## Cheesy Waffles Project Managing Challenging Behaviour



The Cheesy Waffles Project engages with members who have a wide range of special educational needs. For some members their needs can result in displaying challenging behaviour which may be deliberate and premeditated or it may be a manifestation of their specific condition.

The Project is dedicated to providing an environment that is calm, caring and welcoming and also consistent. Staff and volunteers must be flexible in their approach to managing behaviour and able to adapt to individual members needs.

## Cheesy Waffles Project aims to:

- Ensure a sense of community to our members and staff
- Ensure a whole Project approach
- Ensure consistent, clear and fair principles
- Promote good relationships for all
- Encourage self-confidence
- Encourage good behaviour

## Staff, Volunteers and Members of the Project

Have a responsibility to:

- Adhere to the rules of the Project
- Follow healthy and safety procedures
- Be respectful of everyone who attends the group
- Act appropriately both at the centre and when visiting offsite venues
- Respect other's culture, race, feelings, beliefs and values
- Have a positive attitude to others
- Ensure the Project is a safe and welcoming environment for all

## Cheesy Waffles Project will ensure:

- Parents/Carers are liaised with
- Any incidents are reported and acted upon
- All staff are made aware of any challenging behaviour issues and needs
- Staff follow the procedure for dealing with challenging behaviour
- Individual Risk Assessments used as needed
- One to one support given if available

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