

## ST CHAD'S PATCHWAY CE VC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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### **Re: Half term childcare**

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you will be aware, we break up for half-term on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> February and return to school for term 4 on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February (at this moment in time, we believe that this is still going to be for critical workers and vulnerable children only). We know that some of you will still require childcare during half-term so please see the information below from the Local Authority detailing South Gloucestershire provision **for critical workers only**.

*'As February half-term approaches, we are aware of the potential need for childcare for many of the parents of critical key workers. As a local authority we are keen to do all we can to support this and have managed to work with two sports companies to arrange provision at two sites across the authority and one child-care provision at a third site.*

#### **Offer 1**

**Progressive Sports** are going to be based at **Abbeywood Community School** from Monday 15<sup>th</sup> to Friday 19<sup>th</sup> February running an active camp from 8.30am to 3.30pm for children aged 5-13 years. **The link for booking is below and parents can book directly with them.** The cost is £85 for the full course or £17 per day. All children will need to bring a packed lunch and a water bottle and suitable clothing for the weather.

<https://progressive-sports.co.uk/bristol-south-glos/product/abbeywood-community-school-february-active-camp/>

#### **Offer 2**

**Swift Sports** will be based at **The Park Primary School** and bookings can be made via their website [bookings@swiftsportscoaching.co.uk](mailto:bookings@swiftsportscoaching.co.uk). This will run from Monday 15<sup>th</sup> February to Friday 19<sup>th</sup> February from 8.45am-3.30pm for children aged 5-13 years. The cost is £16.50 per child, per day with a 10% for multi day bookings of 3 or more days, alongside this they will be offering a 10% sibling discount on bookings. Bookings can only be made by email and paid via BACS transfer. Places are accepted on a first come, first served basis and will only be secured once payment has been received. Suitable clothing and footwear will be required for indoor and outdoor use. Children will need to bring a packed lunch and a water bottle.



### Offer 3

**St Helen's February Holiday Club** will be open for children **who are currently permitted to attend school during lockdown**. This Ofsted-Outstanding provision has been offering high-quality wraparound and holiday care since 2011 and runs from St Helen's C of E Primary School, Alveston. We have continued to support keyworkers and their families since March 2020.

The holiday club provides learning through play in a safe and secure environment. Children have access to a large woodland area, all-weather pitch and the school's large playground and outdoor play equipment. We pride ourselves on offering a free-flow play environment, where children choose where, when and what they play, while supported by a team of qualified and experienced playworkers. We follow all up to date government regulations with further details [here](#) and all staff will be Covid-tested before working.

This holiday we will be offering:-

- Free keyworker registration [here](#)
- For ages 4-12 years
- **Long Day** 8am-5.30pm at £29.50 (if booking individual days) including a breakfast of cereal, toast and fruit juice and an evening snack of toast and fruit - own packed lunch to be provided please.
- **A special offer rate of £120 for a full week (just £2.50 per hour's childcare!) for 8am to 5.30pm, Monday to Friday (long days only) for bookings made by Monday 8<sup>th</sup> February**
- This holiday we are also offering a **Short day** for just £18.50 per day, 9-3pm - own packed lunch to be provided.

Why not [REGISTER NOW](#) with no obligation...

Then (once we have authorised your account) login and [BOOK HERE](#)

**Please note** all offers are for **children of critical key workers only** and bookings will be made on a first come, first served basis and places secured once payment has been received.'

Kind regards,

Steph Jenkins  
Headteacher

