

**FALKLAND AVENUE, N11** Planning applications up to Oct 2021

**Individual properties**

Nos ?? 20 Nov 1951 & 9 Feb 1952. Application approved for 3 pairs of semi-detached houses between Falkland Avenue and Marne Avenue and Oakleigh Road South (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 1. 13 Jul 1988. Planning application for conversion into 2 self-contained flats and erection of 2 storey at first floor side with car parking in front garden (*Barnet Council N/09145*)

No 3. 17 Oct 1910. Planning application for construction of rear dormer window and single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/12597/00*)

No 5. 14 Apr 2021. Planning application for single storey rear extension following demolition of existing lean-to extension (*Barnet Council 21/2104/192*)

No 8. 17 Feb 2003. Planning application for loft conversion involving rear dormer window (*Barnet Council N/13581/03*)

No 14. Planning application for rear dormer window to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council B/00118/10*)

No 24. 25 Apr 2007. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/15579/07*)

No 27. 15 Oct 2021. Planning application for roof extension involving rear dormer window and 2 front facing rooflights. New front porch (*Barnet Council 21/5472/192*)

No 33. 26 May 2016. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council 16/3477/HSE*)

No 38. 12 Apr 2005. Planning application for conversion alteration to roof involving addition of rear dormer window to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council N/14641/05*)

No 41. 29 May 2020. Planning application for roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer windows and 3no front facing rooflights (*Barnet Council 20/2395/192*)

No 42. 1 Jun 2017. Planning application for rear extension with a proposed depth of 5 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 3.5 metres and overall height of 3.7 metres (*Barnet Council 17./3526/PNH*)

No 42. 30 Aug 2017. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 5 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 3 metres and overall height of 3 metres (*Barnet Council 17/3526/PNH*)

**FALLOW COURT MANSIONS, N12**

**HIGH ROAD, NORTH FINCHLEY**, west side (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1932*)

**FARNHAM CLOSE, N20** Planning applications up to Aug 2021

**Layout**

There are 23 residential properties, 11 on the south side and 12 on the north side

**History**

13 Sep 1956. The Post Office objected to the name Walfield Close and supported the name Farnham Close (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

**Individual properties**

No 1. 31 May 2011. Planning application for part single, part two storey side extension including new garage. Conversion of existing garage into habitable room (*Barnet Council B/02263/11*)

No 6. 17 Jul 1997. Planning application for roof alterations to include dormer windows at side and rear (*Barnet Council N/04553/A*)

No 7. 19 Aug 1991. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/07059/A*)

No 7. 12 Oct 1998. Planning application for single storey front and rear extension (*Barnet Council N/11910*)

No 8. 1 Oct 2015. Planning application for extensions to roof involving hip to gable end, rear dormer with juliette balcony and 2 rooflights to front elevation. Single storey rear extension with 4 rooflights following the demolition of the conservatory and removal of chimney (*Barnet Council 15/05997/192*)

No 14. 29 May 2015. Planning application for single storey rear extension with pitched roof (*Barnet Council 15/03304/192*)

No 20. 6 Apr 1990. Planning application for 2 storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/09703*)

No 20. 9 Jul 2009. Planning application for 2 storey side extension and garage conversion into habitable room (*Barnet Council B/02403/09*)

No 20. Jan 2012. Planning application for part single, part 2 storey side extension. Conversion of garage into habitable room (*Barnet Council B/00372/12*)

No 21. 12 Oct 1998. Planning application for single storey front and rear extension (*Barnet Council N/11910*)

No 22. 19 Aug 1988. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/09032*)

No 24. 30 Jul 1986. Planning application for 2 storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/06703/G*)

No 24. 15 Oct 1986. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/06703/H*)

No 24. 22 Sep 1992. Planning application for first floor rear extension (*Barnet Council N/06703/K*)

No 25. 16 Jan 1992. Planning application for 2 storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/06703/J*)

No 26. 27 Jan 2016. Planning application for single storey side extension following demolition of existing garage, store and car port. Extension to loft including enlargement of existing dormer, insertion of 1 rooflight to front roofspace (*Barnet Council 16/0350/HSE*)

No 26. 3 Jun 2021. Planning application for erection of a rear conservatory (*Barnet Council 21/2751/192*)

No 26. 3 Aug 2021. Planning application for erection of a rear conservatory (*Barnet Council 21/4296/192*)

No 28. This is Beverley Court, named after the Beverley Sisters who live there Weston Court.  
This was opened in January 1994

**FENSTANTON AVENUE, N12** Planning applications up to Mar 2010

***Individual properties***

No 3. 11 Jan 1998. Planning application for 2 storey rear extension and front porch extension  
(*Barnet Council C/11299/E*)

19 Jul 2007. A new development of flats, Woodhouse Lodge, is being built at the end of Fenstanton Avenue, to the rear of Woodhouse College playing fields (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

**FERNCROFT AVENUE, N12** Planning applications up to Jul 2021

(see also **HALLIWICK MANOR ESTATE**)

**Individual properties**

No 1. 5 May 2005. Planning application approved for single storey front extension and conversion of garage into habitable room (*Barnet Council N/14670/05*)

No 1. 4 Oct 2005. Structure on left hand side being demolished, probably a new garage (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 5. 16 Mar 2021. Planning application for part single part two storey side/rear extension. Removal of bay window (*Barnet Council 21/1439/HSE*)

No 3. 9 Jun 1959. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 3. 30 May 2008. The front of the house is being re-rendered in cement (*David Berger FB&DLHS*)

No 5. 10 Nov 1949. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 7. 28 Jun 2021. Planning application for roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer window and 3 front facing rooflights (*Barnet Council 21/3560/192*)

No 7. 28 Jun 2021. Planning application for part single, part two storey rear extension following demolition of the existing garage. Removal of bay window (*Barnet Council 21/3549/HSE*)

No 10. 11 Sep 1947. Application approved for Anderson shelter type shed (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 10. 10 Jun 1948. Application approved for extension to garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 11. 1 Dec 2008. Planning application approved for extensions to roof including hip to gable end and rear dormer windows with railings to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council N/04578/08*)

No 12. 13 Dec 1945. Application approved for brick garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minute 07165/HSE*) 15/s)

No 13. 14 Jul 1949. Application approved for asbestos garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 14. 30 Nov 2015. Planning application for single storey rear extension. Extension to roof including hip to gable end, rear dormer window with juliette balcony and 2 rooflights to front elevation (*Barnet Council*)

No 15. 12 Jul 2005. New windows being fitted (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 15. 1 Apr 2009. Planning application for creation of hardstanding to front garden for car parking (*Barnet Council B/00932/09*)

No 17. 7 Jan 202. Planning application for roof extension including hip to gable, rear dormer window, 2 rooflights to front roofslope and 1no gable window to side elevation (*Barnet Council 20/0050/192*)

No 18. 8 Sep 1959. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 19. My family were the first owners of no 19 when it was built in the early 1930s. My mother said you could see the Town Hall from the back door, and knew when my dad was on the bus stand, as he was a conductor on the 43 bus to Liverpool Street for 46½ years (*Mrs Doreen Williams (nee Webb) FB&DLHS*)

No 19. I lived at 19 Ferncroft from 1936 – 1961 when I married. My father bought it from new for £450 – he had saved all his money for the years in the Navy and with a little help from his father, paid for it outright – the best money he ever spent! *(Mrs Doreen Williams FB&DLHS)*

