

# How to Apply

To register interest in a holiday at The Bluebells, please complete this application form and return it to Amy Samuel at Sebastian's Action Trust, The Woodlands, Upper Broadmoor Road, Crowthorne, RG45 7FN.

Child's full name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Date diagnosed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Nature of illness: \_\_\_\_\_  
Full name of parent(s) / guardian(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone no: \_\_\_\_\_ Email address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of hospital where child is treated: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of consultant: \_\_\_\_\_  
Please tick if you are happy for us to make contact with your consultant to support and process your application   
Contact telephone no. & email address: \_\_\_\_\_  
What equipment will you bring with you? (e.g. wheelchair, oxygen etc): \_\_\_\_\_  
Please list other people who will be staying with the child  
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Please specify your preferred holiday dates: (We cannot guarantee availability) \_\_\_\_\_  
Once we have received this registration of interest we will contact you to discuss your requirements. Please confirm here your name and preferred contact details: \_\_\_\_\_

**We require full deposit of £100 before holidays can be confirmed**

**A. Cheque details:**  
I enclose a cheque for £ \_\_\_\_\_ made payable to **Sebastian's Action Trust**

**B. Credit Card**  (details will be taken on arrival)

# Sebastian's Action Trust presents



## The Bluebells

Providing breaks for seriously-ill children and their families in a purpose built house in the pretty Hampshire village of North Waltham.

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Sebastian's Action Trust is a registered charity and a company limited by guarantee

# Children battling with life-limiting or life-threatening illness face enormous challenges on a daily basis.

## Introducing The Bluebells

Sebastian's Action Trust is a charity that recognises how much these children need opportunities to enjoy normal pleasures – escaping from the rigours of hospital life and gruelling treatment to spend precious time with their families and loved ones.

We have created a unique holiday home offering respite breaks to children and their families all year round. The Bluebells can accommodate two families at a time, each in their own apartment.

The Bluebells, which opened in July 2011, gives families facing enormous pressures a special place to relish simply being together.

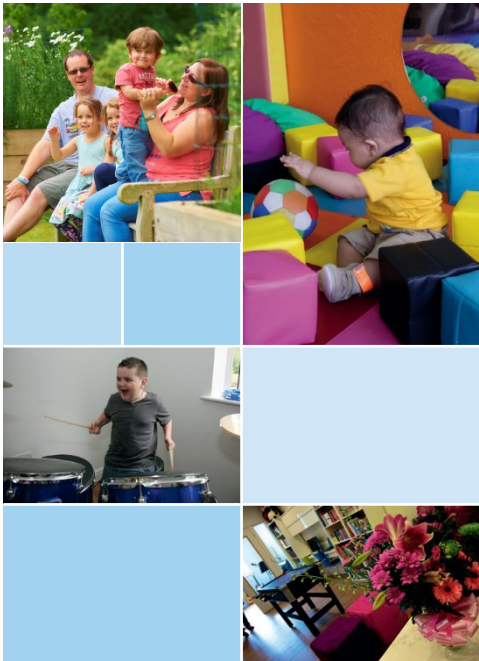


We offer respite breaks at The Bluebells to the families of children with serious, life-limiting or life-threatening medical conditions.

Although we focus our efforts on supporting families in the South East, principally from Berkshire, Hampshire, Buckinghamshire, Oxfordshire and Surrey, we are happy to welcome families from outside these areas.

Each visiting family will occupy their own apartment, which can comfortably accommodate up to eight people, giving space and privacy to those escaping the rigours of a disrupted family life.

Our hydrotherapy pool will give visiting children the chance to splash around and have fun, whilst benefitting from the therapeutic values of aquatic activity.



# We offer holidays at The Bluebells providing respite breaks for children and their families.

The fully equipped music room is sure to provide our guests with hours of enjoyment and entertainment.

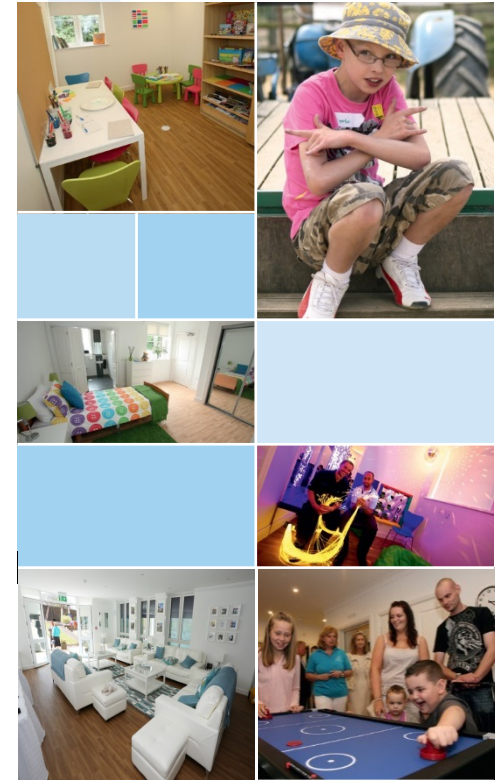
Our sensory room will be soothing and therapeutic for children with sensory impairment.

Being able to enjoy precious family time in our games room is central to what we offer - the chance to simply be together.

The arts room gives everyone the ability to let their creative side out.

Our extensive grounds includes a beautiful garden of reflection, a wildflower meadow and a woodland; somewhere truly special to explore.

Holidays are offered on a self-catering basis, with a resident Family Liaison Officer (House Manager) present to welcome visitors and to be on hand as an emergency contact. Situated just 15 minutes from the nearest hospital and within an hour's drive of the John Radcliffe and Southampton hospitals, our aim is to offer families a chance to unwind, safe in the knowledge that medical support is never too far away. The Bluebells has been designed to make it accessible to even the most disabled visitor.



Holidays at The Bluebells will generally run from Friday until the following Tuesday. There is no charge for a break but a suggested donation of £100 is warmly invited to cover some of the costs incurred. Bookings will be honored on a first come, first served basis following completion of our application form, receipt of contribution and verification of your child's condition and needs by your child's consultant.

We do, however retain the discretion to waive the contribution or help to find appropriate funding where needed, and would always work to make a break at The Bluebells possible for every family meeting our criteria.