

# Edinburgh B.A.S.E. Newsletter

Please read through the whole newsletter

**IMPORTANT!**  
Ped Day registration  
information for January 8

## TOY DRIVE/FOOD DRIVE

A big thank you to the Edinburgh Community for your incredible support of our Holiday fundraiser. Thank you for participating in our “Edinburgh Eatery Café” to raise funds to purchase toys for Carolyn’s Toy Drive. The awesome work by the children and your support allowed us to purchase 85 toys for needy children. What an amazing experience to be able to bring joy and smiles to needy families and children this holiday season. Our heartfelt thanks also to those who sent in non-perishable food.



In the spirit of this holiday season, I want to extend my thanks to all of you for everything that you do for our B.A.S.E. program. On behalf of my staff thank you for your kindness and generosity in all the heartfelt gifts we received. Our school is truly a community school, and it is at this time of year when the closeness of friendship shines in our students` faces. The new year will bring new learning experiences, new challenges, and new fun to be had together. As we enjoy the upcoming holidays, it is my deepest wish that each of you receives and returns the seasonal abundance of joy and well wishes that make these days truly special. It is a busy time filled with the hustle and bustle of gift shopping for friends and family near and far. It means travelling to visit family or opening our homes to receive guests. Traditions such as, singing carols and decorating our homes in beautiful lights is all part of the holiday celebrations. Admits the hustle bustle we take a moment to appreciate our abundance found in the laughter and embrace of families and friends. I wish you all Peace, Joy, Hope and Happiness during this Holiday season and throughout the New Year.



## UPCOMING PEDAGOGICAL DAYS

### 1. **January 8, 2024: Science en Folie**

#### Mad science stations

- Students will participate in multiple crazy science stations
- Science show
- Canon blast



#### Baking Workshop

- Baking cookie workshop

#### Pasta Lunch (children not participating would need to bring their own lunch)

- Penne with red sauce  
(Please indicate any special dietary requirements or an order with no sauce,
- Juice or Water beverage choice
- Snack



#### Afternoon Snack

- Cookie decorating activity

**Price: \$22.00 (activity) \$3 (lunch)** (please note that this activity cost is in addition to the regular \$12.00 Ped Day fee)

**Link: <https://forms.gle/AmLvrihYLVzvD59V6>**

**Deadline: Monday December 18, 2023, at noon**

Parents must register for each Ped Day on the link provided even if you've indicated on the registration form that your child(ren) will be attending Ped Days.

## PARENT CORNER

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION AND REMINDERS

#### Messages

- Please take the time to read through the whole newsletter to not miss any information.
- Important information and reminders at times are placed on the window of the B.A.S.E. door. Please take the time to read,
- Bulletin board: parents may come in to check out messages, the educator activity plan for the week or other messages pinned to the board.

#### B.A.S.E. Entrance

- Parents are permitted to come in but must remain in the entrance way and not pass the registration desk,

#### BASE Daycare Handbook:

- please also find attached a handbook outlining the BASE philosophy, rules, and regulations. Please take the time to read the document in full.
- the final page will have a document to for parents to sign and return to Mr. Marco, either by email or in person.

*Statement of Accounts: November and December 2023*

- November's statement will be sent out the week of November 27, 2023. The deadline for payment will be **Wednesday, December 13, 2023**.
- December's statement of accounts will be sent out the end of the day December 15th. The deadline for payment will be **Wednesday, December 27, 2023**. Cheque can be post-dated and submitted before the holiday break.
  - Please note it is imperative to have all 2023 accounts are paid in full by the end of the year to not delay the new year's production of your tax receipt.

**Have a wonderful holiday season. See you all in 2024!**