No 20. 12 Apr 1960. Application approved for lock-up garage at rear *(Friern Barnet UDC Minutes)*

No 21. 5 May 2005. Planning application approved for single storey front extension and conversion of garage into habitable room *(Barnet Council N/14670/05)*

No 21. 11 Apr 2017. Planning application for extension to roof including hip to gable end, 1 rear dormer and 1 additional roof light to front elevation *(Barnet Council 17/1716/192)*

No 22. 13 May 1948. Application approved for garage at rear *(Friern Barnet UDC Minutes)*

No 22. 20 Oct 2004. Planning application for single storey rear extension and raised timber decking *(Barnet Council N/14318/A/04)*

No 23. 15 Nov 1956. Application approved for garage *(Friern Barnet UDC Minutes)*

No 24. 10 Jun 1958. Application approved for garage *(Friern Barnet UDC Minutes)*

No 25. 16 Apr 1953. Planning application for roof alteration to include hip to gable and rear dormer window to facilitate a loft conversion *(Barnet Council N/15504/07)*

No 25. 8 Mar 2007. Planning application approved for single storey rear extension and raised timber decking *(Barnet Council N/14318/A/04)*

No 25. 5 Sep 2018 Planning application for single storey rear extension. Roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer window, 2 front rooflights and new side gable window *(Barnet Council 18/5233/192)*

No 25. 16 Oct 2018. Planning application for conversion of existing dwelling into 2 self-contained flats including single storey rear extension *(Barnet Council 18/6179/FUL)*

No 25. 28 Nov 2018. Planning application for new front hardstanding to provide additional off-street parking place *(Barnet Council 18/7103/HSE)*

No 25. 3 Dec 2019. Planning application for single storey ground floor rear extension, including 2no. skylights to new roofsope. Conversion of existing single dwelling house, into 2 self-contained flats *(Barnet Council 19/6282/FUL)*

No 28. 10 Mar 1949. Application approved for garage at rear *(Friern Barnet UDC Minutes)*

No 30. 21 Sep 2009. Planning application for retention of raised decking area at rear (Mr S Elavia, 30 Ferncroft Avenue, N12 0LN) *(Barnet Council B/043374/09)*

No 30. 4 Mar 2010. Planning application for retention of raised decking are to rear including alterations involving erection of screening *(Barnet Council B/00740/10)*

No 30. 21 Sep 2010. Planning application for retention of rear decking with proposed alterations to upper deck including reductions to height and depth *(Barnet Council B/03460/100)*

No 32. Planning application for two storey rear extension involving ground and creation of lower ground floor *(Barnet Council 15/07906/HSE)*

No 34. 6 Apr 1954. Application approved for garage *(Friern Barnet UDC Minutes)*

No 34. 12 May 2009. Planning application approved for single storey rear extension with raised patio (Mr Mehmet) *(Barnet Council B/01639/09 09)*

## **FERNWOOD CRESCENT, N20** Planning applications up to Aug 2022

### **Layout**

There are 58 properties, 39 on the north side and 19 on the south side. 2 of the houses are detached and 56 are semi-detached

### **History**

Fernwood Crescent did not appear in Kelly's Directory of Finchley until 1929 when only two houses are listed, numbers 2 & 4 on the west side. In 1930 the houses listed are 2,4,6,8,10 on the east side and 1,3,5,7,9,11 &15 on the west side. By 1931 the whole street has been developed.

### **Infrastructure**

Woodvilla Estate. Nov 1927 - Apr 1929. Planning application for roads & sewers on the Woodvilla Estate (Sparrow and Sons, High Road, N12) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02591*)

29 July 2004. Both ends being resurfaced (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

### **Individual properties**

Nos ?? 20 Feb 1930. Application approved for 2 garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ?? 25 Apr 1930. Application approved for 12 houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 1. 10 Mar 1964. Application approved for erection of garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 3. 1 Apr 2003. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/13641/037*)

No 3a. 30 Jul 2019. Planning application for new hardstanding and vehicular access to provide off-street parking (*Barnet Council 19/4132/FUL*)

No 6. 20 Aug 2002. Planning application for single story rear extension (*Barnet Council 20/3834/HSE*)

No 8. 24 Apr 1991. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council N/09946*)

No 8. 14 Dec 2020. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council 20/5894/HSE*)

No 8a. 4 Jul 2007. Planning application for loft conversion including side and rear extension (*Barnet Council N/09946/B/07*)

No 10. 16 May 2005. Planning application for alterations to roof, rear and side dormer windows to facilitate loft conversion (*Barnet Council N/07708/A/04*)

No 11. 17 Aug 2021. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 5.00 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 3.00 metres and maximum height of 3.20 metres (*Barnet Council 21/4566/PNH*)

No 11. 18 Aug 2021. Planning application for roof extension including hip to gable, rear dormer window and new side gable window (*Barnet Council 21/4555/192*)

No 11. 18 Aug 2021. Planning application for demolition of existing outbuilding. Single storey rear and side extension with rear terrace (*Barnet Council 21/4556/HSE*)

No 12. 30 Mar 1994. Planning application for single storey garage extension (*Barnet Council N/10624*)

No 12. 9 Oct 2018. Planning application for two storey side extension following demolition of existing garage (*Barnet Council 18/5924/HSE*)



No 13. 8 Jun 1999. Planning application for single storey side extension and rear conservatory extension (*Barnet Council N/12106*)

No 13. 7 Dec 2007. Planning application for single storey side extension and rear conservatory extension (*Barnet Council N/12106/A/07*)

No 16. 23 May 1932. Plans for alterations (*Barnet Archives. East Barnet Valley UDC Plans. Box 81. No 1324*)

No 16. 14 May 2014. Planning application for single storey side/rear extension with 2 rooflights to rear elevation (*Barnet Council B/02472/14*)

No 17. 14 Jun 1995 & 14 Jun 1995. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council N/10929*)

No 19. 15 Sep 1998. Planning application to excavate cellar and create lightwell at front of property (*Barnet Council N/11885*)

No 20. 12 Feb 2019. Planning application for roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer window and 3no front facing rooflights. Changes to side elevation fenestration (*Barnet Council 19/0815/192*)

No 21. 12 Jan 1989. Planning application to convert basement into residential accommodation ancillary to use of remainder of property (*Barnet Council N/09327*)

No 21. 6 Apr 2021. Planning application for roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer window, 2 front-facing rooflights and new side gable window (*Barnet Council 21/1859/192*)

No 21. 6 Apr 2021. Planning application for two-storey rear extension involving basement and ground floor level (*Barnet Council 21/1872/HSE*)

No 27. 19 Mar 2002. Planning application to convert basement to kitchen/dining room and construct lightwell at front elevation (*Barnet Council N/13119/02*)

No 28. 23 Aug 2022. Planning application for single storey side extension following demolition of existing single storey side extension and shed (*Barnet Council 22/4301/HSE*)

No 31. Jan 1941. Fire reported due to enemy action (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 31. 25 Oct 2004. Planning application for alterations to roof including hip and gable and rear dormer window (*Barnet Council N/14434/04*)

No 31. 20 Apr 2012. Planning application for formation of rear extension at basement and conversion into a self-contained basement flat. Creation of a lightwell to front of property and associated erection of railings (*Barnet Council B/01047/12*)

No 38. 12 June 1962. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 38. 30 Apr 2001. Planning application to demolish existing garage prior to erection of single storey side extension to ground floor flat, including widening of vehicle crossover (*Barnet Council N/07504/A/01*)

