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## USEFUL TELEPHONE NUMBERS

### Councils

**Barnet**  
Admin/Town Hall 020 8359 2000  
Council Tax 020 8359 2608  
Recycling & refuse 020 8359 4600  
Primary Care Trust 020 8201 4700  
Benefits Agency 020 8258 6500  
Employment Service 020 8258 3900  
**Haringey Council** 020 8489 0000

### Leisure

**Alexandra Palace** 020 8365 2121  
**East Finchley Library** 020 8883 2664  
**Muswell Hill Odeon** 0870 505 0007  
**Phoenix Cinema** 020 8444 6789  
**Warner Cinema** 020 8446 9933

### Transport

**BR Enquiries** 0845 7484950  
**City Airport** 020 7646 0088  
**London Transport** 020 7222 1234  
**National Express** 08705 808080  
**Heathrow Airport** 0870 000 0123

### Help & Advice

**Childline** 0800 1111  
**Disability Info Service** 020 8446 6935  
**E.F. Advice Service** 020 8444 6265  
**Gingerbread** 020 8445 4227  
**National Debt Line** 0808 808 4000  
**NSPCC** 0800 800500  
**Rape & Sexual Abuse** 020 8683 3300  
**Relate** 020 8447 8101  
**Samaritans** 08457 909090  
**Refuge Crisis Line** 0870 599 5443

### Health Advice

**AIDSline** 020 8363 2141  
**Alcoholics Anonymous** 0845 7697555  
**Barnet MENCAP** 020 8203 6688  
**Cancer Support** 020 8202 2211  
**Carers' Line** 0808 808 7777  
**Drinkline** 0800 917 8282  
**Drugs Helpline** 0800 776600  
**Health Info Service** 0800 665544  
**MIND** 020 8343 5700

### OAP's Advice

**Barnet Age Concern** 020 8346 3511  
**Contact (N2)** 020 8444 1162  
**Help the Aged** 0808 800 6565

### Hospitals

**Barnet General** 020 8216 4000  
**Coppetts Wood** 020 8883 9792  
**Finchley Memorial** 020 8349 6300  
**Oak Lane Clinic** 020 8346 9343  
**Royal Free** 020 7794 0500  
**St Luke's** 020 8219 1800  
**Whittington** 020 7272 3070

### Crime

**Emergency** 999  
**Finchley Police** 020 8442 1212  
**Mus. Hill Police Stn.** 020 8345 2148  
**CrimeStoppers** 0800 555111  
**Victim Support** 0845 303 0900  
**East Finchley Safer Neighbourhood Team** 020 7161 9014



42 Church Lane, London N2 8DT.  
Tel/Fax: 020 8444 6265

### General Advice.

Monday to Friday: 10am - 12.30pm and 1.30pm - 4pm.

### Legal Advice.

Tuesdays: 7pm - 8pm.

### Councillors' Surgery.

Saturdays: 10am - 11.30am

### Community Services

❖ **Credit Union**, Green Man Community Centre 020 8883 4916  
❖ **Careers advice**, Green Man, Community Centre 020 8883 4916  
❖ **Toy library**, Muswell Hill 020 8444 0244/ 8489 8774

## Police teams need your help

People in East Finchley are being encouraged to work more closely with their Safer Neighbourhood team to make a real difference to the community.

A new advertising campaign has been launched across London by the Metropolitan Police as it celebrates the milestone of having established a Safer Neighbourhoods team in each of the capital's 624 wards.

The advertising campaign is encouraging people to become involved with their local police teams in order to identify local problems and help improve the quality of life where they live.

Chief Superintendent Steve Bloomfield, from Safer Neighbourhoods, said: "It is by working together with the public and our local partners that we are able to provide long-term solutions to problems such as anti-social behaviour, drug using, smashed bus stops, graffiti and noisy neighbours."

Safer Neighbourhood officers are dedicated to local policing and public reassurance and are not taken away from their

neighbourhoods except in very exceptional circumstances.

East Finchley's policing team is based at 113 High Road and can be contacted on 020 7161 9014 or 07887 632767.

## Nursery admissions

The closing date for applications for Holy Trinity CE School nursery for children born between 1 September 2004 and 31 August 2005 is approaching.

Parents and carers wishing to apply need to fill in an application form, available from the school, and return it with the relevant documentation by 20 April 2007.

For further information contact the school on 020 8883 1824.

## New school: your views sought

A public consultation is under way on the proposed new Church of England-sponsored secondary school opening in Finchley in 2008.

The school, in Hilton Avenue, North Finchley, will be called the Wren Academy and will specialise in design and the built environment, as well as offering an all-round curriculum for 11 to 18-year-olds.

The consultation period lasts until 9 March. Full details are available on the school's website [www.wrenacademy.org](http://www.wrenacademy.org), by email on [enquiries@wrenacademy.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@wrenacademy.co.uk) or by contacting Francesca Grimes on 0117 311 5268.

## Planning Applications

### Barnet

**Oak Lodge School, Heath View, N2**

Multi-use games area with associated sports fencing and hard surfaced surrounds and pedestrian and vehicular access.

**68 Ossulton Way, N2**

Loft conversion with addition of conservation type roof lights to side and rear.

Conversion of garage to habitable room. Construction of single storey link between house and garage.

**36A Sedgemere Avenue, N2**

Alterations to roof including insertion of roof lights, rear dormer windows and mansarding of rear roof slope to create a new self-contained flat in the loft

**323 Long Lane, N2**

Conversion of property to form one x 1-bed and one x 2-bed self-contained flats.

**38 Brownswell Road, N2**

Single storey garage to side

**56 Brownswell Road, N2**

Single storey rear extension.

New porch

**642 Bedford Road, N2**

Single storey rear/side conservatory.

**30 Deansway, N2**

Part single, part two-storey rear extension. Loft conversion including rear dormer window. Raised decking.

**17 Howard Walk, N2**

Proposed single storey rear extension plus loft conversion including 1 No. roof light to each slope.

**76 Abbots Gardens, N2**

Rear dormer roof extension to single family dwelling.

### 13 Abbots Gardens, N2

First floor side extension and loft conversion with hip end and rear dormer window.

### 7 Brim Hill, N2

1 x Silver Birch to be felled.

### Land rear of Hornbeams, The Bishops Avenue, N2

Demolition of Hornbeams.

### Haringey

#### 29 Church Vale N2

Erection of single storey rear extension.

#### 14 Shakespeare Gardens N2

Erection of single storey rear extension and conversion of loft to include erection of rear dormer window and creation of gable end.

#### The Badgers, White Lodge Close N2

Replacement of existing single family house with new single family house proposed, i.e., complete demolition.

#### 1 Beech Drive N2

Erection of single storey side/rear extension and erection of rear and side dormer windows. Insertion of 2 x roof lights to front elevation.

#### 70 Twyford Avenue N2

Erection of single storey rear extension.

#### 37 Fordington Road N6

Alterations to elevations and front elevation involving conversion of garage to habitable room. Erection of single storey rear extension, with new terrace and steps. Erection of new rear and side dormer and roof light to front.

#### 53 Fortis Green Avenue N2

Erection of rear dormer window and insertion of 2 roof lights to front elevation.

## OSTEOPATHY

at

## The Twyford Practice

*Osteopathic consultation and treatments  
in Fortis Green, N2.*

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