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Inauguration of the Boathouse Activity Centre

The inauguration of the Boathouse Activity Centre, a substantial extension to the original Bayside Sports Centre Boat House took place today Friday 17th July, 2015 at 10am. The Hon Steven Linares, Minister for Sports, Culture, Heritage & Youth inaugurated the building which comprises a tailor made activity centre for children and young people of all abilities, a kitchen, wash basins to support arts and crafts activities, an equipment store and a covered outdoor patio area leading onto a fully inclusive outdoor play park. The Activity Centre also has fully accessible toilets, one with a shower and an electric hoist.

The Boathouse Activity Centre will be utilised as a base for the Stay and Play Project, part of the GSLA Summer Sports & Leisure Programme aimed at providing a programme of sport, physical activity, arts and crafts and music appreciation for children with special needs. The purpose built facility and playground will now enable the children who participate in the programme to fully maximise the time that they spend there and making it more enjoyable.