# **Year Review for Early Help Central 2 Team**

Area: Berridge and Sherwood

# **Area Committee Meeting 28th June 2017**

**Team:** Central Team 2 – Consists of a Children's Centre Team

Family Support Workers Level 2 - delivering group interventions and 1:1 family support, 2.5 (FTE Full time Equivalent) 1 FTE based in Targeted Team delivering parenting groups, 2.5 FTE vacancies

Family Support Workers Level 1 - Delivering groups in the communities- 2.8 FTE Play and Youth Team consists of 2.5 Play and Youth Seniors and 3.5 Play and Youth Workers (1.5 vacancies)

**Wards covered by the team:** Arboretum, Radford and Park, Sherwood, Berridge, Dunkirk and Lenton- (services for this area covered by Early Help South Team 2)

# **Leadership Team:**

Community Family Support Manager: Jane Richardson

Assistant Community Family Support Manager: Helen Barnett

Early Support Specialist: Yasmin Kayani

Play and Youth Specialist: Manjit Sahota (City wide) Early Learning Specialist: Naomi Skelton (City wide)

## **Children's Centre Delivery**

Attendance reporting for April 2016 – March 2017

Number of open access sessions: **315** Number of targeted sessions: **217** 

Partners sessions: **618** Portage sessions: **21** 

### Open access sessions:

Average weekly attendances:

Stay, Play and Learn at Hyson Green CC (Monday): 26 families

Stay, Play and Learn at Sherwood CC: 9 families

Stay, Play and Learn at Nottingham Nursery (Radford): 14 families

Stay, Play and Learn at Hyson Green CC (Thursday): 24 families

Stay, Play and Learn at Radford CC: 6 families - Q1

Sing and Wiggle with Rainbow Stripes (Edwards Lane CC): 33

Sing and Wiggle with Rainbow Stripes (Hyson Green CC): 15 families however the

last month has seen increase in attendance to 22 families

Sing and Wiggle with Rainbow Stripes) (Radford CC): 11 families- the numbers had seen a big variance in attendance in the last month

# **Targeted sessions**

Average weekly attendances: April 2016 – March 2017

Family Support Clinics (x 3): 2-3 families

Translation Session: 2-3 families Money Matters: Q1: 4 adults

Healthy Lifestyles Q1: 7 children, 5 adults: PEEP Watch Me Grow: Q1: 3-4 families

Chatter Matters: Q1: 5 families

Getting Ready for Nursery: Q1/Qtr 3:5 families

Sleep Tight: Q2/3: 4 adults, 4 children Arabic Eat Well: Q2/3: 10 adults, 6 children Inbetweenies PEEP: Q2/3: 4 children, 2 adults

Parenting Workshops: Q2/3: 4 families (one off events 3 times across the term)

Freedom Programme: Q2/3: 8 adults, 5 children (crèche)

ESOL Programme: cancelled by the provider due to low attendance

Volunteering Otr 4:3 adults

Me and Child Parenting Qtr 4: 3 adults

Confidence building workshop Qtr 4: - 7 adults

Healthy Eating Qtr 4: 6 adults

Open House First Aid

#### **Outcomes evidence:**

Activity Analysis are completed for every group planned with expected outcomes and evaluation after each term focusing on what went well and further recommendations and actions. Learning journals /tracking and/progress stars are all completed with individual families and children.

## Group evaluations:

- Families value the open access sessions at Hyson Green Children's Centre with a consistently high regular attendance of local families. Singing, stories and rhymes incorporated within these sessions have had a positive impact on families whose first language is not English, as well as those for whom it is.
- Children made good progress in the targeted school readiness sessions; with quality assurance observations grading these as Good.
- Families within the Hyson Green area have advocated for more messy play opportunities for their children; every month the open access sessions have a messy play theme to provide further stimulus and new experiences for children and their families; with a range of top tips and take home sheets to encourage families to try activities at home, supporting learning.

- Parents and carers have welcomed the active part they play creating learning journeys and celebrating their child's achievements through WOW moments.
- All programmes/sessions which ran have some outcomes at the end of term (progress stars and children's development tracking

Progress stars and tracking: April – March 2017

- All programmes/sessions have some outcomes at the end of term (progress stars and children's development tracking)
- 122 children were tracked
- Impact/progress has been evidenced with most children making some progress and/or early identification of need identified where applicable.
- 113 progress stars were completed

A priority for delivery from September 2017 will be the Freedom Programme, run in partnership with Women's Aid. A crèche will be provided alongside the programme.

# Play and Youth Delivery:

Attendance reporting for April 2016 – March 2017

Number of open access sessions: 462

Average Weekly attendances:

Edwards Lane Play - 13
Edwards Lane Youth - 11
Forest Fields Play – Weds 19
New Basford Youth Session - 7
Forest Fields Play – Thurs - 19
Hyson Green Youth – 12
Forest Fields Play – Fri - 19
Radford Transitional Youth - 8
Forest Fields Play – Sat - 15
Bridlington Park - 11
Radford Outreach Qtr 3 - 7

Provision in the New Basford area will be maintained during term time going forwards.

Young people from the Polish and Roma communities are continuing to be supported at the session run at Hyson Green Youth Club. Memberships forms and key information is made available in different languages, and informal consultation takes place to encourage engagement.

A city wide programme will be in place for Summer 2017, providing a consistent offer across all wards, with the aim to foster community cohesion and engagement with families across the areas.

#### **Outcomes evidence:**

Number of themed projects against Directorate Target: 4

Project scaling 16

### Consultations/feedback:

Early Help Central 2 ran the first Locality based Youth Council Event. This was organised by and ran by young people, focusing on the theme of 'make ideas count' a young people's delegation attend all Youth council events.

Kool Kids Committee was formed and continues to run at Forest Fields Playcentre for children to have a voice on how the Centre is run.

### Citywide events

Healthy Me December 2016

The Play and Youth Teams hosted a fantastic 'Healthy Me' event for young people at the fabulous Harvey Hadden Sports Village. Over 120 young people from across the city attended and enjoyed the program of activities on offer these ranged from, basketball, swimming to Zumba. Teams watched the excitement from the young people who said they loved the event, many wanted longer!!! And more activities, importantly they said they will be attending the Centre again in the future.

### Celebration Event April 2017

The event brought together 60 Young People and their Parent/ carer from across the city to celebrate their achievements during 2016/17. Held at the Council House Young People received certificates in acknowledgement for their achievement's in themed project work, Youth Council and personal achievement's.