

# Sunflower Seed Before & After School Club



## Newsletter January 2018

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### Staff News

- ✓ Following her maternity role cover Caroline will be continuing as Deputy Manager on a full time basis!- Well done Caroline for all your hard work
- ✓ Alice has passed her level 3 childcare Qualification! – Well done Alice, we are so proud of you.
- ✓ All staff are attending and ECAT meeting (every child is a talker) on 25<sup>th</sup> January. Learning about how children communicate and how we can extend learning through communication and play.
- ✓ Kirsty is updating her First Aid training at the end of the month to ensure all knowledge and legislation is up to date.
- ✓ Lainey is completing a Human Resource and Employment law course- to ensure we are up to date with best practices, and to offer more support to the business and staff.
- ✓ Kirsty is celebrating her 1 year anniversary at Sunflowers!
- ✓ Nathan has handed his notice in and will be leaving us on 8<sup>th</sup> February. We want to thank him for all his hard and wish him well in the future.
- ✓ Alice is having a baby!! –she is due on 2<sup>nd</sup> August ...Brilliant news!!!

### Easy fundraising Leaderboard!

Every month we will be giving a prize to our highest fundraiser...December's winner was Sarah L

*This month's prize is a smelly gift set*

#### Leader board to date.....

**Allison L - £8.06**

**Alice G- £7.49**

**Christina D- £6.99**

**Who will be at the top of the leaderboard and win this months smelly gift set?!**

### Diary Dates

**\*\* Our Promise Auction – which was due to be held in February has been postponed, whilst we finalise some exciting details about the night. More details will follow when we have everything confirmed! \*\***



**Help raise funds for Sunflower Seed whilst you do any online shopping!**

**Simply visit Easyfundraising and shop through their app or website and they will donate funds to Sunflower Seed!**



### CAN YOU HELP SHAPE THE FUTURE?

Can you spare 4 hours a month to help shape the future of Sunflowers? We are looking for building committee members to join us- we currently have skill gaps in construction, building control, publicity and applying for local funding grants.

If you are interested or would like to find out more please just email [kirsty@sunflower-seed.co.uk](mailto:kirsty@sunflower-seed.co.uk)



**WE WANT YOU!**

### Great Eastern Run!

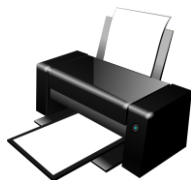
In October Kirsty, Caroline, Dawn and Kayleigh will be running the great eastern run to raise funds for Sunflower Seed.

Training is on a Monday at 6pm at Sunflowers- starting with 1.5mile and building up the distance. If you would like to join in just let us know!

### Empty ink cartridges

Please can you save any old HP printer cartridges you may have at home... we can recycle these for you and raise funds for Sunflower Seed at the same time!

Thankyou for your continued support



### Tea club

From feedback from parents and children, We now have New menus – see attached- these are also located on the notice board in the foyer

Some changes include a wider range of “high tea” items varied on a daily basis, and yoghurts or fruit for pudding every day.

