

Belle Vue Community, Sport and Youth Centre

Kendal Road, Hartlepool, CLEVELAND, TS25 1QY

Inspection date	11/07/2013
Previous inspection date	16/02/2011

The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection:	Met
	Previous inspection:	Met

The quality and standards of the early years provision

The provision meets requirements

- Staff have a suitable understanding of how to keep children safe and secure. They have attended relevant training and are aware of procedures to follow if they have any concerns about a child in their care.
- The property is secure and well-maintained and risk assessments ensure that hazards to children are identified and minimised.
- Staff have a clear understanding of how to promote children's good health. They explain how they would teach children the importance of good hygiene through daily routines and provide regular opportunities for them to be physical and active.
- Staff attend a wide range of training to develop their knowledge and skills. This helps to promote continuous improvement. The environment is appropriately resourced with a suitable range of various toys and equipment.

Information about this inspection

Inspections of registered early years provision are:

- scheduled at least once in every inspection cycle – the current cycle ends on 31 July 2016
- scheduled more frequently where Ofsted identifies a need to do so, for example where provision was previously judged inadequate
- brought forward in the inspection cycle where Ofsted has received information that suggests the provision may not be meeting the legal requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage or where assessment of the provision identifies a need for early inspection
- prioritised where we have received information that the provision is not meeting the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage and which suggests children may not be safe
- scheduled at the completion of an investigation into failure to comply with the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage.

There were no children on roll when this inspection took place. The findings in this report are based on evidence gathered from discussions with those who care for the children and an inspection of the premises, equipment and relevant documentation. Where there are no children on roll, no judgement is made on the quality of the early years provision as there is no reliable evidence on which to assess its impact on children. The report states whether the provider continues to meet the requirements of registration.

The provision is also registered on the voluntary and compulsory parts of the Childcare Register. This report includes a judgment about compliance with the requirements of that register.

Inspection activities

- The inspector held discussions with the manager.
- The inspector looked at a range of documentation, including policies and procedures.
- The inspector observed the premises and play areas.

Inspector

Vivienne Dempsey

Full Report

Information about the setting

The out of school club operates from Belle Vue Community, Sport and Youth Centre Hartlepool, and is run by Hartlepool Children's Fund. Children have access to a variety of rooms within the centre. There are no outdoor play facilities, so children use the large halls or visit the local park for physical exercise. Children attend the group from the local area and are usually referred by other childcare professionals. The group are registered to care for a maximum of 16 children between the ages of birth and eight years.

Currently there are no children on roll in the early years age range. The setting is registered on the Early Years Register and on both the voluntary and compulsory parts of the Childcare Register. The setting also cares for children up to the age of 13. There are currently 48 children in this age group on roll. The group is open Monday to Friday from 5.15pm to 7pm, and also operates through the school holidays. Four staff work directly with the children, all of whom hold a recognised childcare qualification from National Vocational Qualification Level 2 through to degree level.

The Childcare Register

The requirements for the compulsory part of the Childcare Register are	Met
The requirements for the voluntary part of the Childcare Register are	Met

What inspection judgements mean

Registered early years provision

Grade	Judgement	Description
Grade 1	Outstanding	Outstanding provision is highly effective in meeting the needs of all children exceptionally well. This ensures that children are very well prepared for the next stage of their learning.
Grade 2	Good	Good provision is effective in delivering provision that meets the needs of all children well. This ensures children are ready for the next stage of their learning.
Grade 3	Satisfactory	Satisfactory provision is performing less well than expectations in one or more of the key areas. It requires improvement in order to be good.
Grade 4	Inadequate	Provision that is inadequate requires significant improvement and/or enforcement action. The provision is failing to give children an acceptable standard of early years education and/or is not meeting the safeguarding and welfare requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage. It will be inspected again within 12 months of the date of this inspection.
Met		The provision has no children on roll. The inspection judgement is that the provider continues to meet the requirements for registration.
Not met		The provision has no children on roll. The inspection judgement is that the provider does not meet the requirements for registration.

Inspection

This inspection was carried out by Ofsted under sections 49 and 50 of the Childcare Act 2006 on the quality and standards of provision that is registered on the Early Years Register. The registered person must ensure that this provision complies with the statutory framework for children's learning, development and care, known as the Early Years Foundation Stage.

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY345364
Local authority	Hartlepool
Inspection number	817623
Type of provision	
Registration category	Childcare - Non-Domestic
Age range of children	0 - 17
Total number of places	16
Number of children on roll	0
Name of provider	Belle Vue Community, Sport and Youth Centre Ltd
Date of previous inspection	16/02/2011
Telephone number	01429 221832

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Sessional provision operates for more than two hours but does not exceed three hours in any one day. These are usually known as pre-schools, kindergartens or nursery schools

and must deliver the Early Years Foundation Stage. They are registered on the Early Years Register and pay the lower fee for registration.

Childminders care for one or more children where individual children attend for a period of more than two hours in any one day. They operate from domestic premises, which are usually the childminder's own home. They are registered on the Early Years Register and must deliver the Early Years Foundation Stage.

Out of school provision may be sessional or full-time provision and is delivered before or after school and/or in the summer holidays. They are registered on the Early Years Register and must deliver the Early Years Foundation Stage. Where children receive their Early Years Foundation Stage in school these providers do not have to deliver the learning and development requirements in full but should complement the experiences children receive in school.

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