

Grampian Child Bereavement Network

Activity Day Feedback Report

Listed below are comments and feedback from our second Activity Day held on **November 2012**.

All questions are rated from 1-5, with 1 being unsatisfactory and 5 very satisfactory.

Question 1) Please rate the suitability of the Garioch Sports Centre as the venue for the activity day.

Of the seven forms returned,

2 gave scores of 3,

3 gave scores of 4

2 gave scores of 5.

Mixed feedback this time, still positive but there were some issues. These are highlighted in feedback comments below.

Parent/ Carer feedback:

Good size room for the children but the noise from other room was too loud, 4 participants felt the same about noise.

A bit cold in hall, 1 participant highlighted this.

Parents room too small, 2 participants highlighted this.

Good venue, 1 participant highlighted this.

Question 2) Please rate how convenient it was for you, holding the Activity Day in the Garioch Sports Centre

Of the seven forms returned

1 gave a score of 3

1 gave a score of 4

5 gave scores of 5

Parent/Carer Feedback

Good venue, easy to access by car, bus or train.

Could consider a village hall

Happy to go to other places

Hearing next session in Aberdeen is lovely

Question 3) Please rate the length of the Activity Day

Of the seven forms returned 2 said it was too short and 5 said it was just right

Parent/ Carer Feedback

Good opportunity to catch up with others who attended before.

A bit short due to only being away second half.

I found I just felt comfortable and then had to rush away due to transport issue.

Was a good time but I noticed most of us stayed until 4.30pm so maybe another 30 minutes would also be good.

Question 4) Please rate the activities offered to your child.

Of the seven forms returned 2 gave scores of 3, 2 gave scores of 4 and 2 gave scores of 5.

Parent/ Carer Feedback

Enjoyed session but felt sat too long.

My boys really enjoyed session and the thing I felt was very positive was the range of activities offered.

Question 5) Please rate how helpful it was for you as parent/carer to have the opportunity to meet with other parents/carers.

Of the seven forms returned 5 gave a score of 4 and 2 gave a score of 5.

Parent/ Carer Feedback

I enjoyed this session much more than the last one.

Just talking in smaller groups, letting the conversation happen naturally, great session.

I found we split as a group and a few people sat quiet and it was hard to help them open up. Might help if we could tell a little of the situation we are in.

Nice to see familiar faces, I think this was helpful for parents as it was second activity.

An opening introduction/ ice breaker for new people attending may be beneficial.

Question 6) Please rate how helpful it was for you, as a parent or carer to have information on activities and books for supporting children / young people who have been bereaved.

Of the seven forms returned 5 gave a score of 4 and 2 gave a score of 5.

Parent/ Carer Feedback

Varied and useful.

Really helpful.

Question7) Do you have any further comments ?

Parent/ Carer Feedback

Event diary great idea.

Very positive feedback from my children.

Music, sports and fun activities for both parents / children would be good.

Craft activities where children make something for the person they lost

Summary

Overall, very positive feedback for our second Activity Day. All participants agree it was both supportive to them and fun for their children.

Noise and room size are issues we need to take into account during future planning

Real excitement about our diary of events and based on feedback we may have to rethink our drumming session or plan another day for younger children and parents.

