



Newsletter Winter 2018

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Children's Attendance

Can parents please be aware that if your child is not going to be in for their nursery session the nursery should be notified. This can be done via email or phone call.

This also applies to holidays, if you have an upcoming holiday can you please let staff in the room or office know.

Staff Changes

We would like to welcome Aimee Reilly, Jacqueline Doyle and Eilidh Hart to our staff team! We are also happy that Robyn Ainsworth will be returning as bank staff with us.

Fareeha Hussain has also taken on a Senior Managers role within the company. She will in time return to Nithsdale.

Congratulations

A huge congratulations to Stephanie Prosser, Husband Ian and big sister Anna on the birth of baby Oliver.



Another congratulation to Zoe Holmes who graduated from Glasgow Clyde College after completing her PDA Childhood Practice. Zoe is now at Glasgow University studying for her BA.

Dietary Requirements

If parents have any preferences with the menu options can you please ensure a list detailing food your child can not have is passed on to the office or staff in the room. Without this we are unable to plan for lunches and snacks.

Employee of the Year

Votes for Employee of the Year will open on Monday 26th November. The box will sit at the nursery entrance. We encourage parents to leave a comment and vote for the employee they feel has worked well over the last year. The winner will receive an extra week annual leave in 2019.

All staff have worked incredibly hard this year and I would just like to say a massive well done to them all!

Eco Approach

As mentioned in the last newsletter, Little Einsteins is working towards becoming more environmentally aware. As part of this we have stopped the use of day sheets. Can I please ask parents, if they have requested a day sheet this goes home with them at the end of the night and not left lying at the coat pegs.

Security & Child Protection

The nursery is a **no phone zone**. Can parents ensure that they are not using their mobile phones in any capacity within the nursery. If you are attending stay and play sessions or a party, they may be used to take a photo of your child only. Staff have now been asked not to allow parents into the nursery if on a mobile phone. We kindly ask you to respect this rule as it assists us in ensuring we are following child protection guidelines.

Parents Evening

Parents Evening for the 3-5 room children will be held on Thursday 10th January 2019. We really appreciate parents being so understanding with staff changes and the renovation.

Closing Dates

The nursery will be closed on 25th and 26th December 2018 for Christmas which falls on Tuesday and Wednesday.

We will also be closed on 1st and 2nd January 2019 for New Year's which also falls on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Christmas party

We will be having our Christmas Party on:

Wednesday 19th December
from 2.30-4.30pm.

. Parents are welcome to come along and join in with the fun.



Christmas Sing-a-long

This will all be held on
Thursday 13th December

Explorers & Discoverers (1-2 room):
10.30am-11.00am

Investigators (2-3 room):
3.00pm – 3.30pm

Inventors (3-5 room):
3.30pm-4.00pm

Christmas Jumper Day

Christmas Jumper Day will be Friday 14th December. We will be collecting a small donation for the Save the Children Charity. You can find out more about the work they do by clicking on the web address below:

<https://christmasjumperday.org/>

Children in Need

Thank you so much to all the children and parents who participated and donated for Children in Need. Through a sponsored hill climb, crazy hair day, teddy bears picnic, bake sale and PJ party for Pudsey, we raised a total of £212 for the charity!