No 38a. 8 Aug 2022. Planning application roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer, 2. front facing rooflights and new side gable window (*Barnet Council 22/4051/FUL*)

No 39. 17 Aug 2015. Planning application for roof extension involving hip to gable, rear and side dormer windows with 2 rooflights to front to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council 15/05213/192*)

No 40. 8 Aug 1986. Planning application for single storey building to form workshop (*Barnet Council N/00346/F*)

No 40. 25 Jul 1988 & 13 Mar 1989 & 9 May 1991. Planning application for erection of 2 detached houses with internal garages (*Barnet Council N/00346/J*)

No 41. 10 Nov 2020. Planning application for roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer windows and 3 front-facing rooflight (*Barnet Council 20/5353/192*)

No 41. 10 Nov 2020. Planning application for single storey rear extension, conversion of basement into games room (*Barnet Council 20/5354/HSE*)

No 42. 15 Jun 1992. Planning application for use of integral garage as habitable room (*Barnet Council N/00346/N*)

No 43. 5 Dec 2014. Planning application for hip to gable roof extension with 1 rear dormer window and 2 front facing roof lights to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council 14/07770/192*)

No 45. 23 May 1996. Planning application for roof extension of hip and gable and rear dormer window (*Barnet Council N/11130*)

No 53a. 19 Sep 2016. Planning application for roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer with Juliette balcony, 2 rooflights to front elevation to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council 16/5737/FUL*)

No 53. 25 Aug 2021. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council 21/4489/FUL*)

No 55. 6 Dec 2004. Planning application for formation of dormer window and hip to gable to form loft conversion (*Barnet Council N/14461/040*)

No 55. 24 Dec 2010. Planning application for single storey rear extension ( (*Barnet Council B/00375/10*)

No 55. 25 Jan 2011. Planning application for part single, part two storey rear extension (*Barnet Council B/00375/10*)

No 55. 4 Apr 2013. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory extension (*Barnet Council B/01360/13*)

No 55. 26 Aug 2014. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory extension following demolition of existing (*Barnet Council B/04477/14*)

No 55. 6 Jan 2016. Planning application for conversion of outbuildings to Granny Annexe. Changes in fenestration to the front, side and rear elevations (*Barnet Council 16/00024/HSE*)

No 57. 9 May 2005. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/14654/05*)

No 63. 12 June 1962. Application approved for lock-up garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 63. 21 Oct 2003. Planning application to replace and resite existing single garage and formation of new vehicle access (*Barnet Council N/13939/03*)

No 63. 1 Feb 2008. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/13939/A/08*)

No 63. 19 Mar 2009. Planning application for retention of rear patio and erection of 1.8m high boundary fence (Mr & Mrs J Wootton) (*Barnet Council B/00949/09*)

No 63. 23 Dec 2009. Planning application for retention of rear patio and erection of 1.8- metre high boundary fence (*Barnet Council B/04670/09*)

No 63. 9 Aug 2016. Planning application for rear roof extension (involving conversion of roofspace into habitable space) including a juliette balcony, hip to gable conversion and two rooflights to the front roof slope (*Barnet Council 16/5077/192*)

No 65. 24 Sep 2019. Planning application for roof extension, including, hip to gable, rear dormer window and 3 rooflights to front roofslope (*Barnet Council 19/4932/192*)

No 65. 25 Jan 2022. Planning application for erection of a rear outbuilding (*Barnet Council 22 0362/192*)

No 73. 18 Aug 2016. Planning application for single storey rear extension with raised patio area and new access steps and glass balustrading (*Barnet Council 16/5494/HSE*)

No 75. 23 Dec 2013. Planning application for single storey side extension following demolition of existing conservatory (*Barnet Council B/00174/14*)

No 77. 11 Oct 1955. Application approved for extension to kitchen (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

**FERNWOOD TERRACE, N20**

**OAKLEIGH ROAD NORTH**, north side where nos 367 - 389 now are (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1937 vs 1939*)

**FERRAND PARK, N11**

(see **BELLEVUE ROAD**)

The section in which Holly Park School stands (Holly Park Road to The Crescent) was originally called Ferrand Park (*John Donovan 20 May 2001*)

**FINCHLEY HALL FLATS, N12**

**HIGH ROAD, NORTH FINCHLEY**, west side (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1932*)

## **FINCHLEY MANORSIDE SCHOOL, Summers Lane, N12**

FINCHLEY MANORSIDE SCHOOL 1971-1991. For those who can remember, September 1971 was the culmination of countless meetings, planning groups, petitions and official documents. The launching of the new comprehensive school, merging Finchley County, Manorside Girls' and **Hillside Schools** had been long in coming and assiduously prepared for. Yet its arrival on September 7th still came as a shock. Three quite separate institutions, each with its own style and tradition, three staffs, three pupil bodies, suddenly at 8.45am became one. Among the teaching staffs, attitudes ranged from dire apprehension to sheer panic, but on the day the prevailing mood was one of good humour, even a sense of adventure. The message from on high was: if we don't get it right straight away we can work on it together. Those who forecast doom and gloom were disappointed. An incredible degree of cooperation and team spirit were manifest from the start, and the pupils soon followed their teachers' example of social integration. There was too much to be done and too many decisions to be made to dwell on the past. Here was an opportunity, unique in most of our careers, to help create a new school, a new structure, a new ethos. Fundamental questions on the nature of the pastoral and academic organisation, on assessment and reporting procedures, on pupil grouping had to be addressed, and these absorbed us in long discussions. While building towards a new vision care was taken to preserve and incorporate the finest features of the component schools. The decision to use the old County Building for Lower School pupils was a wise one, providing as it did a safe and homely environment for 11-13year olds making the transition from primary school to the largest comprehensive in the borough. While the pupils were to stay put, their teachers seemed to be in a state of perpetual motion as they commuted between buildings in the borough minibus, a wearisome business but necessary to maintain a whole-school identity. The main buildings on the Hillside site sported two brand new additions – the sixth form block and the commerce block. Other grandiose plans for further extensions were to remain on the architect's drawing board. All available accommodation on both sites was filled to capacity as pupil numbers rose to 1,250 and staff numbers to over 80. At certain peak times even the Crush Hall and Sandwich Bay had to double as classrooms, and school meals had to be taken in three sittings. In those days of circular autonomy such numbers afforded opportunities for curriculum development on a grand scale. Ambitious courses such as Integrated Humanities, Nuffield Science, and SMP Mathematics made FMS a pace-setter in the borough. At the time when it was considered educationally desirable to offer choice, fourth formers made their selection from over 40 subjects. A number of these were distinctly vocational and it became the hallmark of our curriculum to cater for these needs as well as the academic. This was most clearly apparent in our Open Sixth Form – the largest in the borough – where a whole range of CPVE, CEE, RSA, BTEC and City and Guilds Courses ran alongside the traditional A levels. In addition, an ambitious Sixth Form General Studies programme gave students the breadth needed to counteract the narrowness of their specialisms. The distinctive quality of our sixth form will be remembered in such events as their formal dinner-dance, the Summer Riverboat Disco, the Old People's Christmas Party and the scurrilous Sixth Firm Revue. Large numbers necessitated planning on a grand scale. This was most noticeable in some of the off-site activities which required logistics of Dunkirk-like proportions. The Hillside tradition of taking the whole of the second year away on holiday was perpetuated but with numbers of 200-plus. Youth hostels all over the South and West were fully booked as they played host to groups of FMS pupils and their tutors. How many schools would contemplate chartering an entire train for the day to take pupils and their parents to York – and then repeat the exercise to Chester and Bristol? Many of us will recall the arduous planning which together with the many foreign exchanges, the ski holidays, the innumerable fieldcourses in England and Wales, the outward bound weeks at Drake's Island, there can be no doubt about the richness of experience offered to FMS pupils. The enormously popular 'General Studies for All' programme in the second half of the Summer Term saw staff and pupils enjoying a less formal relationship while pursuing a range of recreational and cultural interests. Culturally, the style and the panache which characterised FMS dramatic and musical productions will be long remembered. From the first 'curtain-up' of 'Oliver', through the resoundingly triumphant Gilbert and Sullivans – 'Pirates of Penzance', 'HMS Pinafore' and 'Ruddigore' – and the polished performances of plays such as 'The Importance of Being Earnest', the quality and the verve of FMS productions were unsurpassed. Pupil talent there certainly was, but it had to be nurtured and encouraged by dedicated staff to make those evenings so memorable. No less worthy of mention were the superb Dance and Gym Evenings bringing together a feast of colour, music and movement, where the sheer delight of the performers was as evident as the skills they had learnt. Interspersed with these events we had the regular Spring and Autumn Music Concerts, always fresh and innovative, exploiting in choir and orchestra the combined talents of pupils and staff. It ought to be added that

