.T.

11.11.82

Letter from Dr. Morton, Child Psychiatry received, suggesting that he and Miss Sherrard come to the next interview on Sarah.

E.T.

15.11.82

Letter to Dr. Morton suggesting we have a meeting to discuss various points concerning Sarah and her family.

E.T.

16.11.82

Home Visit - Ann Mill - I had previously discussed with my senior the possibility of Andrew going home once a fortnight for his tea. We saw no objections. Ann Mill was delighted with the suggestion and it also gave Andrew something to do during the evening and also something to look forward to. We arranged for Andrew to come that Thursday for his tea straight from school and to return to Ann Street by 8.00p.m. Ann has also been to get her rent sorted out. With the Christmas free week having been brought forward, she had arranged to get her arrears down to £64.00. From the 22nd ~~she~~ her rent will be paid by D.H.S.S. direct to the Housing Department under the new Housing Benefit Bill but she will continue to pay her arrears at £1 per week.

Later I called at Ann Street - I spoke to Sarah first who was pleased to see me. We played with a word game that she had, where we made up sentences. Sarah was quite good at identifying words and making meaningful sentences. I then saw Andrew who was pleased about the chance to see his mother. His behaviour at Ann Street continues to be good and this is reflected in his school work which has improved. His attendance is also excellent. /

Mr. Ramsay, O.I.C. and I discussed Andrew's arrangements for Thursday the 18th November. We worked out the time Andrew would spend with his mother and everything was felt to be suitable.

E.T.

17.11.82

Cheque for £4.60 received from Procurator Fiscal's Office in Glasgow. E.T.

22.11.82

Phone call to Ryehill House - I called to find out how Christina's weekend went. According to Mrs. Warwick, O.I.C. everything went well and Christina had left on the 8.30a.m. bus.

E.T.

25.11.82

Phone call from Langland's Park - I had previously received correspondence from Langland's concerning the possibility of Christina having some weekend leave at Redheugh. They phoned up to find out if that weekend was suitable. I pointed out that even although Mrs. Masson, Deputy O.I.C. had spoken to my senior the previous day we had to discuss the matter with my Area Controller, and this would be difficult at such short notice. In any case we were having a Review of Christina on 1st December when we would be firming up our ideas as to future plans. We did not want to rule out Redheugh at this stage but we would prefer to consider this move first. It was agreed that I discuss the matter with my senior and contact them the following day.

E.T.

26.11.82

Phone call to Langland's Park - I reported that I had discussed the matter with my senior and we felt that this weekend would be too soon, until we had had the Review on 30th November. Mrs. Masson, Depute O.I.C. accepted this.

E.T.

30.11.82

Review on Christina Jones. (see minute of meeting)

Later I received a phone call from Mr Ingram. He indicated that he had no objections to Christina going following his conversation with Mr Edmonds. I explained the position regarding the past events.

ET

CLIENTS NAME: Sarah Ann JONES.

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30.8.82	Home Visit - Balgowan Place - Ann Mill gave me 50p for money owed to S.W.D. She has now paid everything. Christina had been on weekend leave at Ryehill. She was supposed to have gone back that morning but had not returned to Langlands until the afternoon. She had also borrowed some money from her mother for her train fare. I will be going on holiday for most of September and Ann Mill agreed to contact this office should the need arise.
	E. Titterington.
14.9.82	Copy of letter from Community Nurse to Dr. Prodham. Ann Mill's health is at a good level.
	E. Titterington
28.9.82	Copy of letter from Dr. Dick, Consultant Psychiatrist to Dr. Prodham. Currently he does not wish to review Ann Mill unless the Community Nurse wishes it.
	E. Titterington.
7.10.82	Phone call to Langlands Park - Christina had been at Ryehill the previous week. [REDACTED] Later I called at Ann Street Children's Home to see Andrew and Sarah but they were on a weeks holiday at Kingsbarns since it was the October holiday week.
	E. Titterington.
12-10-82	Case notes checked - Review held on 11-10-82 - see Recommendations of same. Y. Gura, A.C.E.
17/10/82	ADP Review, Ann Street. (See ADP. 15 provided by M. J. Gura) Afterwards I spoke with Ann Mill. I did not mention the issue of Parental Rights since I felt this should be discussed in my office, where there was more privacy. We discussed the difficulty Ann had over Christina the previous weekend. Although Ann coped well, she could not manage to cope if this was to be the regular pattern of events and we would have to look closely at any possible weekend for Christina at home with Mother. Langlands Park are worried that Ryehill will not have Christina back.
	E.T.
12.10.82	Memo from Carolyn Steer, Student S.W. - She had accompanied Sue Williams, S.W. when Christina had been returned to Langland's Park. Apparently she had received a letter from Christina claiming she had left jewellery at Burnside House.
	E.T.

18.10.82	<u>Office Visit</u> - I asked Ann to come into the office to discuss Parental Rights. Ann accepted the position that we were going to be assuming Parental Rights. I pointed out that it would still mean her seeing Andrew and Sarah as we felt contact was important. We were making a number of decisions which were almost akin to having parental rights since Ann was not in a position to cope with these decisions. Ann felt that she was not ready to cope with the children, and her main worry was that her friends and relatives thought she was bad for not having her children out of care. I pointed out that any decision about parental rights were solely between herself, her children and our Department. I was surprised at the way she accepted this. I was not optimistic that she would accept the decision readily. I did advise her that if she had further qualms then she should raise the matter with her solicitor especially at the appropriate moment. E.T.
19.10.82	<u>Home Visit - Ann Street</u> - I called to see Andrew and Sarah who are both doing well. Sarah is very settled. She has a new room mate, but this has not worried her. We discuss very little of importance since Sarah cannot discuss serious matters easily. I had a long talk with Andrew about parental rights. I explained our intentions and Andrew was not against this provided we did not break up his contact with his mother. E.T.
25.10.82	<u>Visit to Redheugh</u> - My purpose in visiting was to attend a Review on Christina (See minute on Reveiw) There was a lot unresolved about Christina especially as regards her future since it is very unlikely that her mother will be happy to have her home. I was not able to see Christina as she had absconded the previous day. She had been making threats about what she wanted to say at her review but in the end she must have decided that the ordeal was not to her liking. It is difficult to know what to plan for Christina's future, a lot of thought and discussion is necessary as well as speaking to Ann Mill about her views. E.T.
26.10.82	<u>Home Visit</u> - I had previously had a phone call from a Detective Constable Porteous, Stewart Street Police Station in Glasgow. He was wondering if we could get an extract of her birth certificate to help with his case [REDACTED] I called to see Ann Mill to get her consent in writing. Ann Mill gave her consent and I explained that the Glasgow police required it wfor a Court Case. We discussed Ann's view's on having Christina home after she leaves Langland's Park. Ann is apprehensive about this as she feels she could not cope with her. We would have to look at this closely and if Christina were to go home to ensure some way even by means of a written contact to ensure that Ann's health was not affected by any possible break down in relationships. E.T.
29.10.82	<u>Home Visit - Ann Street</u> - Saw Andrew and Sarah, both are doing well. They are looking forward to a fancy dress party on Monday night. Andrew is going as Count Dracula and Sarah as Cinderella. Sarah is full of make-believe ideas and stories which she tries to make out are true. It is difficult to say how much she thinks this is a game or how much she really believes as the truth. E.T.
4.11.82	<u>Visit to Ryehill</u> - I had been in contact previously with Ryehill regarding Christina coming back for weekends and the reason for calling was to discuss whether they would take her again after the problems she caused on her last/