

## Residential holiday scheme for disabled children inspection

<b>Name</b>	<b>Challengers Activity Overnights</b>
<b>Inspection date</b>	<b>23/02/2018</b>
<b>Unique reference number</b>	<b>1027091</b>
<b>Registered provider</b>	<b>Disability Challengers</b>
<b>Registered provider address</b>	<b>Disability Challengers, Stoke Park, Guildford, Surrey, GU1 1TU</b>

<b>Responsible individual</b>	<b>Jonathan Dobson</b>
<b>Registered manager</b>	<b>Heather Ward</b>
<b>Inspector</b>	<b>Emeline Evans</b>

## **This inspection**

### **The effectiveness of the home and the progress and experiences of children and young people since the most recent full inspection**

At this inspection the service was not judged.

Challengers Activity Overnights was registered as a holiday scheme for disabled children in March 2016. A full inspection was carried out in August 2016 at which an overall judgement of good was made.

As the Challengers Activity Overnights residential holiday scheme has not operated since February 2017 and no children have received a short break since this date, it has not been possible to conduct an inspection of the scheme in action this inspection year.

The residential holiday scheme may operate at any premises defined by the scheme as safe and suitable, consequently, it has not been appropriate to review the suitability of a single premises. It was therefore, agreed that the inspection would consist of a telephone interview with the responsible individual but with no judgement made.

The organisation has been unable to plan for any overnight short breaks due to budget constraints. Managers are currently considering if this service will continue in the future. Plans for any future holiday schemes at this centre will depend on managers making contact with the necessary commissioners and this being incorporated into future budget plans.

In the event of operating in the future, the responsible individual is aware of his responsibilities to ensure that the scheme is well planned, properly staffed and organised.

The responsible individual confirmed that no children have received a holiday or short break through this scheme within this inspection year. The responsible individual has confirmed that they will not be operational until at least January 2019. The responsible individual is aware of the requirement to inform Ofsted of any impending schemes for the following year and will report back on any progress in December 2018.

## **Information about this residential holiday scheme for disabled children.**

This residential holiday scheme for disabled children is part of a charitable trust. The scheme provides weekday or weekend residential trips throughout the year for up to 10 young people at each venue who may have learning disabilities, physical disabilities or sensory needs.

## **Information about this inspection**

This inspection was carried out under the Care Standards Act 2000 to assess the effectiveness of the service and to consider how well it complies with The Residential Holiday Schemes for Disabled Children (England) Regulations 2013 and the National Minimum Standards.

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