the musical talents of the staff were not exclusively for pupil use as anyone who attended staff socials and leavers' parties will testify. Who will ever forget the magical transformation of the school hall into a Venetian lagoon or an Elizabethan Banqueting hall or a village cricket pavilion? It is fitting that the fund-raising efforts of the school in its final few years should have been devoted to the Finchley Memorial Hospital. This continues a long tradition of charitable works stretching back to the mammoth sponsored walks of the seventies and early eighties. Organised by the sixth formers and their tutors, these involved a veritable army of pupils, parents and friends cutting a swath some 25 miles long through the Hertfordshire countryside, sustained only by the welcoming drinks and encouragement by staff at the checkpoints. Few school activities can have generated such a happy communal spirit, and proud indeed were those who limped into school on blistered feet the following Monday. Proud too when handsome cheques were presented in assembly to representatives from Shelter or John Groom's or Cancer Research or to our very own Sharon Jones Appeal. Too numerous to mention are the many other appeals and sponsored events which have been part of our school's history and which have drawn such a willing response from pupils and staff. In raising funds for the school itself much credit must be given to the Finchley Manorhill School Association – our PTA whose efforts in organising Autumn and Summer Fetes has been magnificent, and a debt of gratitude is owed to all those parents who have served on its committees. The mid-1980s witnessed policy changes which were to radically alter the complexion of the school. The decision to discontinue the Sixth Form brought us into partnership with Woodhouse College which since 1986 has served the interests of our pupils very well. Moving out of the old County Building to make way for the new Barnet Teachers' Centre was for many of us a sad and poignant occasion but gratifying in the knowledge that it would remain an educational establishment. Now we were on one site at least there was no more commuting! As a smaller, more compact 11-16 school we could concentrate our efforts on the torrent of new initiatives emanating from the DES. In its customary way FMS took up the vanguard on many of these reforms, introducing and extending core curriculum in advance of the Government's, piloting a scheme for Records of Achievement and launching a most ambitious TVEX programme. Meanwhile the refurbishment of the Art and Design Technology rooms on the ground floor, and the Computer and Office Technology rooms on the top floor provided first class facilities for the new curricular developments. Just as in the 'boom years' of FMS the staff and pupils have risen to the challenge of educational change in the same resourceful, innovative and good-humoured way that has been our hallmark. Twenty years is a short life for an educational establishment. But measured in terms of achievement the life of FMS has been a rich and rewarding one. In fact, much of the promise of 1971 has been fulfilled and we should feel justly proud of our part in it. John Wilson (*Finchley Manorhill School 1971-1991 Souvenir Brochure*)

## **FINCHLEY PARK, N12** Planning applications up to Oct 2022

**(formerly Finsbury Road)**

### **History**

In 1825 Finsbury Road (later Finchley Park), a cul-de-sac from the Great North Road into Friern Barnet with two southern spurs had been laid out as the Finsbury estate in at least in at least 36 plots. There were few houses in 1865 but the estate was not completed until after 1900. It was bordered on the north by Goslings and Dovecroft of 13.5 a., which in 1853 were acquired by Morgan Godbold and Co, who laid out the Finchley freehold estate of 114 allotments. (*Victoria County History page 10*)

### **Infrastructure**

22 Feb 1888. Making up of road (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

8 Oct 1889. Works taking place (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

25 Mar 1890 & 22 Apr 1890. Declared a highway (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

7 Oct 1910. Application approved for overhead wire at side (GPO) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

1 Nov 1912. Application approved for new gas main (Barnet Gas Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

6 Oct 1922. Application approved for underground telegraph wire (Post Office Engineering Ltd) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

6 Jul 1923. Application approved for overground telegraph wire (Post Office Engineering Ltd) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 27 – 29. A 1937 triangular section iron post reflecting boundary of Finchley Borough and Friern Barnet Urban District after borough boundary change (*Barnet Council Local List*)

Nos 34 – 36. A 1937 triangular section iron post reflecting boundary of Finchley Borough and Friern Barnet Urban District after borough boundary change (*Barnet Council Local List*)

### **Individual properties**

Nos ?? 13 May 1884. Application approved for 2 villas (Mr Newstead) (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

No ? 22 Jul 1884. Application approved for house (F W Hartley) (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

No 4 The Croft. 20 May 1891. Application approved for addition (*Mrs Moore*) (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

No ? May 1904. Application approved for 2 houses (F W Shenton, plan no 1912) (*Finchley Council Minutes*)

No ? (2 Rose Cottages). 1909. Leslie Kingham, Rifleman, 9th (County of London) Battalion, London Regiment (Queen Victoria's Rifles), killed in action 25<sup>th</sup> September 1916, commemorated on the Thiepval Memorial, the Somme. Leslie was born in Friern Barnet in 1896, third child of Frederick, a policeman, and Emily Kingham. He had an older sister, an older and a younger brother. He was baptised at St James's 14 April 1896. The family lived at 2 Rose Cottages, Finchley Park. By 1911 they had moved to Squires Lane. His younger brother, Albert, died in 1905, aged 5, and is buried in Friern Barnet churchyard. His mother Emily died 8 March 1913 aged 50 and is also buried in the churchyard; there is an inscription commemorating Leslie on her grave. Before the war Leslie was working as a porter to a silversmith. His elder brother Edgar also served in the war in the Army Service Corps, at the front from 1914 (*Parish of Friern Barnet Graves and War Memorials of the First World War. Page 17*)

Nos ?? Jan - Dec 1913. Planning application for houses (Newcombe Estate Co, owners) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/01/03504a*)

No ? 6 Aug 1920. Application approved for detached house (*Mr S Hindley*) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? Jun 1924 - Jun 1925. Planning application for house (W C Leak & Sons, 4 Church Hill Road, East Barnet, builders and contractors) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02173*)

No ? 12 Sep 1933. Application approved for additional stables on Friern Watch Farm (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 1. Three storey brown brick building with red dressings. Built in 1863 and designed by Gilbert Blount, in 1927 its orientation was reversed and a new chancel and transepts built to designs by T.H.B. Scott. Ragstone, quatrefoils and trefoil arched windows. Stone quoins (*Barnet Council Local List*)

