

**B**eing a mum to two boys under four means a night out is a rare treat for Kimberley Walsh. But the former Girls Aloud star was free from childcare duties as she enjoyed an evening out with her mum Diane at the St John Ambulance Everyday Hero Awards at London's Hilton Bankside hotel.

The 35-year-old is all smiles as she chats to us about the chances of a Girls Aloud reunion, what she thinks about Sarah Harding's *Celebrity Big Brother* victory and how her sons Bobby, three, and nine-month-old Cole are getting on...

**Hi Kimberley! How's Cole doing?**

He's great. He's very cute. He's a smiley little thing. He'll be one in a couple of months. It's bizarre - I feel like I've only just had him!

**Are you back from maternity leave now?**

Yes, I'm back to business. I'm hoping to return to acting and hopefully some presenting. I've some bits lined up before Christmas, but next year I'll be more into it. I'll never work full time, but I'll do the balancing act.

**Did you watch Sarah on *Celebrity Big Brother*?**

I didn't see much of it because the kids don't sleep very often, or for very long. But I wish I had now and I'm really happy that she won. I think it's amazing.

**Would you ever consider doing it?**

To be honest, the very idea of *Big Brother* terrifies me. I feel claustrophobic just thinking about it. I'd be very aware that I was being watched and there's not much to do, so fair play to her for doing it. I think she was so brave to go in there.

**What did you think of Chad Johnson?**

He seemed nice enough from the little bits I saw. I really wish Sarah well - I want her to be happy. So if he's making her happy then that's alright!

**Nadine Coyle is back in the spotlight, too. Dare we hope for a Girls Aloud reunion?!**

I don't know... Obviously everyone is quite busy at the moment. Cheryl and me have

the babies, Sarah and Nadine are doing their thing, and Nicola is constantly busy writing. But you never know, do you? It's just not the right time now.

**Speaking of Cheryl, how is she adapting to motherhood?**

She's amazing, which I knew she would be.

**Do you think Cole and Bear are destined to be best friends?**

I see her all the time and the boys are getting to know each other, but Cole is pretty much trampling all over Bear at the moment. I'm like, "Get off!" He's crawling and Bear isn't quite at that stage, but it's lovely. They're good together.

**How do you and your husband Justin Scott keep the spark alive in your relationship?**

It's about learning to keep each other happy and giving each other freedom. We have two children, so we like to give each other time to chill out and see friends. He's had quite a few golf days lately, so I'd love a spa day.

**Would you like another baby?**

I've probably got another one in me at some point. I might have to be stopped, because I just love babies.

**Would you like a girl next time?**

I honestly think I would prefer a boy. It's weird... I've just always thought boys were cuter! ■

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Cheryl is smashing motherhood



She wishes she'd watched more CBB



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Kimberley loves having boys