

# Rowland Hill Nursery School & Children's Centre

## Headteacher's Newsletter

Autumn Term - Issue 1

Friday 13th September 2013

Dear Mums, Dads and Carers,

I would like to welcome you all back. I hope you all had a good summer break. A big welcome to all our new children and families. I look forward to meeting you all at the welcome workshops I shall be running with the Assistant head-Veena.

The Nursery school environment is looking different with new equipment & resources. I hope you like it.

There have been many improvements to the school over the summer break. We have set up six talking times areas in the Nursery. Talking time is for children who are ready to sit and join in a group activity session from **10.55am-11.25am and 2.55pm-3.25pm**. Your child's key person will discuss with you when your child will start attending talking time.

The recent nursery school OFSTED was very positive about how safe and secure the children feel with the staff at Rowland Hill, how supportive all the parents are and that we know how to continue to improve the children's learning. The inspector wants us to make sure all the teaching is good or better, ensure that all children behave appropriately and wear sun hats when it is sunny. Governors will be sharing the post Ofsted action plan with you all shortly. I will be explaining what the school is required to improve at the welcome workshops

If you would like a full copy of the report please ask Shirley on reception, there is also a copy in the cafe.

If your child attends the childcare service or has a two year old place we are expecting an Ofsted inspection and will be in touch when this happens. We are also expecting a children's center inspection shortly.

Kind regards

Julie Vaggers, Headteacher



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### Calendar Dates

Tues 17<sup>th</sup> & Weds 18<sup>th</sup> Sept-**Parents Welcome Workshop** (10am,2pm & 6pm) **All Nursery parents & parents of 2yr olds must attend.**

Weds 25<sup>th</sup> Sept- Staff Training session (**Rowland Hill is open from 8am-2.30pm**)

Fri 27<sup>th</sup> Sept- **Parents Forum** 9am-11.30am

Fri 25<sup>th</sup> Oct-**Staff Training day (Rowland Hill closed)**

Mon 28<sup>th</sup> Oct-**Half term (Only Childcare in session)**

Tues 19<sup>th</sup> Nov-Staff training session (**Rowland Hill is open from 8am-2.30pm**)

Mon 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec-Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> Jan 2014- **Holidays (Rowland Hill closed)**

Mon 6<sup>th</sup> Jan 2014-Staff Training day (**Rowland Hill Closed**)

### Weekly Groups/Sessions:

Please refer to the Activities timetable attached which gives you a description of the various groups/sessions we run, with dates and times included.

### New start times and end times for Nursery Children

Morning attendees: 8.30-11.25am

Afternoon Attendees: 12.30pm – 3.25pm

Full time Attendees: 8.30am – 3.25pm

### Collection points

When you collect your child there will be new routes into the building. This will be signposted. You can only collect when staff have opened the doors.

- For Kyria, Anna, & Farhana's group please walk through the Community Garden to the Red Doors.
- For Hayley, Gay, Mary, Yiota and Sue's group, please enter through Main Reception door when opened by staff.
- For children to be collected from the Under 3's, walk through the Red Gate opposite main Reception which will be opened for 10minutes by a member of staff



**STAFF LIST****NURSERY SCHOOL**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Position</b>
Julie Vaggers	Headteacher
Sue O'Connell	Assistant Head Teaching & Learning
Veena Sharma	Assistant Head for Parental Involvement
Barbara Kaliri	SENCO
Kyria Christofi	Senior Teacher
Hayley Templeman	Teacher
Farhana Matin-Bari	Early years key person
Yiota Orphanides	Early years key person
Gay Stout	Early Years Key Person
Anna Milic	Early years key person
Mary Callaghan	Early years Key Person Assistant
Savita Farquharson	Early years assistant (SEN)
Kim Nicholls	Early Years Assistant
Malgorzata Makarewicz	Centre Assistant
Marianna Tsoulloftas	Centre Assistant (PPA Cover)

**SMSA(School Meals Supervisory Assistant)**

Alexis Williams	SMSA
Harmash Kaur	SMSA
Violet O'Neill	Senior SMSA
Vivienne Mensah	SMSA/Creche worker

**CHILDCARE & TWO YEAR OLDS**

Sarah Flory	Childcare Co-ordinator
Jackie Arcos	Childcare Senior & Early Years Key Person
Lara Gormley	Childcare Senior & Early Years Key Person
Rimante Stanulienė	Early Years Key Person
Alberta Fleischer-Obeng	Early years assistant
Grace Kufuor	Early years assistant (SEN)
Rabea Musabbir	Centre Assistant

**CHILDREN'S CENTRE**

Toni Wheeler	Early Intervention Co-ordinator
Gullrose Hakim	Community Development Outreach Worker
Meliza Sukhdeo	Community Development Outreach Worker
Salma Douik	Information Officer
Tina Kent	Family Support worker

**ADMINISTRATION**

Shirley Swire	Receptionist/Admin Officer
Hester Allaway	Early Years Training Administrator
Richard Kaufman	Data & Evaluation Officer
Jainee Shah	SBM/Finance & Data Officer
Angela Odunsi	Office Manager
Corrina Martin	Finance Officer



