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USEFUL TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Councils		Help & Advice		Drinkline	0800 917 8282
Barnet		Childline	0800 1111	Drugs Helpline	0800 776600
Admin/Town Hall	020 8359 2000	Citizens Advice Barnet	0300 4568365	Health Info Service	0800 665544
Council Tax	020 8359 2608	Cruse Bereavement Care	0870 167 1677	MIND	020 8343 5700
Recycling & refuse	020 8359 4600	Disability Info Service	020 8359 7637	National Blood Centre	0845 7711 7711
Primary Care Trust	020 8201 4700	EF Advice Service	020 8444 6265	Crime	
Benefits Agency	020 8258 6500	Lone Parent Centre	020 7021 4146	Emergency	999
Employment Service	020 8258 3900	Missing Persons Helpline	0500 700700	Police non-emergency	101
Haringey Council	020 8489 0000	National Debt Line	0808 808 4000	CrimeStoppers	0800 555111
Leisure		NSPCC	0800 800500	Victim Support	0845 303 0900
Alexandra Palace	020 8365 2121	Rape & Sexual Abuse helpline		Hospitals	
East Finchley Library	020 8883 2664		020 8683 3300	NHS	111
Gt North Leisure Park	0870 240 6020	Relate	020 8447 8101	Barnet General	020 8216 4000
Muswell Hill Odeon	0870 505 0007	RSPCA	0300 1234 999	Edgware General	020 8952 2381
Phoenix Cinema	020 8444 6789	Samaritans	08457 909090	Finchley Memorial	020 8349 7500
Tourist Info Service	0870 128 8080	Refuge National Crisis Line		Oak Lane Clinic	020 8346 9343
Warner Cinema Village	020 8446 9933		0870 599 5443	Royal Free	020 7794 0500
Transport		Health Advice		St Luke's	020 8219 1800
BR Enquiries	0845 7484950	AIDSline	020 8363 2141	Whittington	020 7272 3070
City Airport	020 7646 0088	Alcoholics Anonymous	0845 7697555	OAP's Advice	
London Transport	020 7222 1234	Barnet MENCAP	020 8203 6688	Age UK Barnet	020 8203 5040
National Express	08705 808080	Cancer Support	020 8202 2211	Independent Age	0800 319 6789
Heathrow Airport	0870 000 0123	Carers' Line	0808 808 7777	Age UK (general advice line)	0800 169 2081

Find me a foster home

If you're an animal lover who is still deciding on a New Year resolution, here is a suggestion for one which is different and would also make a difference. The Animal Aid and Advice charity is seeking people to foster rescued cats.



Photo courtesy of Pexels.com

Volunteers are needed to provide them with a temporary home for a few weeks or months until they are found a new, permanent place. All veterinary treatment is covered and expenses can be reimbursed. Cats and kittens are also available for adoption.

Funded by their charity shop in the High Road, N2, a bookshop in Highbury and donations, Animal Aid and Advice receives no other funding but it is one

of the few such charities which will go out to rescue sick and injured strays.

Volunteers are also needed to help in the East Finchley shop. The work is unpaid but is a way of adding to your CV and gaining work experience, as well as getting out of the house and meeting people. Training will be given.

To find out more call 020 8444 6290 or 07599 268 649 or 07859 880 221 or pop into the shop at 48 High Road.

Academy consultation

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In setting its admissions criteria, the Archer Academy says it has sought to balance the interests of parents from three postcodes: N2, N3 and NW11. It estimates that well over 50% of its total places will still be filled by children living in N2.

These children will qualify by living in close enough proximity to the school's site in Eagans Place, N2, or by having older siblings at the school or by one of the other designated criteria. A large number who attend the nominated feeder schools also live in N2 even though those schools themselves are not sited in East Finchley.

Full details of the new proposals, including projections of student numbers, are available online. Find the details at <http://thearcheracademy.org.uk/2018-admissions-consultation>.

Thousands for good causes

Charities and voluntary groups are being invited to apply for grants of up to £5,000 for projects that make a difference in their neighbourhoods.

Grants are aimed at helping struggling young families, caring for elderly people who experience loneliness, improving local green spaces and helping people gain skills and overcome barriers to healthier and better lives.

The offer comes from Barnet Giving, a new charitable organisation run by residents that is in its first year of grant allocation. The deadline for applications is 13 January. Full eligibility criteria and the application form are available at <http://tinyurl.com/hwpa3gw>. You can also find out more at www.barnet-giving.org.uk.

Help to face cancer

If you are having treatment for any type of cancer, thanks to the generosity of Cancer-Link Barnet, Advocacy in Barnet can provide a free cab service to get you to your appointments. It can also provide an Appointment Buddy to accompany you to your appointments if you have no one to support you.

If you are affected by cancer, are 50+, and live in the London Borough of Barnet the organisation can also support you to make informed choices about your cancer treatment and care. It will help you express your views, ask for what you really need and access the services you are entitled to. A member of the team will visit you at home to find out exactly what support you would like.

The service is free, independent, non-judgemental and confidential. For details call 020 8201 3415.

Planning Applications

Barnet Council
100 and 102 Brim Hill, N2

Single-storey rear extension and side and rear windows to both properties. Alterations to fenestration, and to hard and soft landscaping. (Amended description.)

23 Chandos Road, N2
Single-storey rear extension. Depth 3.9 m. Eaves height 2.85m. Maximum height 3.92 m.

45 Chandos Road, N2
Installation of wheelchair lift to front garden.

50 Church Lane, N2
Single-storey rear extension.

211 Creighton Avenue, N2
Extension to existing rear extension to side of 213 Creighton Avenue.

269 Creighton Avenue, N2
Roof extension, involving hip to gable and rear dormer window, to facilitate loft conversion. (Lawful development certificate.)

58 Deansway, N2
Two-storey side and rear extension with associated roof configuration.

Loft conversion involving rear and side roof lights. Alterations to rear fenestration, and new first-floor side window

257 East End Road, N2
Conversion of single dwelling house into three self-contained flats. Basement extension to front and rear, with new light wells and patio area. Associated amenity space, cycle parking, refuse and recycling.

23 Elmhurst Avenue, N2
Single-storey rear extension.

2A Fortis Green, N2
Submission of details of condition 3 (Noise Management Plan), pursuant to previous planning permission.

60 Hertford Road, N2
Single-storey rear extension. Maximum depth 6m. Eaves height 2.7 m. Maximum height 3m. res.

100 Hertford Road, N2
Single-storey side and rear extension, following part demolition of existing rear extension.

124A High Road, N2
Internal alterations to convert first and second floor into two self-contained flats.

3 Huntingdon Road, N2
Roof extension involving rear dormer window with Juliette balcony to facilitate loft conversion. Outbuilding to rear.

49 Leopold Road, N2
Roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer Juliette balcony, three front roof lights to facilitate loft conversion.

32 Oakview Gardens, N2
Single-storey rear extension. Eaves height 3 m. Maximum height 3.5 m. Depth 4 m.

58 Park Hall Road, N2
Roof extension to rear mansard roof involving rear dormer window. Two front roof lights.

59 Park Hall Road, N2
Outbuilding to rear of garden, following demolition of existing garage. Retrospective application.

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