Welcome to Enfield

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Cllr Nesil Caliksan

Leader of Enfield Council



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About Enfield

- London's most northern borough
- Approx. 330,000 residents
- Over 90 languages spoken
- More than 130 public parks and open spaces
- Great rail, road and airport links
- Three theatres and 17 libraries
- Rich history and heritage







The Council

- Labour Council
- 25 wards
- 63 Councillors
- Elections every 4 years
- Register to vote







Council Services

- Children and family services
- Public spaces, Culture and Local Economy
- Health and Social Care
- Licensing, Planning & Regulatory Services
- Environment
- Social Housing
- Community Safety and cohesion











Housing Advisory Service

Refugee Support Team Richard Sorensen







Homes for Ukraine – our role in supporting you

- Property inspections
- Home Office liaison
- DBS checks criminal record checks
- Administer payments
- Named caseworker
- Welfare checks and reviews



Ukrainian Evacuees in Enfield

- 181 matched households
- Accommodation through the Homes for Ukraine scheme
- 132 Ukrainians in the scheme, including 25 children
- Support with:
 - Welfare
 - Accessing benefits, schools, GPs and ESOL classes
 - Referrals to wider community groups



Next steps

- Mutual support network
- Building resilience
- Mediation service
- Respite accommodation
- Assistance in gaining employment and/or training
- Assistance with securing settled accommodation (placements are for six months)



What happens after six months:

- Extend the current arrangements
- Rematch with another host
- Secure own accommodation
- Find your Own Home Scheme
 - Help with deposit and rent in advance
 - Negotiating with landlord
 - Support with furnishings etc



Contacting us

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Tel: 020 3821 1769





Citizen Advice Service

Hilary Meeks

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Who we are and who we help

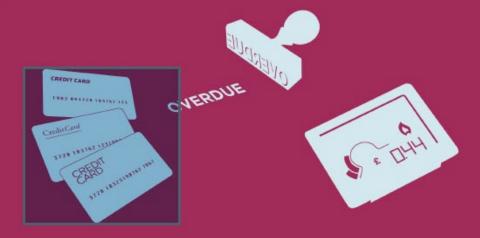
At Citizens Advice we believe no one should have to face problems without good quality, independent advice. Citizens Advice Enfield is open to everyone who lives in Enfield and our service is free. We receive some local and national government funding, and some charitable donations. Despite the funding, we are an entirely independent body, with our clients at the heart of what we do.



What can we help with?

Our service is free, confidential, open to anyone in the community. Our staff are trained to help with virtually any issue, including:

- · welfare benefits
- · money and debt problems
- employment issues
- housing
- family and personal issues
- immigration

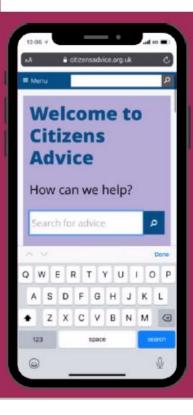


If our advisers don't have the expertise to help with your particular problem, we will do our best to signpost you to an organisation that can offer you the support you need. We work with a network of charities in Enfield, including foodbanks and mental health charities to ensure we can help everyone get the help they need.



Accessing our online resources

<u>citizensadvice.org.uk</u>



You won't
always need to give
us a call - our
national website has
lots of useful
information and
resources.

Our national website also offers a webchat service

You can talk about your issue with a trained adviser online who will try to help you solve your problem or make good progress towards it. In some cases, they might need to send you to your local Citizens Advice or a specialist organisation.



Welcome to Citizens Advice Enfield - online resources

www.citizensadviceenfield.org.uk

We aim to keep our website up-to-date and provide easy access to support via our Useful Links and Trending Topics areas





Calling Enfield Adviceline

If you can't access the further help you need from our website, then call us for free.

Our Adviceline assessors are available to guide you on your next steps: Monday-Friday, 10am-4pm

0808 278 7837





National Advicelines

There are national helplines that help with specific hardship issues

Help to Claim service 0800 144 8444 (help making Universal Credit claim)

Debt helpline 0800 240 4420

Consumer helpline 0808 223 1133

Help Through Hardship 0808 208 2138 (support to maximise income, inc. emergency foodbank vouchers)



The NHS and Vaccination

Mark Tickner
Public Health Department

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The NHS Started Providing Care In 1948

- At that time the UK had very high rates of infectious disease.
- These included Tuberculosis, Poliomyelitis, Measles and Diphtheria.
- Some of these were treatable some were not and had to be prevented.
- Improved living and housing standards, health education, screening and vaccinations all helped to control these problems.



Successful Vaccination Programmes

- Polio
- Measles
- Tuberculosis
- Rubella
- Meningitis
- Vaccinations are offered free during childhood and for at-risk adults.
- The only mandatory vaccinations are for some medical and social care staff.