Nos 1 - 3. Jan-Dec 1912. Planning application for houses (Coleman & Holmes, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/01/03489*)

No 1 & 2 Finchley Villas. These appear on Barnet Council's Buildings of Local Architectural or Historic Interest

No 2 Finchley Villas. 17 Feb 1960. Planning application for creation of vehicle access to front garden (*Barnet Council N/02827/F/00*)

No 2 Finchley Villas. 6 Dec 2007. Planning application for rear extension to upper ground floor for use as conservatory. New existing staircase (*Barnet Council C/16989/07*)

Nos 2a & 2b (1 & 2 Finchley Villas). A large, striking two-storey semi-detached property that appears on the 1863-5 Middlesex Ordinance Survey map. Its wide-gabled facade in original yellow brick has flights of steps leading up to the two raised entrance doors with their semi-circular fanlights. The contrasting prominent red-brick detail includes an array of window heads in straight, round-arched, cambered and lancet shapes (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 68 Spencer Villas. 21 Mar 2000. Planning application for installation of rooflights, bathroom window. Creation of new front entrance door and infilling of existing doorway (*Barnet Council N/11134/C/00*)

No 1. 24 Jul 1992. Planning application for use as 2 flats (*Barnet Council N/10217*)

Nos 2 - 4. 17 May 2006. Planning application for retention and alteration to single storey building at rear of nos 2 & 4 for use as office (B1) with associated refuse storage. Conversion of no 2 to dwelling house (C3). Erection of new fence at rear and provision of parking for office and dwelling (*Barnet Council C/15856/D/06*)

No 3. 8 Mar 1988. Planning application for continued use as 2 flats (*Barnet Council N/08937/A*)

No 3a. 30 Dec 2003. Planning application for loft conversion including rear dormer window (*Barnet Council C/15629/03*)

No 3a. 18 Jun 2004. Planning application for alteration to roof including rear dormer window to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council C/15629/B/04*)

No 3a. 30 Dec 2003. Planning application for loft conversion including dormer window (*Barnet Council C15629/03*)

No 5. 11 Jul 1988. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/09139*)

No 12. 8 Jun 1987. Planning application for 2 storey side and rear extension and conversion of loft with dormers in front and rear and conversion of property into 3 flats and provision of 2 car parking spaces in front garden (*Barnet Council N/08262/A*)



No 13. 3 Nov 2009. Planning application for extension to roof involving rear dormer window to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council F/03854/09*)

No 18. 12 Apr 1995. Planning application for dormer window at rear and rooflights to front (*Barnet Council N/10806/A*)

Nos 18 – 20. 18-20 Finchley Park are among a group of houses built in attractive and distinctive designs in the mid- to late-19th century in this side-road (originally "Finsbury Road") off the Great North Road. This pair, nos. 18 & 20, in original brick with sash windows and straight window heads, and in the same workmen's cottage style as the 22-30 group, have retained more original features than some in the larger group. Because of the narrowness of their two plots and the dividing space between them and 22-30, one of this pair has a side entrance door. No. 18's front entrance on the facade has a rectangular straight-headed entrance leading into a porch and then front door. The low-pitched roof has a central dividing ridge and shared chimney with chimney pots (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 19. 22 Jul 1993. Planning application for rear dormer window (*Barnet Council N/04798/A*)

No 20. 8 Nov 2007. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council C/17374/07*)

No 21. 23 Apr 2009. Planning application for part single, part 2 storey rear extension (Mr O'Sullivan) (*Barnet Council F/01421/09*)

Nos 22 - 30. This plain terrace of five two-storey houses in original brick was built in simple "economic Georgian" style. The flat facades have appropriate round-arched entrances, most of which have retained their inset porches. Most of the windows remain sash-type, but a ground-floor angled bay window with a half-hipped roof has been added to one of them. Front doors are in a variety of styles. These are among a group of houses built in attractive and distinctive designs in the mid- to late-19th century in this side-road (originally "Finsbury Road") off the Great North Road (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 25. 29 Nov 2002. Planning application for alterations to roof including rear dormer window to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council C15131/02*)

No 25. 29 Nov 2002. Planning application for alteration to roof including rear dormer window (*Barnet Council C/15131/02*)

No 29. 22 Jul 1993. Planning application for use of premises for childminding 6 children 8.30-5.30 Monday to Friday 52 weeks a year (*Barnet Council N/07853/A*)

No 29. 13 Jun 1995. Planning application for roof extension with dormer windows at side and rear (*Barnet Council N/07853/B*)

No 32a. 16 Jan 1997 & 8 Dec 1997 & 23 Nov 1998. Planning application for continued use as car repair workshop (*Barnet Council N/03161/A*)

No 34. 2 Dec 2005. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council C/16442/05*)

No 35. This is among a group of houses built in attractive and distinctive designs in the mid- to late-19th century (or 20th century) in this side-road (originally "Finsbury Road") off the Great North Road. This unusual red-brick single-storey cottage-type design has a higher storey visible at the rear. An 1896 Directory showed this site as occupied by the "London Co-operative Society Ltd (stables)". The unusual shape and features of Lime Cottage may well be based on an original well-designed set of stables (or, indeed, on the features of a small village school). A central ground-floor entrance is flanked on the west by a north-facing ground-floor gable and on the east by an east-facing second gable. The central round-arched front door is adjoined, on its east, by two large casement windows with semi-circular fanlights. Redbrick piers between door and windows and

rising into the redbrick arched surrounds give the impression that door and windows are inset into the wall. White brackets below the ground-floor roof line and prominent decorative bargeboards on both ground-floor gables emphasise further the unusual shape of this house. Behind the ground-floor storey, high gable-ends draw attention to the higher storey at the rear. Large windows in the gables have prominent red-brick window heads (*Barnet Council Local List*)

Nos 37 - 41. 1 Oct 1990. Planning application for erection of part single, part 2 storey building of 667sq metres gross floor area for use as offices and light industry with associated storage (all within Class B1), loading, unloading and parking areas (*Barnet Council N/00380/C*)

No 40. 40 Finchley Park (Croft Cottage) is among a group of houses built in attractive and distinctive designs in the mid- to late-19th century. Croft Cottage is a detached red brick house with a large forward-facing gable and a smaller one set further back within the roof, both with large windows within their gables. A square bay below the larger gable has a half-hipped roof supported by white brackets, larger carved white brackets support the two gables, and there are further distinctive brackets at the roof line. Other decorative elements include window heads in contrasting red brick (two cambered, one a broad lancet-type) above the modern style (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 42. 12 Dec 1929. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 42 (Laurel Bank) Apr - Oct 1938. Planning application for flats (A Auburn & Sons Ltd, Willow Creek, Arkley Lane, Arkley, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03509*)

Nos 44 - 50. The Croft is a terraced group of four two-storey double-fronted cottages in vernacular style. The two central cottages have, between them, four picturesque, narrow, forward-facing gables set into a continuous pitched roof. This central pair of cottages is flanked on either side by an end cottage with a much wider gabled facade. Within each of these six gables is a tall pair of first-floor windows. Tall chimneys with numerous chimney pots continue this striking period style. These are among a group of houses built in attractive and distinctive designs in the mid- to late-19th century in this side-road (originally "Finsbury Road") off the Great North Road (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 44. 6 Jun 1961. Application approved for improving existing bathroom and wc on first floor (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 45 (The Croft). 9 Oct 1934. Application approved for conservatory (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 46. 19 Nov 1931. Application approved for bay window (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 46. 18 Oct 2022. Planning application for part single, part two storey rear extension (*Barnet Council 22/5060/HSE*)

