

St Phillips Family Club

St. Philip Neri & St. Bedes Primary School, Rosemary Street, MANSFIELD, Nottinghamshire, NG19 6AA

Inspection date	05/08/2014
Previous inspection date	14/09/2011

The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection:	Not Met
	Previous inspection:	2

The quality and standards of the early years provision

The provision does not meet requirements

- The provider does not understand the requirements of either the Early Years Register or the Childcare Register. This results in breaches of legal requirements.
- The premises are not secure enough to prevent intruders entering or children leaving unsupervised.
- Staff deployment is not always sufficiently monitored to ensure that half of all staff hold at least a level two qualification. This is a breach of requirements.
- The provider does not ensure the club is managed and organised efficiently in her absence. Many documents relating to the club are kept off the premises and are unavailable for inspection.
- The club demonstrates a suitable understanding of how to promote children's learning and development by using fun activities to complement what they have learnt in school.
- The deputy manager demonstrates that the club have devised appropriate behaviour management strategies and that staff have a suitable understanding of these.
- Staff have a sound understanding of their responsibility to safeguard children. They know what action to take if they have a concern about the welfare of a child in their care.

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 present 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 present, 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 discussed with the staff how they intend to safeguard children.
- The inspector discussed with the staff how they intend to deliver the educational programmes for children.
- The inspector looked at policies and documents that the club will use when caring for children.
- The inspector checked evidence of the suitability of adults working at the club.

Inspector

Sharon Alleary

Full report

Information about the setting

St Philips Family Club was registered in 2004 and registered again in 2011 under new ownership on the Early Years Register and both the compulsory and voluntary parts of the Childcare Register. It operates from a designated modular building on the site of St Philip Neri with St Bedes Catholic Primary School in Mansfield, north Nottinghamshire. Children are mainly cared for within the modular building but also have access to the hall and information and communication technology suite in the main school building. There are several outdoor play areas, which are fully enclosed and are accessible to children. Opening times are from 7.30am until 9am and 3.30pm to 6pm, Monday to Friday, term time only. It also operates during some school holiday periods, 8am to 6pm. It is closed during the Christmas holiday period. There are currently 95 children attending, of these six are in the early years age range. The club currently supports a number of children with special educational needs and/or disabilities and supports a number of children, who speak English as an additional language. The club employs eight staff, six of whom hold appropriate early years qualifications. At the time of the inspection, there were no children present, who were in the early years age group.

What the setting needs to do to improve further

To meet the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage the provider must:

- ensure that at least half of all staff working directly with the children hold at least a full and relevant level 2 qualification
- take all reasonable steps to prevent unauthorised persons from entering the premises and children leaving unsupervised, by ensuring that the entrance is secure at all times
- ensure all records are easily accessible and available for inspection, particularly documentation relating to staff supervision and appraisal.

The Childcare Register

The requirements for the compulsory part of the Childcare Register are

**Not Met
(with
actions)**

The requirements for the voluntary part of the Childcare Register are

**Not Met
(with
actions)**

To meet the requirements of the Childcare Register the provider must:

- ensure that at least half of all persons caring for children have successfully

completed a qualification at a minimum of level 2 in a relevant area of work (compulsory part of the Childcare Register)

- ensure that a child is unable to leave the premises without a person, who is caring for children on those premises becoming aware of the child leaving (compulsory part of the Childcare Register)
- ensure that no one can enter the premises without the knowledge of a person, who is caring for children on the premises (compulsory part of the Childcare Register)
- ensure that no one can enter the premises without the knowledge of a person, who is caring for children on the premises (voluntary part of the Childcare Register).

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	Requires improvement	The provision is not giving children a good standard of early years education and/or there are minor breaches of the safeguarding and welfare requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage. We re-inspect nurseries and pre-schools judged as requires improvement within 12 months of the date of inspection
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 monitored and inspected again within six months of the date of this inspection.
Met		There were no children present at the time of the inspection. The inspection judgement is that the provider continues to meet the requirements for registration.
Not met		There were no children present at the time of the inspection. 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	EY422896
Local authority	Nottinghamshire
Inspection number	984277
Type of provision	
Registration category	Childcare - Non-Domestic
Age range of children	0 - 17
Total number of places	27
Number of children on roll	95
Name of provider	Sherwood Childcare Options Ltd
Date of previous inspection	14/09/2011
Telephone number	07854245222

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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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