**All - PArty Parliamentary group on SPORT AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITY IN THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM**

**Minutes Monday 28th June 2021**

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| **Present:**  Baroness Sater (AS)  Lord Addington  Lord McNally  Victoria Atkins MP | **Other guests:**  James Mapstone (Secretariat)  Imran Ali, Ellesmere Youth Project  Keith Fraser, Youth Justice Board  Jack Davies,  Kate Davies, NHS England & NHS Improvement  Justin Coleman, Alliance of Sport in Criminal Justice  Rudro Sen, Alliance of Sport in Criminal Justice  Mike Dale, Alliance of Sport in Criminal Justice  Pete Bell, Step Out Stay Out  Tom Andrews, Sport England  Jane Moodie, Active Lancashire  James Thomas, NOVUS  Wendy Limb, HM Prison and Probation Service  Andrew Clarke, HNS England & NHS Improvement  Sunny Dhadley, NHS England & NHS Improvement  Gary Palmer, London Sport  John Linford, English Football League Trust  Robert Ryan  Jackie Roberts, Public Health England  Ella Hawkins, Home Office  Stuart Felce, StreetGames  Joe Thompson, London Marathon Charitable Trust  Becca Gallagher, Yorkshire Sport  George Barrow, Ministry of Justice  Dan Wilson, Yorkshire Sport  Caroline Ryan-Phillips, Newport YOS, Children’s Services  Caleb Jackson, Youth Endowment Fund  Shahinoor Alom,  Elliott Banks  Gareth Mosely, Newport YOS |

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| **Item** | **Description** |
| 1 | **Welcome and apologies**  AS opened the meeting and noted the apologies. |
| 2 | **Notes of previous meeting**  AS mentioned that a link to the previous minutes was attached to the agenda. |
| 3 | **Keynote speech**  AS welcomed our keynote speaker Victoria Atkins MP, Minister for Safeguarding.  The Minister highlighted the new Youth Endowment Fund Toolkit as a platform to collate evidence of successful approaches in preventing serious youth violence.  The Minister also challenged the APPG to provide leadership and coordination to help build the evidence base which will prove sport’s positive impact on crime and violence. |
| 4 | **Presentation and Q&A with our guest speakers**  AS introduced our guest speakers:   * Keith Fraser, Chair of the Youth Justice Board (YJB) who presented the work of the YJB, its Child First approach and the Levelling the Playing Field project as a great exampled of coordinated evidence-gathering on the impact of sport and physical activity for ethnically diverse children who are more likely to enter, or who are already involved with the Youth Justice System. * Imran Ali, Youth Development Manager, Ellesmere Youth Project shared his experiences from being a participant to project leader and he expressed how short-term funding can be damaging because the young people who to come rely on support can be left bereft, dispirited and vulnerable once it is removed again. |
| 5 | **Next meeting**  AS confirmed the officers will meet in July and the next APPG meeting will take place after summer recess. The date will be confirmed and circulated.  More information about the meeting can be found in an article [here.](https://allianceofsport.org/news/victoria-atkins-appg-sport-crime-violence/) |