



## CROSS ARTHURLIE NEWSLETTER

**New Term August 2014**



We hope that you all had an enjoyable summer holiday, and we would like to take this opportunity to welcome everyone back as well as our new children and parents.

**Staff:** Claire Issa-Lavelle Project Manager, Sharon McKeown- Depute Manager

Play carers: Bernadette, Catherine, Fiona, Heather, Kieran, Laura Jane Nicola and Nicole.

### **Settling in**

Children are settling in well and all new children are assigned to a key worker. Your child's key worker will be responsible for completing daily diaries and providing feedback about your child's day. If you are unsure of whom your child's key worker is please speak to Claire or Sharon.

### **INDOOR SHOES**

Due to a new gym hall floor, we have been asked that the children bring in a pair of soft indoor shoes to participate in gym hall activities.

### **CONTACT NUMBERS**

Please note that we have new contact numbers they are as follows

Our landline is: **0141 570 7159**

Mobile- Claire 0772 524 9459

Mobile –Sharon 0752 507 1450

Head Office for Invoice Enquiries: 0141 887 0002

Email us: [general@macs.uk.com](mailto:general@macs.uk.com) or [ClaireLavelle@macs.uk.com](mailto:ClaireLavelle@macs.uk.com)

Website: [www.macs.uk.com](http://www.macs.uk.com)



Please note that we only allow authorised collectors to collect children from MACS and they must know the password. If someone is collecting your child who is not an authorised collector please contact one of the above numbers to let us know. Please also note collectors must be aged over 16 at all times.

### **BREAKFAST CLUB**

Our Breakfast Club opens at 7.45am and we will serve breakfast from 8.00am until 8.30am. If your child has gone into Primary 4 and you would like your child to be given the opportunity to go into the playground from 8.30am then please ask for a Permission Form to complete. This is a choice for your child if the weather permits, but children are able to come back into MACS should they change their mind.

We do not provide a tooth brushing service now but if you wish your child to continue to clean their teeth at the Breakfast Club, then we require your child to carry their toothbrush in a container in their school bag and we will provide toothpaste. It will be your responsibility to check your child's toothbrush for replacing.

## HEALTHY EATING



We aim to follow the “Hungry for Success” guidelines set out by the Scottish Government.

We therefore have prepared menus which have a variety of healthy options, with the occasional treat for festivals, party time, etc. We will display the snacks available each week on our notice board. We will also keep you informed of any additional foods we will have for special occasions.

If you have any queries regarding any matters then please feel free to speak to Claire or Fiona in the Project.

## CONSULTATION WITH CHILDREN

With the start of the new term, new children and staff, we will be speaking to the children about different choices and ideas.

We are looking forward to another great year.

All the staff at Cross Arthurlie