Vaccinations Now

- Routine vaccinations remain very important.
- Infectious diseases are controlled, not conquered.
- This includes Coronavirus vaccinations remain crucial in this area.
- We may be starting to see the return of some infectious diseases, in part because some people are not taking offered vaccines.
- Vaccines are a safe, effective and simple way of keeping us and those around us healthy.
- If you have concerns or queries around this just ask us
 it's what we are here for.



Ukrainian Hub Enfield

Yevgenya Pozigun

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NORTH LONDON UKRAINIAN HUB

Together Now



WE STARTED WITH INDEPENDENT CHARITY ACTIVITIES SINCE WE COULDN'T STAY ASIDE FROM OUR COUNTRY'S PLIGHT



When you realise you

Must do something

Here and Now...

You are not alone ...

WE FOUND STRONG SUPPORT AT ENFIELD TRINITY CHURCH WHICH HELPED US CREATE THE LOCAL UKRAINIAN HUB



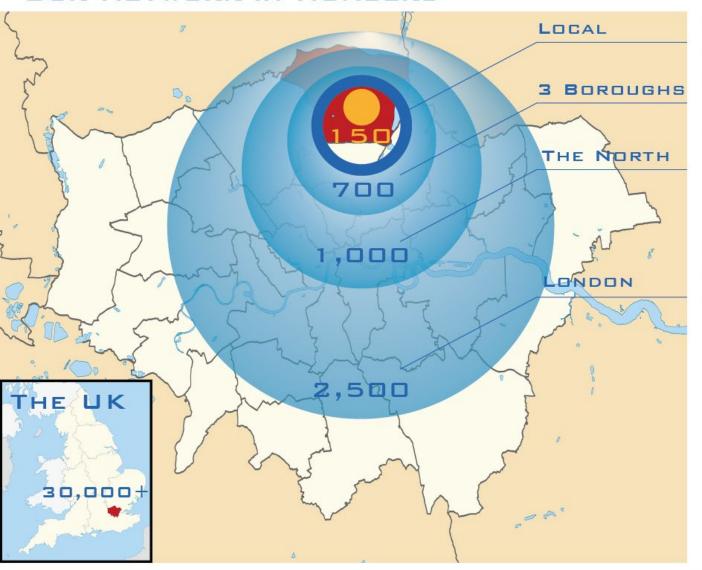
At our Hub we focus on helping
Ukrainians who fled the war and
settled in the area

OUR ACTIVITIES:

- INFORMATION SUPPORT (SCHOOLS, EMPLOY-MENT, LIFE)
- EMOTIONAL SUPPORT (EVENTS, MEETINGS, CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES)
- HELP IN LEARNING ENGLISH
- MATERIAL SUPPORT (CLOTHES, SHOES, ESSEN-TIALS, CHILDREN'S ACCESSORIES)



OUR NETWORK IN NUMBERS

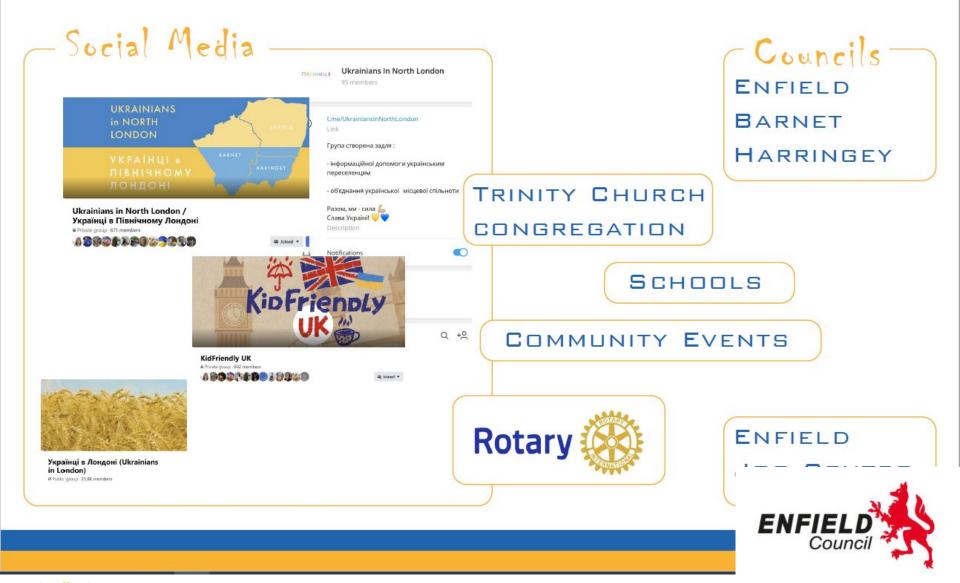


THE NUMBER OF UKRAINIAN REFUGEES IS INCREASING REACHING
1K PEOPLE IN NORTH
LONDON IN SUMMER'22

WITH 150 LOCALLY
BASED UKRAINIANS
WHO ARE VISITING THE
UKRAINIAN HUB IN EN-



WE COLLABORATE WITH VARIOUS COMMUNITIES AND ORGANI-SATIONS AIMING TO COMBINE OUR EFFORTS



OUR COMMUNITY













What we already did:

