Poolside Manor Camps

LYNDHURST GARDENS, FINCHLEY, LONDON N3 1TD



Inspection date9 August 2019
Previous inspection date
30 July 2015

The quality and standards of the early years provision

This inspection: Met

Previous inspection: Met

Summary of key findings for parents

This provision meets requirements

- Safeguarding is effective. The leadership team understands its responsibility to promote children's welfare. It knows the procedure to follow if it has concerns about a child or family.
- The registered provider understands the need to provide children with a safe and secure environment and regularly evaluates its effectiveness. For example, the setting has upgraded the existing CCTV system to enable better supervision of the spaces children use.
- The leadership team ensures that recruitment is rigorous by carrying out effective suitability checks on staff. It considers staff qualifications and skills so as to meet the needs of children it cares for through the key-person system and effective staff deployment.
- The registered provider understands the importance of reflecting on her practice and keeping her knowledge and skills up to date. She considers this for the staff team as well as herself. For example, she plans continual professional development opportunities by using external training and internal staff meetings.
- The leadership team ensures there is a wide range of well-organised resources and equipment available based on children's interests.
- The leadership team understands its duty in relation to British values and ensures that these key values are reflected in the planned provision for children.
- The registered provider reflects upon how best to work with parents and families, ensuring that documentation and procedures allow for parents and families to effectively share information with the setting.
- The leadership team has a good understanding of the early years foundation stage. The registered provider understands her responsibilities and meets requirements. She is aware of the information she must provide to Ofsted.

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 toured the setting with the registered provider to check the suitability of the premises.
- The inspector discussed with the registered provider her understanding of safeguarding and welfare requirements and the relevant procedures she would follow to keep children safe.
- The inspector reviewed the suitability and vetting of staff members, as well as the training they had undertaken.
- The inspector considered the self-evaluation processes.
- The inspector sampled a range of documents and policies.

Inspector

Alison Follows

Setting details

Unique reference number 147608
Local authority Barnet
Inspection number 10104411

Type of provision Childcare on non-domestic premises

Registers Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare

Register, Voluntary Childcare Register

Day care typeOut-of-school day care

Age range of children0 - 0Total number of places50Number of children on roll0

Name of registered person Poolside Manor Limited

Registered person unique

reference number

RP903547

Date of previous inspection30 July 2015 **Telephone number**020 8349 1945

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