

Lostock & Gorse Hill Children's Centre Newsletter

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The Lodge Scout Hut

At long last the refurbishment of this venue has now been completed. It has been completely overhauled and looks fantastic. We have a new session running from this venue:

'Take Away Play'

The session is free and is held every Thursday 1—3 pm.

Please note:

This session is open to residents from the Lostock & Gorsehill area only.



We are holding a 12 week parenting course starting in September 2011.

This course is now full.

If you would like to attend a 6 week Incredible Years course for Babies & Toddlers. Please call the centre to book but be advised that places go quickly!

Job Centre Plus

Weekly Jobs Update

We receive a weekly update from Job Centre Plus. Details of job vacancies are displayed on our notice boards outside and inside the children's centre.

Drop in to the centre for more details or to what's on offer

New Venue

We are currently refurbishing a brand new venue in the Lostock area.

This will be a multi agency community hub where a range of services will be delivered.

It is hoped the hub will be finished by mid June.

Staff News

Multi Agency Teams

At the end of March we said a sad farewell to Hayley our Dietitian and Terrie, Sue, Jen and Carole our Speech & Language Therapists. Who have now moved back into the community.

The speech and language department will now be based at Timperley Health Centre.

Tel: 980 8041

However the monthly assessments will still be held at the children's centres. You can book an appointment by calling the centre.

To be referred to a dietitian please contact your GP.

Trainee Centre Worker

We welcome Courtney Farrell to the team. Courtney is a trainee who will be based with us on a six month placement. She will be helping to deliver services alongside our centre workers.

Volunteering

Mic'a Al - amiley has joined us as a volunteer. She will be working alongside the children's centre workers delivering groups and courses.

If you would be interested in becoming a volunteer, call the centre and ask to speak to Jane Rostron, our Assistant Head, who can give you more information.

Family Surgery & Smoking Cessation (First Tuesday of the Month)

1 - 3 pm

The Lodge Scout Hut



Jane Rostron has become our cessation advisor at the centre.

If you are thinking about quitting, have a quit date in mind and would like advice & support: 1-1 (NRT vouchers available)

From July 5th Jane will be holding a drop - in for any one wishing to access this service or for any one needing any questions answering regarding services or family support.

This service is for the carers / families of children under 5 in the Stretford Lostock & Gorse Hill areas.

Consultations

We will be shortly holding consultations to keep you informed of the changes happening to children's centre services and activities.

The dates and times will be sent to you as soon as we have them.

Children and Young People's Information Service (CYPIS)

For help and advice on Pre-School Playgroups, Day Nurseries, Out of School Clubs, Play Schemes, Registered Childminders, Crèches, Parent and Toddler Groups and School Nurseries
Please ring 0161 912 1053

To celebrate National Family Week:

We are having

A Family Sports Day

Saturday 11th June

11 am - 2 pm

At Lostock Park

Curzon Road

Lostock

Come and join the fun!



What's on guide

If you would like the latest edition of our timetable of activities call in to the centre and pick one up.