No 48. 7 Jun 1956. Application approved for internal alteration, the property was stated to be about 80 years old, making it built around c1876 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 48. 7 Jul 1965. Planning application approved for extension (Mr F Ungless) (*Barnet Council Minutes 7 Jul 1965*)

No 50. 18 Feb 1927. The owner was in contravention of byelaws (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 50. 4 Jun 1957. Application approved for double garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 50. 6 Jun 1961. Application approved for single storey extension to rear to provide dining room and kitchen (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 53. 12 Jan 2001. Planning application for conversion of garage into habitable room and creation of front bay window (*Barnet Council N/07824/B/01*)

No 53. 11 Aug 2008. Planning application for use of room as office (*Barnet Council N/02937/08*)

No 55. 9 Sep 1999. Planning application for conversion of garage into a habitable room and front bay extension replacing garage door (*Barnet Council N/07824/A*)

No 64. 6 Jun 1961. Application approved for bathroom on first floor (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 66. 6 Jun 1961. Application approved for conversion of bedroom into bathroom (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 68. 29 Nov 1996. Planning application for single storey side extension (*Barnet Council N/11134/A*)

No 74. 27 Jul 2005. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council C/16324/05*)

No 76. 13 Mar 1947. Application approved for use of Anderson shelter as a shed (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 76. 13 Sep 1960. Application approved for bathroom and wc (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 76. 3 Jun 2004. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory and new roof over existing rear extension (*Barnet Council N/15688/04*)

No 78. 26 Sep 1997. Planning application for ground floor and first floor rear extension (*Barnet Council N/11589*)

Nos 78 – 80. 78 and 80 Finchley Park are among a group of houses built in attractive and distinctive designs in the mid- to late-19th century. This pair of semi-detached houses is in simple Georgian style. The large ground-floor triple sash windows of each house, with dramatic stone surrounds and half-hipped, are set against a plain flat facade of original brick, with a slender column with capital set between each sash window. The first-floor triple sashes, slightly smaller, also have prominent surrounds. The entrance doors are at the sides - out of keeping for the style, but necessary because of the narrowness of the two single plots on which the pair are built. A shared single chimney stack rises from the hipped roof. This pair appear to be in a good state of intactness. (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 80. 11 Dec 2001. Planning application for single storey side extension to form entrance lobby (*Barnet Council N/0642/A/01*)

Nos 82 - 92. 15 Jul 1927. Defective drainage has been repaired (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 82. 13 Sep 1960. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 82 - 84. 82 - 92 Finchley Villas. are among a group of houses built in attractive and distinctive designs in the mid- to late-19th century. This is a group of three pairs of tall, striking white or pale cream semi-detached houses with rough-cast gabled facades and side entrances on narrow plots. They vary in some of their details, and their degrees of intactness differ. Each of 82 and 84, in pale cream, has a large, dominant, angled bay window on both ground and first floors, with prominent half-hips over their first-floor bays. Within each semi-detached half of the gable is a small, plain second-floor window, and decorative brick emphasises dramatically both the steep roofline and the first-floor half-hip roofline. All windows are sash, with cambered heads. This pair appears to be in a good state of intactness (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 86. 10 Feb 1959. Application approved for conversion of single dwelling into 2 flats (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 86. 13 Sep 1960. Application approved for motor cycle garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 88. 26 Sep 2006. Planning application for alterations and extension to existing outrigger (*Barnet Council C/16835/06*)

No 94. 10 Jun 1948. Application approved for shed at side (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 94. 23 Apr 1998 & 26 Jan 1999. Planning application for part 2 storey, part single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council N/04892/F*)

No 94. 94 Finchley Park is among a group of houses built in attractive and distinctive designs in the mid- to late-19th century. This single detached house on a narrow plot has a great deal of careful detail and a high level of original intactness. The gabled facade, in light original brick, has contrasting red brick quoins all the way up from the ground to the eaves, and these colour contrasts in brick are continued at three levels across the facade. Red-brick string courses link horizontally to the quoins the first-floor red-brick cambered window heads and keystones, the first-floor white windowsills, and the large, central, ground-floor angled and halfhipped bay window. There are decorative white bargeboards, and a small oriel window on the west side supported by brackets. A well-designed narrow, glazed 1.5-storey modern extension, with new entrance door, is attached to the original stock-brick east side of the house (*Barnet Council Local List*)

Nos 96 & 98. 13 Sep 1960. Application approved for wc in existing bathroom (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 105. Feb 1913 - Mar 1949. Planning application for house (David Nicholas Dyke, 4 Holly Park, Church End) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01542*) & No ? 7 Mar 1913. Application approved for detached house (D N Dyke) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 105. 8 Nov 1960. Application approved for double garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 105. 6 Jun 1961. Application approved for invalid carriage store shed (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

**FINSBURY ROAD, N12**  
(see FINCHLEY PARK)

## **FIRS AVENUE, N10** Planning applications up to Jun 2022

### **Layout**

There are 170 houses in Firs Avenue

### **History**

The estate was built around 1986 (*Ross Cleland, resident, who bought his house (number 65) from new*)

### **Infrastructure**

11 Feb 2006. A notice from Barnet Council affixed to a lamp post says that they are introducing No Waiting At Any Time restrictions between "Both sides of Firs Avenue from the junction with Colney Hatch Lane to the boundary of Nos 2-4 Firs Avenue" (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

12 Jan 2010. Outside of no 6. Planning application for installation of green metal equipment cabinet (*Barnet Council B/00177/10*)

9 Apr 2018. Outside no 2. Planning application for installation of BT Openreach cabinet (PCP012 014 037) (Andy Morton, Innovation Centre, Maidstone Road, Chatham, ME5 9FD) (*Barnet Council 18/2172/LIC*)

### **Individual properties**

No 1. 19 Jan 2006 & 15 Nov 2006. Planning application for single storey rear extension and conversion of car port into garage (*Barnet Council N/14968/06*)

No 1. 19 May 2015. Planning application for demolition and reconstruction of existing rear single storey bathroom extension (*Barnet Council 15/03104/HSE*)

No 1. 13 Nov 2015. Planning application for demolition of existing single storey rear extension and erection of new single storey rear extension including increase in roof height (*Barnet Council 15/06926/HSE*)

No 2. 14 Jul 1986. Planning application for single storey side extension to form garage and playroom (*Barnet Council C/03069/BE*)

No 2. 3 Dec 1986. Planning application for detached garage (*Barnet Council C/03069/BH*)

No 2. 28 Feb 1997. Planning application for ground floor rear extension (*Barnet Council C/03069/EU*)

No 2. 12 Jul 2013. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension to existing garage including raising the roof height and a new pitched (*Barnet Council B/02947/13*)

No 2. 12 May 2014. Planning application for retention of the conversion of the garage into habitable space and the increase in height of the boundary wall (*Barnet Council B/02596/14*)

No 5. 13 Oct 1988. Planning application for use of garage as habitable room (*Barnet Council C/03069/CC*)

No 5. 1 May 1997. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council C/03069/FA*)

No 5. 1 May 2014. Planning application for single storey rear extension with 6 rooflights following demolition of existing conservatory (*Barnet Council B/02372/14*)

No 6. 2 Jun 1992. Planning application for ground floor rear extension (*Barnet Council C/03069/CV*)

No 6. 14 Oct 2009 & 16 Feb 2010. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council B/03518/09 & 00158/10*)

