Organising the family

The planets have aligned and your planner is chugging along perfectly.

Then suddenly: FAMILY! How do you get your family on board with planning or at least participate in your interplanetary goal of dining at the restaurant at the end of the Universe?

In this week’s episode, Steve and Karine discuss strategies and tactics for staggeringly minuscule successes in planning with others.

Tune in and thanks for all the fish.

If you have ideas for future episodes please send them to steve at philofaxy dot com

**Show Notes** (timings approximate)
00:00 - Introductions
01:00 - Are they more organised than you?
02:00 - Are you the 'hub'
02:30 - Family calendar
05:00 - Deciding what and what not to share.
07:30 - Family travel planner - [Kayak](#)
09:00 - Colour Coding
11:00 - Have one In-box
12:30 - Contextualising tasks
13:00 - Sharing what you are planning to-do
16:00 - Shared family electronic calendar
17:30 - Matching colour codes between Electronic and Paper Planners
18:00 - Separating your life in to different calendars
20:30 - Using the colours to help indicate your life/work balance
24:00 - Encouraging your partners to use a planner.
25:00 - Use a small notebook to discretely plan
25:30 - Getting children to tell you of their planning needs
28:00 - A central planner for the family
29:00 - Don't be a 'Fire fighter'