

Inspection of Big Bradleys OOSC

Market Weighton Childrens Centre, Princess Road, Market Weighton, YORK YO43 3EY

Inspection date:

29 January 2020

**The quality and
standards of early
years provision**

**This
inspection**

Not met (with actions)

Previous
inspection

Good

Summary of key findings

This provision does not meet requirements

- The management of the provision is ineffective. Contingency arrangements, for when key staff are off work, do not promote children's safety. Specifically, cover staff, who collected older children from school on the day of the inspection, had not had their suitability checked. Therefore, the arrangements for safeguarding are ineffective. However, key staff have attended child protection training to keep their knowledge up to date. Staff, including cover staff, recognise if children are at risk of harm and understand reporting procedures. They are also aware of the setting's mobile phone policy and follow this vigilantly. The arrangements for supervising children as they play outdoors, and for providing first aid, are appropriate.
- On the whole, documentation is well organised. However, some children's details were missing at the inspection.
- The premises and resources are safe and secure. They are organised so that children may choose from a range of activities that interests them. For example, there is a good range of craft materials, tabletop games and books. Although there were no early years children attending on the day of the inspection, the older children were seen to enjoy the activities provided and behave very well.
- Staff and parents of early years children explain how they work together to ensure that children's individual needs can be met. They explain how information from health specialists is shared with staff so that children's language development can be promoted.
- The outdoor facilities are particularly good. The older children confirm that they play outdoors almost every day. Some parents of older children comment that they chose this setting because their children love to play outdoors.
- The premises are clean and hygienic. Staff provide appropriate arrangements to maintain children's good health. They offer various healthy snacks and encourage children to become independent.
- Staff understand how to promote children's self-esteem and their good behaviour. Parents also comment that the club is 'like a family' and that staff provide a very pleasant environment.
- The provider works with the local authority to monitor the quality of the provision. Parents' views are also sought on how the club operates.

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 does the setting need to do to improve?

**To meet the requirements of the early years foundation stage and
Childcare Register the provider must:**

	Due date
ensure that contingency plans for staff absences promote children's security and well-being: specifically, ensure that cover staff who have not had their suitability checked, do not have unsupervised access to children.	28/02/2020
ensure that the required personal information is recorded for all children.	28/02/2020

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY363168
Local authority	East Riding of Yorkshire
Inspection number	10062763
Type of provision	Childcare on non-domestic premises
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Out-of-school day care
Age range of children	4 to 11
Total number of places	30
Number of children on roll	50
Name of registered person	Big Bradleys OOSC Partnership
Registered person unique reference number	RP902588
Telephone number	07795077401
Date of previous inspection	10 December 2015

Information about this early years setting

Big Bradley's Out Of School Club registered in 2010. The club employs two regular members of childcare staff. Of these, both hold appropriate early years qualifications at level 3 or above. The setting opens Monday to Friday during school term time, from 7.30am to 8.50am and then from 3.30pm to 6pm.

Information about this inspection

Inspector
Pat Edmond

Inspection activities

- The inspector completed a learning walk of the areas used by the setting. She accompanied staff to collect older children from school to find out how the club operates.
- The inspector observed a range of indoor and outdoor activities being accessed by older children and spoke to them as they played.
- The inspector spoke to parents of older children who were attending. She spoke to parents of early years children who were not attending on the day of the inspection.
- The inspector looked at a range of documentation, required for the safe and effective management of the provision. This included children's personal details and documents confirming staff's suitability.
- The inspector spoke to the provider throughout the inspection, to keep them updated of findings.

We carried out this inspection 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.

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