- HELPED DOZENS OF PEOPLE FINAN-CIALLY (THINGS, ESSENTIALS)
- ORGANIZED ENGLISH COURSES (MORE INFO ON A SEPARATE SLIDE)
- CREATED AN ONLINE GROUP FOR OP-ERATIONAL INFORMATION ASSISTANCE
- LAUNCHED WEEKLY MEETINGS AT THE HUB IN ENFIELD AND PICNICS AT ALEX-ANDRA PARK
- JOINED MENTORSHIP PROGRAM FOR UKRIANIAN WOMEN





DUR PROJECTS: ENGLISH LANGUAGE COURSES FOR ADULTS

Problem: THE MAJORITY OF NEWLY AR-RIVED PEOPLE FROM UKRAINE FEEL SHORTAGE OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE SKILLS WHICH MAKES DIFFICULT FOR THEM TO FIND A JOB.

Solution: WE LAUNCHED REGULAR OFFLINE ENGLISH LANGUAGE COURSES WITH A PRO-FESSIONAL TUTOR (WHO IS ALSO A UKRAINIAN REFUGEE).



Budget: This PROJECTS REQUIRES CON- THERE ARE TWO GROUPS OF STUDENTS AT WORK.

OF 6-7 PEOPLE (TWO LESSONS PER WEEK) IS VARIOUS LEVEL OF LANGUAGE £180.

STANT FUNDING AS WE PAY FOR THE TUTOR'S THE MOMENT (14 PEOPLE), BUT THE AMOUNT OF APPLICATIONS IS INCREASING.

THE MONTHLY COST OF LESSONS FOR A GROUP OUR AIM IS TO OPEN ADDITIONAL GROUPS OF

OUR PROJECTS: SUMMER ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN

RIVED FAMILIES CONSIST OF WOMEN WITH THEIR CHILDREN. WHILE MOST OF THEM WOULD SPEND SUMMER HOLIDAYS AT THEIR GRAND-PARENTS' OR IN SUMMER CAMPS IN PEACE-FUL TIMES, THEY ARE OBVIOUSLY DEPRIVED OF SUCH AN OPPORTUNITY NOWADAYS.

Solution: OUR IDEA IS TO HELP UKRAIN-IAN KIDS TO JOIN SUMMER ACTIVITIES WHICH WILL BRING SOME SENSE OF NORMALITY TO THEIR LIVES.







WE CONSIDER LAUNCHING SUCH ACTIVITIES

OR FIND A WAY FOR OUR CHILDREN TO JOIN

THE EXISTING SUMMER CAMPS AROUND EN
FIELD



OUR PROJECTS: FREE SHOP FOR UKRAINIAN REFUGEES

Problem: FLEEING HOME WITH A SMALL EMERGENCY BAG MEANS THAT PEOPLE FACE A NEED OF CLOTHES, FOOTWEAR AND OTHER NECESSITIES WHEN THEY COME TO A NEW PLACE.

Solution: THANKS TO MANY KIND PEOPLE, WE'VE ALREADY COLLECTED A BUNCH OF
ESSENTIAL ITEMS FOR PEOPLE IN NEED AND
THEIR AMOUNT IS CONSTANTLY INCREASING.
WHILE DOZENS OF PEOPLE HAVE ALREADY RECEIVED MATERIAL HELP, WE START RUNNING
OUT OF SPACE TO STORE STUFF.





ONE OF OUR BIGGEST NEEDS AT THE MOMENT
IS FINDING A PLACE WHERE WE COULD STORE
ALL THE COLLECTED ITEMS AND WHERE PEOPLE COULD COME AND CHOOSE WHATEVER
THEY NEED.



OUR PROJECTS: FUND-RAISING CONCERTS



WE WORK HARD ON DEVELOPING OUR PARTNERSHIP NETWORK

OUR CURRENT SPONSORS

- LOCAL RESIDENTS
- TRINITY CHURCH CONGREGATION
- LOCAL BUSINESSES & PRIVATE COMPANIES
- USBORNE PUBLISHING









Stand with Ukraine!



Слава Україні!

DUR CONTACTS:

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ADDRESS & OPENING TIME:

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CHURCH ST, ENFIELD ENZ 6AN

"OCTAGON" ROOM

SATURDAYS 12:00-14:00





Any questions? How can we help you?

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