- No 7. 18 May 1983. Plot number 7 will be numbered 13 (*Barnet Council*)
- No 8. 6 Apr 2005. Planning application for single storey side extension (*Barnet Council N/14635/05*)
- No 8. 9 Nov 2005. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory (*Barnet Council N/14635/05*)
- No 8. 29 Nov 2017. Planning application for creation of a studio flat to side/rear of property. Associated parking, refuse and recycling store, cycle storage (*Barnet Council 17/67777/FUL*)
- No 9. 18 Jan 2021. Planning application for single storey side extension (*Barnet Council 21/0261/HSE*)
- No 10. 10 Dec 2001. Planning application for conservatory addition at rear of existing dwelling (*Barnet Council C14691/01*)
- No 10. 30 Nov 2018. Planning application for part single, part two-storey side and rear extension following demolition of the existing conservatory. New side openings (*Barnet Council 18/7159/HSE*)
- No 11. 18 Dec 1989. Planning application to convert garage to form habitable room, single storey extension to form new garage, new vehicle access (*Barnet Council 03069/CL*)
- No 11. 3 Jul 2007. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension and part 2-storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/15652/07*)
- No 12. 7 May 2004. Planning application for part single, part 2 storey rear extension. Conversion of garage into habitable room (*Barnet Council N3224/B/04*)
- No 12. 11 Oct 2005. The front garden is being paved over (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)
- No 14. 18 May 2010. Planning application for conservatory at rear (*Barnet Council B/01811/10*)
- No 18. 11 Oct 2005. Foundations are being constructed on the side of the house, either for a garage or extension (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)
- No 20. 1 Mar 2018. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory with rear patio and associated garden landscaping (*Barnet Council 18/1339/192*)
- No 21. 2 Nov 2004. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/14439/04*)
- No 22. 5 Oct 2004. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council N14304/A/04*)
- No 23. 11 Apr 1994. Planning application for single storey rear extension and single storey side extension (*Barnet Council 03069/DE*)
- No 14. 5 Jul 2003. The garage at no 14 was demolished this evening, after being hit by a Mercedes car belonging to a resident of Firs Avenue. Police were called to the scene and the driver was subsequently charged with drunken driving (*Pat Cleland FB&DLHS*)
- No 28. 5 Apr 2017. Planning application for citizen band aerial on 5m aluminium pole (Retrospective Application) (*Barnet Council 17/1861/HSE*)
- No 36. 14 Jul 2014. Planning application for conversion of garage into habitable room to provide a bedroom (*Barnet Council B/03781/14*)

No 38. 21 Apr 2015. Planning application for conversion of garage into habitable room (*Barnet Council 15/02264/HSE*)

No 39. 22 May 2019. Planning application for conversion of garage into habitable room (*Barnet Council 19/2610/192*)

No 39. 23 Mar 2020. Planning application for proposed front garden redesign, lamppost removal, new waste/recycling store, reform front steps, provision of off-street parking (*Barnet Council 20/1520/FUL*)

No 39. 24 Mar 2020. Planning application for proposed rear garden outbuilding with 3no rooflights following demolition of existing rear outbuilding (*Barnet Council 20/1521/HSE*)

No 41. 12 Jun 1987. Planning application for 2 storey side extension (*Barnet Council C/03069/BN*)

No 41. 31 Jan 1989. Planning application for single storey front extension (*Barnet Council C/03069/CE*)

No 41. 8 Oct 2013. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory with a proposed depth of 4.25 metres, eaves height of 2.28 metres and a maximum height of 3.35 metres (*Barnet Council B/04591/13*)

No 42. 19 Jan 2004. Planning application to convert garage to habitable room with associated alterations including new front window (*Barnet Council C/14039/04*)

No 46. 25 Nov 2006. Planning application to convert side garage into habitable room (*Barnet Council N/15380/06*)

No 49. 15 Mar 2017. Planning application for first floor rear extension. Single storey front extension incorporating existing porch (*Barnet Council 17/1681/HSE*)

No 50. 25 Oct 1989. Planning application for single storey side extension including garage (*Barnet Council C/03069/CJ*)

No 50. 1 Feb 1990. Planning application for single storey side extension (*Barnet Council C/03069/CM*)

No 50. 21 Mar 2001. Planning application for ground floor rear conservatory extension side extension (*Barnet Council C/14397/01*)

No 50. 11 Oct 2004. Planning application for extension to existing conservatory (*Barnet Council N14420/04*)

No 50. 24 Mar 2005. Planning application for extension to existing conservatory with pitched roof (*Barnet Council N1442004/B/05*)

No 54. 18 Apr 1991. Planning application for single storey rear extension and porch (*Barnet Council C/03069/CR*)

No 56. 19 Jan 2004. Planning application for part single, part 2 storey side extension and single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/14037/04*)

No 59. 13 Mar 2019. Planning application for single storey side extension. Single storey rear extension. New front porch extension (*Barnet Council 19/1412/HSE*)

No 59. 9 Jul 2019. Planning application for creation of new window opening on flank wall. Blocking up of existing front wc window (*Barnet Council 19/3804/HSE*)

No 60. 13 Jul 1987. Planning application for ground floor and first floor side extension (*Barnet Council C/03069/BP*)



No 60. 26 Jan 1993. Planning application to convert garage into room involving alteration to front elevation. Formation of additional hardstanding at front and widening of vehicle access (*Barnet Council C/03069/CW*)

No 62. 29 May 1987. Planning application for 2 storey side extension and fence along part of boundary (*Barnet Council C/03069/BM*)

No 62. 3 Sep 1996. Planning application for 2 storey side extension and fence along part of boundary (*Barnet Council C/03069/EM*)

No 74. 6 Jan 2020. Planning application for rear extension (*Barnet Council 20/0009/QCK*)

No 74. 12 May 2020. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 5.90 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 2.90 metres and maximum height of 3.50 metres (*Barnet Council 20/2158/PNH*)

No 74. 12 Jun 2020. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 5.90 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 2.90 metres and maximum height of 3.50 metres (*Barnet Council 20/2720/PNH*)

No 86. 28 Jun 2022. Planning application for single storey side extension (*Barnet Council 22/3362/192*)

No 91. 7 Jul 2000. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory (*Barnet Council C/03069/MN/00*)

No 110. 5 Feb 2002. Planning application for two storey side extension after demolition of existing garage. Proposed ground floor rear extension and new bay window at first floor level. New porch to side (*Barnet Council C14756/02*)

**FOREST WALK, N10** Planning applications up to May 2015

No 4. 14 May 2012. Planning application for replacement of windows and doors (*Barnet Council B/01881/12*)

No 2. 5 May 2015. Planning application for extension to roof including hip to gable, rear dormer and 3 front rooflights to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council 15/02478/FUL*)

**FRANCES COTTAGES, N20**

**HIGH ROAD, WHETSTONE**, east side (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1932*)

**FRANKLIN CLOSE, N20** Planning applications up to Jul 2017

***Layout***

There are 19 residential properties, 9 on the west side and 10 on the east side, one of which is a block of flats (Delroy Court)

***Individual Properties***

No. 18. 31 Jul 2017. Planning application for conversion of garage into habitable room, insertion of window to replace garage door (*Barnet Council 17/4336/HSE*)

**FRANKS COTTAGES, N20**

**OAKLEIGH ROAD NORTH**, south side (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1932*)

## **FREDERICKS PLACE, N20**

### ***Individual properties***

4 Southview Terrace. 1917. A Batt, Private, Inniskilling Fusiliers. Died 21 November 1917. Gouzeacourt Military Cemetery. Son of Alfred Batt, 4 Southview Terrace, Fredericks Place  
(*All Over by Christmas. Page 254*)

