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Dear Parents

I am writing to inform you about the new arrangements we are introducing for achieving fair access to the St Quintin activities.

Since starting these over 2 years ago the activities have grown in attendance with many families accessing these under Core Offer only. They are increasingly popular and this means some families are now unable to book onto them even if they only access the Core Offer.

At the last two consultation meetings with parents, it was agreed that we should always give priority to those accessing the Core Offer. So far we have been able to do this within existing arrangements. However demand has now grown to the point where this is no longer possible.

Therefore from the 1st April we are having to introduce the following new arrangements.

<u>After school Activities</u>- If you receive an afterschool club Care Package of 3 or more sessions a week, you will not be eligible to book an additional after school activity.

<u>Weekend Activities</u>- If you receive a Sat club care package of 2 or more Saturdays a month, you will not be eligible to book an additional weekend activity.

<u>Holidays-</u> If you have a Holiday club Care Package of 3 or more days a week, you will not be eligible to book an additional Holiday Activity.



You can still attend the centre on a Sunday, go on the Family Days, attend the pampering sessions, take part in the groups, use the Caravan and apply for holidays away.

Some activities such as Chicken Shed are applied for individually and are an exception from these arrangements.

I hope you will understand the reasons why we have introduced these new arrangements, which are to cope with increasing numbers, and which have been discussed and endorsed by the St Quintin Parents Committee.

Regards

Tracy Beard

