# OWIS

Breakfast &
After School Club



Hollins Grundy Primary School

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## Location

Hollins Grundy Primary School
The Hags, Off Hollins Lane, Hollins, Bury, BL9 8AY

## Registered Provider

Karen Mercer-Brown (FDA Children and Young People Learning)

## Opening Times

The club is open 5 days a week, term time only.

Breakfast Club

7.30am to 8.50am

After School Club

3.30pm to 5.30pm

## Management Team

Miles Richardson

Julie Richardson

07801 042 080

Ofsted Inspected. Registration Number 316775

Member of Out of School Alliance.

# Mission Statement

#### Our club aims to:

- Provide a happy, safe, warm and stimulating environment for all children to play, learn and develop freely.
- Help children to develop responsibility for themselves and their actions and to become competent, confident, independent and co-operative individuals.
- Encourage children to have a positive attitude and respect for both themselves and other people.
- Promote a positive relationship with parents/carers and work in partnership with them to provide high quality play and care for their children.
- Offer inclusive services that are accessible to all children in the school.
- Undergo regular monitoring and evaluation of our services to ensure that the club continues to meet the needs of children and parents/carers.

#### Our Club is committed to meeting the needs of parents and carers by:

- Listening and responding to their views and concerns.
- Keeping them informed of our policies and procedures, including opening times, fees and charges and programmes of activities.
- Sharing and discussing their child's achievements, experiences, progress and friendships, along with any difficulties that may arise.

#### Our Club is committed to providing:

- Care and activities that put the needs and safety of children first.
- A programme of activities that is interesting, educational, stimulating and fun.
- Activities that promote each child's social, physical, moral and intellectual development.
- Access to a variety of facilities and equipment under safe and supervised conditions.
- A staff team that is experienced, well trained and properly supported.
- Services that meet the conditions of the Children's Act 1989 and all other relevant childcare legislation, wherever they apply.
- An environment where no child is bullied or suffers discrimination in any form.

# About The Club

The Owls Club provides before and after school care for children at Hollins Grundy Primary School.

The club meets every morning and evening during term time and is run by staff who either work at the school during the day or who have very close links with the school. All staff are appropriately qualified, undergo regular training and are sensitive to the needs of children of all ages.

Children attending the club can take part in a wide variety of activities which vary from week to week and throughout the year depending on the season.

## **Activities**

Art . Collage

Craft . Modelling

Reading . Music

Cookery . Construction

## Sports

Football . Cricket

Skipping . Badminton

Tennis . Team Games

Rounders . Bowling

## Games

General Play . Toys . Dancing

DVD's . Role Play . Dressing Up

Board Games . Lego . Jigsaws & Puzzles

Cosy Corner . Colouring . Competitions

## And Lots More!

# Club Staff

### Name

Miles Richardson

## **Position**

## Qualifications

Manager

Designated Safeguarding Lead

Fire Safety Officer

Health & Safety Officer

ECT

L3 Paediatric First Aid

Julie Richardson

Deputy Manager

EYFS Co Ordinator

Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead NVQ Level 3 Childcare

Learning and Development.

**SENCO** 

L3 Paediatric First Aid

Clair Dunphy

Playworker

Childcare Level 2

L3 Paediatric First Aid

Jane Clarkson

Playworker

Dylan Clarkson

Playworker

Kiera Dunphy

Playworker

Leanne Güler

Supply Staff

Level 3 Diploma in
Childcare and Education

Lynda Nixon

Supply Staff

Level 2 GMOCN Childcare

All our staff have additional qualifications including First Aid, Food Hygiene & Safeguarding Children, Fire Marshall Training and Special Educational Needs.

# How To Book

All parents wishing their children to attend the club must complete a registration form with their child's details and the days they will be attending the club.

Forms can be obtained directly from Owls Club by telephone or text message.

Parents/Carers who book through our Shift System must do so by 5pm on Friday the week prior to attending. Please note shift places are not guaranteed.

If you wish to inform the club of a child's absence, please could you do so before 2pm via text or voicemail to the number below <u>NOT</u> via the school office. Please note fees for booked places will still apply.

Mr Richardson, the Owls Club manager can be contacted on:

07801 042 080

hollinsgrundyowlsclub@hotmail.com

## Charges

Morning Session (7.30am to 8.50am)

- £10.50 per session

Afternoon Session (3.30pm to 5.30pm)

- £12.25 per session
- Fees are payable in advance, either weekly, monthly, or termly.
- Please pay via Bank Transfer
- Santander Account Number 57981184 Sort Code 09 01 56
- There is a £5.00 per week late payment charge for payment which is more than a week overdue.
- There is a late collection charge of £5.00 per 15minutes.

# Rules And Regulations

It is our intention to provide a happy, safe and caring environment for your child/children and in doing so must ask that the following rules and regulations are observed.

- 1. All children must be registered with the club prior to using the facilities.
- 2. Parents/carers must ensure that their child/children report to a member of staff on arrival at the Breakfast Club.
- 3. If parents/carers are unable to collect their child/children, the club requires prior notification of the person authorised to do so on their behalf. Staff will require to see a form of identification and password. Text/Ring Owls phone to make staff aware.
- 4. Parents/carers must notify the club should a child/children be unable to attend or is absent from school. Please note fees will still apply.
- 5. Parents/carers must notify the club when their child/children are known to be infected with a contagious disease (i.e. measles, mumps etc.) whereupon a discretionary rule may be applied with regard to admittance.
- 6. All fees are payable weekly or termly in advance and are charged during periods of absence.
- 7. In order to permanently cancel a place, the club requires 4 weeks WRITTEN notice. We cannot guarantee the place will be available in the future as cancelled places will be filled from our waiting list.
- 8. In the event of a child's persistent, unacceptable behaviour parents/carers will be consulted to decide upon an appropriate course of action.

POLICY STATEMENTS ARE AVAILABLE ON REQUEST

## Healthy Eating

Our club is committed to providing healthy, nutritious and tasty food and drinks for children during our sessions. The manager and staff will make every effort to ensure that food and drink is safely prepared and sensitive to the dietary, religious and cultural requirements of all the children.

The club recognises the importance of healthy eating and a balanced and nutritious diet. Because of this, the club will endeavour to make a variety of foods available including; meat, vegetarian and vegan options, plenty of fruit and low fat and low sugary food. Sandwiches will be made with either brown or white bread, depending on a child's preference.

Owls club will not regularly provide sweets for children and will avoid excessive amounts of fatty or sugary foods. The club will provide a choice of non-sugary drinks and make sure that fresh drinking water is available at all times.

The club and its staff are committed to embracing the cultural and religious diversity of the families who use our services. The manager and staff will work with parents/carers to ensure that any particular dietary requirements are met.

Owls club is also keen to help introduce children to different religious and cultural festivals and events through different types of food/drink sessions.

If parents/carers wish their children to clean their teeth during a session they must provide a toothbrush in a sealable toothbrush holder clearly marked with their child's name.