**SITE MANAGEMENT**

Anthony Peters	Site Manager
Julie Coen	Cleaner
Matilda Hagan	Kitchen Assistant
Violet O'Neill	Cleaner

# Activities Timetable for Rowland Hill Children's Centre – September 2013

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p><b>Job Centre Plus</b> Work Focused Interviews - By Appointment Only</p>	<p><b>IAPT (Improving Access to Psychological Therapies)</b> One to One sessions by Appointment Only</p>	<p><b>Baby Weighing</b> <b>9:30-11:00am</b> Held on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month Next session - 25th September 2013</p>	<p><b>Whittington Hospital</b> <b>Ante &amp; Post Natal</b> <b>Services</b> <b>9:00am-4:00pm</b> By Appointment Only</p>	<p><b>Baby Stay &amp; Play</b> <b>9:30-11:30am</b>  Drop-In Session 0-12 months</p>
<p><b>Plant It, Grow It, Cook It</b> <b>9:30-11:00am</b>  Drop-In Session 0-3+ years Come &amp; engage in the community garden, growing vegetables &amp; using them to cook healthy meals</p>	<p><b>Stay &amp; Play</b> <b>9:15-11:15am</b>  Drop-In Session 0-3+ years  Play with your child and meet families in your community</p>	<p><b>Rhythm and Rhyme</b> <b>9:30-10:30am</b>  Drop-In Session Held on 1st, 2nd &amp; 3rd Wednesday of the month 0-3 years A musical experience for children and families</p>	<p><b>Hearing Impaired</b> <b>Toddler Group</b> <b>9.30-11.15am</b>  Drop-In Session Term Time Only A language rich environment that uses both sign &amp; spoken languages</p>	<p><b>North Middlesex Ante &amp; Post Natal Services</b> <b>9:00am-4:00pm</b> By Appointment Only</p>
<p><b>Citizens Advice Bureau</b> 9:30-12:30 Help and Advice for families Drop-In No Appointment Required</p>	<p><b>Haringey PIPS (Parent &amp; Infant Psychology</b> <b>Service)</b>  By Appointment Only</p> 	<p><b>Breastfeeding Group</b> <b>1:30-3:30pm</b>  Breastfeeding Advice &amp; Support Drop-In</p> 	<p><b>Chatter Matters</b> <b>1:00-3:00pm</b> Bookable Group  Learn about your child's early language skills</p>	<p><b>IAPT (Improving Access to Psychological</b> <b>Therapies)</b> One to One sessions by appointment only</p>

#### Other Local Children Centres

- ◆ Bounds Green Childrens Centre, Bounds Green Road, N11 2QG,  
Tel: 0208 888 8824
- ◆ Noel Park Childrens Centre at Shropshire Hall,  
◆ Gladstone Avenue, N22 6LD,  
Tel: 0208 826 9280
- ◆ Woodside Childrens Centre,  
59 White Hart Lane, N22 5SJ  
Tel: 0208 888 4398

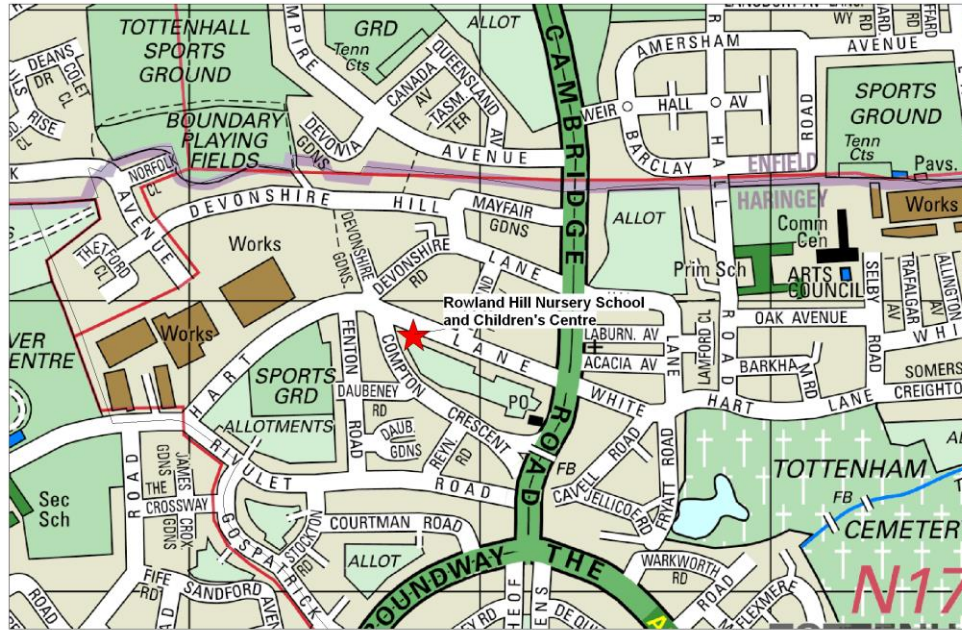


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Come and find out more about the services your local children's centre has to offer.

Meet other families and join in the fun. For any further information about any children centre services please contact the Information officer.

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Rowland Hill is an inclusive, supportive children's centre in which all children and their families can make positive relationships, learn together, grow in confidence & self respect and be happy.

