

Inspection date	25 March 2015
Previous inspection date	30 April 2012

The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection:	Met	
	Previous inspection:	Good	2
The setting meets legal requirements for early years settings			

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision meets requirements

- Staff provide a wide range of fun activities for children to enjoy after the long school day. Children have choice in what they do and can play inside or outside. They can relax and play quiet games or burn off some energy outside playing football or on the adventure playground.
- Staff and children create a welcoming and stimulating environment together. Staff cannot always access the club room before children arrive but they waste no time in setting up the room with many interesting activities as soon as they can so children are not waiting long.
- Older children's behaviour is very good and staff demonstrate they have a good understanding of how to manage younger children's behaviour in a positive way. Staff deal with any minor incidents of inappropriate behaviour well, encouraging kindness and friendship.
- Parents speak highly of the club and staff, saying they are listened to and valued. Staff demonstrate that they work well in partnership with parents and carers. There are good links with the teachers in school. Staff also work in the school and this offers continuity of care and learning for children attending the club.
- Children in the Early Years Foundation Stage are making good progress in their learning and development. This is evident through the assessment records that staff maintain. Photographic records depict children enjoy a wide range of activities, such as baking, arts and crafts, computer games and team games.
- Children's dietary health is promoted well as they enjoy healthy snacks while at the club.
- Staff are aware of the signs and symptoms of abuse and know the procedures to follow if they are concerned about a child in their care.
- The staff make an organised and efficient team. The owners of the club work closely with staff to ensure the club runs smoothly.
- Children are included in self-evaluation which gives them a sense of ownership of their club. Staff are clear on their priorities for improvement and good progress has been made since the last inspection. This demonstrates a good capacity for continuous improvement.

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.

Inspection activities

- The inspector observed activities in the club room and outside.
- The inspector held discussions with the manager, provider, staff member and children at appropriate times during the inspection.
- The inspector looked at a range of records including children's details, learning information, written policies and a selection of other documents.
- The inspector checked evidence of the suitability and qualifications of staff working with children.
- The inspector spoke to parents to take their views into consideration.

Inspector

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Setting details

Unique reference number	EY437384
Local authority	Lincolnshire
Inspection number	853838
Type of provision	Out of school provision
Registration category	Childcare - Non-Domestic
Age range of children	0 - 17
Total number of places	24
Number of children on roll	34
Name of provider	Kaleidoscope Care Limited
Date of previous inspection	30 April 2012
Telephone number	01529414464

Kaleidoscope Care Ltd was registered in 2011 and is privately owned. The club employs three members of childcare staff. Of these, two hold appropriate early years qualifications at level 3. The club opens from Monday to Friday, term time only. Sessions are from 3.15pm until 6pm.

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