

# Five, Prospect House

## Accommodation Guide

### **Welcome**

Russell, Tina, Josh (3), Oscar (1) and Charlotte (1) would like to welcome you to their home: Five, Prospect House is a family-owned apartment that we rent out to help cover its costs. We love it for its wonderful views out to sea, the lovely light through the interior, its peacefulness and its proximity to local attractions, and we hope that you have a wonderful time here.

This guide provides you with the small details that enable you to settle in quickly and get the best out of your holiday.

### **Kitchen**

In the cupboard to the right of the cooker hood, you'll find all the switches for the appliances – dishwasher, cooker, washing machine/dryer, fridge/freezer, etc. – please turn them on when you arrive, and off when you finally leave. The knives are stay-sharp knives and never need sharpening – and trying to do so will not work which is why there is no sharpener!

### **TV**

The apartment comes with SkyHD, including movies, sports, children's channels, lifestyle, and standard ones. The TV also receives Freeview channels, and there is a DVD player as well. It works in much the same way as most TVs, with the Sky remote controlling both the TV and Sky boxes – however, you will need to use the TV remote to choose the relevant source (Freeview, Sky, DVD, games console) – it's the button marked Source in the middle of the remote – press it repeatedly to cycle through the options. Feel free to record onto the Sky box whatever you want. There is also a Nintendo Wii with Wii Sports and Sports Resort games – just turn it on, select the relevant TV option, and then have fun. Do wear the wrist straps on the Wii remotes, though.....

The TV in the main bedroom receives just Freeview channels.

### **WiFi**

We have wifi and free internet access: the wireless box is underneath the telephone, and may need turning on at the wall – if you don't see a network called "PlusnetWireless" then it probably needs turning on. Having selected this network, you need the WPA password: please contact us for this. The bandwidth is not unlimited, however, so please be aware of this with your usage: email and web browsing will be fine, but filesharing or movie downloads will cause problems.

### **Telephone**

The telephone currently provides free calling for all – free national calls after 6pm, and free local calls – but other calls are charged to us. Please be responsible in your usage of it – small bills we will absorb.

### **Fire, First Aid**

On the wall to your left after you have entered there is a Hush button – use this to silence the alarm if it goes off and you've just burned the toast. Should you have a more significant fire, there is a fire blanket in the cupboard under the sink. There is a First Aid kit in the bathroom cupboard under the sink – if you use anything from it, please let us know, or replace it when you're next out.

**Apartment Door**

Please use both the Yale lock and Chubb lock on the apartment door when you go out – whilst the property is very secure and we have had no issues with security at all, our insurance company asks that the Chubb lock is used as well.

**Artwork & Artifacts**

Much of the artwork on the walls is original or limited edition prints – if you want to purchase versions of the canvas posters, contact us via Coast & Country and we can provide you with prices. The limited edition print in the main bedroom is a Duncan Macintyre. For those interested in design, the juicer in the kitchen is a Starck design and the dining chairs are Charles Eames. The tide clock to the left of the main window indicates the state of the tide – at low tide there are often breakers on the Skerries Bank, and it's a good time to be at the beaches as there is a lot more exposed sand to play with.

**Online information**

If you look online at our website [fiveprospecthouse.com](http://fiveprospecthouse.com), you will find more information about the local area and suchlike. In particular, there are details about what is on in the local region, the weather forecast, a live picture of the major shipping that is moving around outside the window, and other useful information.

We hope that you have a great holiday here.