

Report to Policy & Resources Committee: Fees and Charges in Life Events

16th January 2014

Registration Services: benchmarking

A comparison of our current and proposed fees with those of our nearest neighbours:

(A blank box indicates that fees are not comparable e.g. they do not offer all of the same service or prices were not easily accessible. Fees and charges are correct at time of researching either on the relevant website or speaking to a member of staff.)

Service	What is charged for	Fee 2013/14	Proposed fee for 2014/15	West Sussex Count Council	East Sussex County Council	Hampshire County Council	Surrey County Council	Kent County Council
Marriages & civil partnerships: Register Office	Monday to Thursday	£49	£49	£49	£49	£49	£49	£49
Marriages & civil partnerships: Regency Room	Monday to Thursday	£97.50	£107.00	£388.00	£170.00	£234.00	£108.00	£308.00
	Friday	£179.00	£197.00	£424.00	£200.00	£294.00	£183.00	£308.00
	Saturday	£289.00	£318.00	£524.00	£260.00	£494.00	£243.00	£414.00
	Sunday and ordinary bank holidays	£416.00	£458.00	£594.00	£390.00	£534.00	£559.00	£520.00
	Special days	£496.50	£548.00	£594.00	£390.00	£534.00	£559.00	£520.00
Marriages & civil partnerships: at other approved venues	Monday to Thursday	£368.00	£405.00	£388.00	£400.00	£374.00	£368.00	£410.00
	Friday	£401.00	£441.00	£424.00	£410.00	£434.00	£408.00	£410.00
	Saturday	£416.00	£458.00	£524.00	£425.00	£494.00	£408.00	£557.00
	Sunday and ordinary bank holidays	£506.50	£557.00	£594.00	£490.00	£534.00	£478.00	£637.00
	Special days	£596.5	£656.00	£594.00	£490.00	£534.00	£478.00	£637.00
Nationality Checking Service	Adult	£61.50	£67.00	£60.00	£55.00	£60.00	£61.00	£65.00
	Child	£51.00	£56.00	£60.00	£30.00	£60.00	£30.00	£65.00
New Ceremony Room – The Fitzherbert Room	Monday – Thursday	£0	£90	£388.00	£170.00	£234.00	£108.00	£308.00
	Friday	£0	£102	£424.00	£200.00	£294.00	£183.00	£308.00
	Saturday	£0	£187	£524.00	£260.00	£494.00	£243.00	£414.00