

Frenchay After Burns Children's Club.

Registered Charity Number 1105104.

Camps and Day Trips Policy

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Camps and day trips will be arranged throughout the year by the Executive Committee Members and volunteers of FAB Club. These trips may include just the burn injured children and sometimes their immediate family will be involved.

All trips will be attended by an Executive Committee Member, or a FAB Club volunteer as agreed by the Executive Committee.

FAB will cover the cost of the burn-injured child at an event, however there may be events/trips where members of their family attend and a nominal charge may be incurred.

On occasion FAB Club may request a nominal deposit to secure a place for a child on a camp, particularly where the charity face non-refundable costs such as the arrangement of flights. This deposit would be returned on attendance of the camp.

No children will be taken on outings without a signed consent form from a parent/ guardian detailing the activity venue, date and time. Parents/ guardians are asked to ensure children have appropriate clothing and footwear for the outing as detailed in the kit list.



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On family activities, parents / guardians are responsible for their children at all times. On these activities individual consents will not be required. However, we will require photographic permission and an attendance form.

On a FAB member only activity, we will require full parental consent and photographic permission form completed and returned before the activity commences. During this activity volunteers will be always acting as in loco parentis. If the child's parents / guardians no longer have parental responsibility, consent must be obtained from the responsible authority, e.g., Social Services.

All volunteers involved in any activity will have an up-to-date enhanced DBS check. Any volunteer without an up-to-date enhanced DBS check will not be able to attend any FAB activity.

Volunteer to child ratios will be set at levels dictated by the type of activity and age range of the children.

On all activities the person in charge will carry the FAB Club phone – 07821 989845. They will always have the parent / guardian contact details and permission forms for all children and staff with them. The person in charge must also consider the need for risk assessments and carry them out if required.

Where transport is hired, all seats will be fitted with the correct restraints for the age of the children and transport companies will be asked to provide a copy of their insurance cover and their valid MOT certificate. At all times whilst in the vehicles children will have to wear the restraints provided and no one under the age of 18 will be allowed to sit in the front seats of any vehicles.

Children will not normally be transported in volunteer's cars, but at times it maybe necessary to do so. The volunteer must be fully insured and must have correct restraints fitted for the age of the child. This will be done in accordance with the Safeguarding Policy.