



Carolside Newsletter

SEPTEMBER 2014

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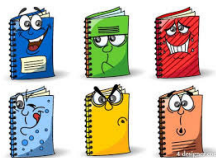
Playcarer's; Sonia, Angela, Paula, Stephanie, Gillian, Eilidh & Julia



Monthly Planning

We have a full planner for the children, lots at their request, and a few things the staff have put together for the children to take part in through choice. As all the new P1 & P2 parents are aware, the children this year have the use of the P1 open area at the start of the day. This enables them on dry weather to have the use of the P1 playground for play initially before coming up to the main hall to take part in any craft or baking activities planned for that particular day. The planners are available in the project at the entrance for you to view at any time along with the photo books that the children will be helping to put together. All comments from you and the children are very welcome so feel free to write in them.

We have a visit from Scottish Fire & Rescue planned for next week, but due to the nature of their job we are at their descretion when that will be. But please be aware that we have been informed that they can only accommodate a certain amount of children. If your child is not successful on this occasion we will arrange another visit as soon as possible. Other workshops coming up are this week P1 &P2 personal safety, baking throughout the month, jewellery making, sports, life skills for P1 & P2 (amazing who can't tie a shoe lace or zip their coats up) and for the older children a visit to the coffee shop. You will also find another daily planner for the children for crafts on our notice board. The staff have requested that we ask you to bring in kitchen rolls and yougurt pots for up and coming activities. Thank you.





DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Scottish Independence Referendum on 18th September - MACS are operating from MEARN'S PARISH CHURCH only

The closing date was 15th August but for any information on spaces available please contact head office.

MACS Holiday Club - Friday 26th September 2014

MACS CLOSED Monday 29th September 2014 - PUBLIC HOLIDAY

MACS Holiday Clubs October 2014

Closing date for bookings 15th September 2014

Both holiday clubs are operating from Mearns Parish church on Friday 10th October - In Service Day

Operating from St Joseph's Primary and Kirkhill Primary from Monday 13th – Friday 17th October.

After-School Care & Breakfast Club

If you are looking to change your contracted days (at present there's a waiting list to increase) please be aware that you will need to email the office and give a months' notice in writing .

MACS opening hours are 7.45am - 9am for Breakfast Club and 3.15pm - **5.55pm** for After-School Care. Could we remind everyone that all children should be collected before 6pm.

Getting in Touch

If your child is not attending MACS as they are off school sick, attending a club or otherwise, or if someone else is collecting your child, please contact Frances or Nosheen on the mobile or leave a message on the landline. MACS have also recently opened up a **Facebook Page** to keep you in touch.

If you have any concerns please ask for an appointment time, phone or approach us directly in the project and we will try very hard to help.

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