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Dear Parents and Carers,

We love welcoming your children to our After-School Club every day, and we are so grateful to everyone who has supported us. Following a recent review of our funding, we are writing to share some important updates regarding the future of the club.

The grant funding that previously supported our delivery has now ended. To ensure the club can continue running, **we must become entirely self-sustaining**. To break even and keep the club viable, we need to achieve an average of **10–15 regular bookings per day**.

Currently, our numbers fluctuate significantly, which makes planning incredibly difficult. For example, on Monday morning we had just 2 children booked in, but by the afternoon, 7 arrived due to last-minute bookings. While we always want to accommodate families, last-minute bookings make it very hard to safely arrange staffing and resources. Furthermore, **we currently have zero bookings on Thursdays**.

To make the club sustainable and more exciting for the children, we are looking at making a few changes, and we would love to get your feedback:

- **Daily Theme Clubs:** We are considering offering dedicated daily activities to give the sessions a fresh focus—such as **Lego Club on Mondays**, **Art Club on Tuesdays**, and structured **Sports Activities** on other days.
- **Adjusted Club Hours:** To keep costs manageable for families and the club, we are considering reducing the session length to finish at **5:00 pm instead of 6:00 pm**.

How you can help right now:

If you rely on this childcare or if your children would love to attend, **please book your sessions well in advance**. Knowing our numbers ahead of time is the only way we can guarantee the club's survival.

We are incredibly keen to make this work, but we cannot do it without a predictable, baseline number of regular bookings.

Thank you so much for your continued support.

Warm regards,

Debbie Webb

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