

## **CWDL D Meeting 5<sup>th</sup> October**

Could we have the minutes for each CWDL D within one month of the meeting please?

## **Richmond Parent Carer Action Group Activities.**

Meeting with Nick Whitfield about possible merge with Kingston. RPCAG learnt about this via the local newspaper.

Scrutiny Committee Meeting -July 17th about our concerns about the proposed merge. Around ten parents participated.

Aiming High funded 100 tickets to IN THE NIGHT GARDEN performance. Arranged by RPCAG. Children and adults had a wonderful time. More people than ever are joining RPCAG

Aiming High Parent consultation on Short break Provision took place in June. Parents are now participating in the detailed consultation.  
We would like the minutes for these meetings please.

Carer's Grant via Aiming High is funding 75 Amida day spa passes, 15 Go Ape Passes and a Curry night for 25 parent carers. All arranged and coordinated by RPCAG. More parents are coming forward to join us.

RPCAG Transport Meeting with Brian Castle and Robert Flower. Sept  
Minutes in this week's RPCAG Newsletter.

RPCAG is forming strong links with other disabled children's charities such as Three Wings Trust, The Bridge, The National Autistic Society and The Friendship Club.

We have built close ties with Jigsaw and Strathmore School.

We have forged links with Richmond Aid and Richmond Carers both have had focus meetings with RPCAG

We attend Contact a family NW Cluster Group meetings on a regular basis, sharing good practise with other Parent Forums.

Jackie Jones from RUILS has invited our organisation to participate in consultation about Direct Payment Policy.

RPCAG awaiting funding for Information Days from Dept of Education.

Next planned focus meeting November 25<sup>th</sup> – SEN Education with Keith Tysoe.