

# Sea Cadets - St. Claire's

The Phoebe Centre, 65 Gloucester Road, Bournemouth, BH7 6JB



## Inspection date

Previous inspection date

13 August 2015

Not applicable

## The quality and standards of the early years provision

### This inspection:

Previous inspection:

### Not met

Not applicable

The setting **does not meet legal requirements for early years settings**

## Summary of key findings for parents

### The provision does not meet requirements

- The provider does not have all the required documentation available for inspection, in particular, the insurance documents for the vehicles used by the club.
- The provider has risk assessments for the premises and for any outings. These detail the procedures staff follow to keep children safe. The areas used by the older children are safe. However, there is an area used specifically by the younger children that staff have not risk assessed effectively to ensure it is suitable to use.
- The provider has a clear understanding of child protection issues. She has detailed safeguarding policies and procedures to help protect children. All the staff read these to make sure they are clear of their roles and responsibilities.
- The provider explained how she would plan a variety of play activities and experiences that are appropriate for children's ages and take account of their interests. She would organise the resources so they are accessible to all children to encourage them to make independent choices about their play to help build their confidence.
- The provider recognises the importance of working closely with parents and schools to enable her to support children's well-being, learning and development. She gains written consent from the parents to take the children on any outings. Information about the club is made available to parents via notices, newsletters and their website.
- The provider has considered ways to improve the provision to benefit children. She recognises how working with the staff to review the day's activities enables her to reflect on the success of the activities. She would also gain feedback from parents and the children to obtain ideas for future play activities, to help develop the service.

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.

## What the setting needs to do to improve further

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

- make sure that the required records are easily accessible and available for inspection
- make better use of risk assessments to ensure all risks to children are removed, with particular regard to outdoor spaces.

## Inspection activities

- The inspector viewed the space, toys, resources and equipment available for use.
- The inspector talked with the provider about her responsibilities to keep children safe and healthy, and how she plans to provide activities for children to help them progress.
- The inspector read relevant documents, and checked the provider knows what records she needs and the policies and procedures she must have.
- The inspector checked the provider's understanding of how to improve her provision.

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## Setting details

<b>Unique reference number</b>	EY465440
<b>Local authority</b>	Bournemouth
<b>Inspection number</b>	956268
<b>Type of provision</b>	Full-time provision
<b>Registration category</b>	Childcare - Non-Domestic
<b>Age range of children</b>	4 - 8
<b>Total number of places</b>	40
<b>Number of children on roll</b>	34
<b>Name of provider</b>	Safe and Sound Childcare CIC
<b>Date of previous inspection</b>	Not applicable
<b>Telephone number</b>	07825877456

Sea Cadets - St Claire's Holiday and After School Club registered in 2013. It operates from The Phoebe Centre on the outskirts of Bournemouth, Dorset. The club opens Monday to Friday from 3pm to 6pm during term time and from 8am to 6pm during the holidays. A team of six staff work with the children, including the manager. There are five staff who hold relevant early years qualifications at level 2 or above. At the time of inspection, there were no early years children on roll.

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