## **FRIARS AVENUE, N20** Planning applications up to Jan 2022

### **Layout**

There are 53 residential properties, 29 on the west side, 24 on the east side. 15 of the properties are detached, and 38 are semi-detached

### **History**

9 Feb 1934. Correspondence was submitted by Mr C W Baully of 'Birchington' pointing out the difficulty strangers to the district experience in finding Friars Avenue and suggesting that the words "Leading to Friars Avenue" be added to the street name plate in Queenswell Avenue. The Highways & Public Works Committee appreciate the difficulty which is experienced in finding roads which lead off main roads but this operates throughout the whole district and if similar action was taken with regard to every street it would lead to considerable expense and probably to some confusion where many streets lead off one. The Committee therefore can not see their way to accede to Mr Baully's request (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

### **Infrastructure**

14 Jun 1934. This is a private street (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

11 Feb 1937. Cost of making-up road £1845 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

The street is numbered from 1937, prior to that each house had a name (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet*)

15 Sep 1938. Surface dressing of carriageway has been completed (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

### **Individual properties**

Nos ?? 18 Dec 1930. Application approved for 8 houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? 17 Sep 1931. Application approved for house (F W Bristow & Sons Ltd) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ?? .13 Oct 1932. Application approved for 6 houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & Oct 1932-Sep 1935. Planning application fore houses (F W Bristow & Son Ltd, 5a The Vale, Golders Green, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02987*)

Nos ?? . 7 Nov 1933. Application approved for 4 semi-detached houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ?? . 6 Mar 1934. Application approved for 9 houses and 9 garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ?? . 10 Apr 1934. Application approved for 8 houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ?? . 10 Apr 1934. Application approved for 6 semi-detached houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 1 - 17. Jan 1933 - Feb 1934. Planning application for houses and garages (H Ginn & Sons, Buxted Road, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03008*) & Nos ?? 12 Jan 1933. Application approved for 9 houses and garages, on south-west side (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 1 (Collin Dene). This appears for the first time in Kelly's directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "Collin Dene"

No 1. 21 Oct 2008. Planning application for ground floor side extension and ramp to front elevation (*Barnet Council B/03939/08*)

No 3. 20 Feb 2019. Planning application for part single, part two storey side and rear extension following partial demolition of the existing garage. New raised terrace area (*Barnet Council 19/1005/HSE*)

No 3.4 May 2020-. Planning application for part single, part two storey side and rear extension following partial demolition of the existing garage. New raised terrace area (*Barnet Council 20/2038/HSE*)

No 4. 20 Apr 1998. Planning application to convert garage into habitable room (*Barnet Council N/11737*)

No 4. 25 Apr 2003. Planning application for part single, part 2-storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/11737/B/03*)

No 5 (Friern Croft). This appears for the first time in Kelly's directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "Friern Croft"

No 5 (The Croft). 11 Feb 1936. Application approved for a conservatory (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 5. 10 Sep 2003. Planning application for single storey side extension following demolition of existing garage (*Barnet Council N/13869/B/03*)

No 5. 2 Nov 2015. Planning application for part single, part two storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council 15/06647/HSE*)

No 6. 26 Oct 2006. Planning application for single storey rear extension with lantern rooflight. First floor rear extension. New canopy over entrance (*Barnet Council N/03259/C/06*)

No 7 (Devereux). This appears for the first time in Kelly's directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1935 and is named "Devereux"

No 7. 6 Jun 1961. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 8. 6 Feb 1934. Application approved for garage and store (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 8. 11 Mar 1996. Planning application for first floor rear extension (*Barnet Council N/09395/A*)

No 8. 20 Feb 2002. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory extension (*Barnet Council N/09395/B/02*)

No 8. 11 Jan 2016. Planning application for first floor rear extension with Juliette balcony (*Barnet Council 16/0105/HSE*)

Nos 8 & 10. 11 May 2016. Planning application for first floor extension to nos 8 & 10 (*Barnet Council 16/3092/HSE*)

No 10. 13 Feb 2002. Planning application for 2 storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/13049/02*)

No 10. 15 Nov 2007. Planning application for rear roof extension and installation of front and rear rooflights (*Barnet Council N/13049/A/07*)

No 10. 28 Apr 2010. Planning application for first floor rear extension (*Barnet Council B/01671/10*)

No 10. 12 Oct 2010. Planning application for first floor rear extension (*Barnet Council B/04149/10*)

No 10. 13 Jan 2016. Planning application for extension to roof involving 1 front dormer window. First floor side extension (*Barnet Council 16/02017/HSE*)

No 11. Dec 1940. Fire reported due to enemy action (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 12. 9 Apr 1963. Application approved for single storey extension to lounge rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)



No 12. 4 Jan 2022. *Planning application for roof extension involving rear dormer window (Barnet Council 1/6808/192)*

No 13 (Wynard). This appears for the first time as number 11A in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1935 and is named "Wynard"

No 14. 27 Feb 2001. Planning application for single storey front extension to garage (*Barnet Council N/12866/01*)

No 14. 2 Dec 2002. Planning application for front and side ground floor and first floor side extension (*Barnet Council N/12866/A/02*)

No 14. Dec 2003. Garage demolished and replaced by living room with upstairs side extension (*Marilyn Testar FB&DLHS*)

No 14. 26 Aug 2014. Planning application for construction of a single storey rear conservatory (*Barnet Council B/04638/14*)

No 14. 9 Oct 2014. Planning application for roof extension involving partial hip to gable, rear dormer window and 3 rooflights to front to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council /05572/14*)

No 15 (St Freock). This appears for the first time as number 11A in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "St Freock"

No 15. 11 Sep 1962. Application approved for extension to form bay (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 15 (St Freock). 31 Jan 2010. This house is named St Feock (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 15. 17 Aug 2017. Planning application for part single, part two-storey side and rear extension following demolition of existing garage. New raised terrace area (*Barnet Council 17/5369/HSE*)

No 17. 10 Apr 1989. Planning application for roof extension at rear (*Barnet Council N/06523/A*)

No 17. 3 Feb 2004. Planning application for part single, part 2-storey front and side extension (*Barnet Council N/00523/C/04*)

No 18. Mar 1929. While recently going through the renewal of our House Insurance, I looked at the Land Registry document and found some information that may be useful. The property was registered on 4 March 1929. The first owners were F W Bristow & Sons Ltd. Paul bought the house with his first wife Valerie in 1978. I have lived here since 1998 (*Jane Clemens FB&DLHS email 8 Feb 2015*)

No 19. 12 Jun 1962. Application approved for conservatory at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 19. 25 May 2018. Planning application for single storey rear extension following demolition of existing sun room (*Barnet Council 18/3035/FUL*)

No 19. 8 Oct 1987. Planning application for front porch (*Barnet Council N/00779/A*)

No 20. 14 Oct 1987. Planning application for single storey rear/side extension (*Barnet Council N/08832*)

No 20. 5 Sep 1990. Planning application for first floor side extension and alteration to front elevation (*Barnet Council N/08832/A*)

No 21. 16 Apr 2004 & 2 Jul 2004. Planning application to convert garage to habitable room including insertion of front window and new pitched roof to provide canopy over entrance. Alteration to roof to include addition of rear dormer and side roof extension to facilitate loft conversion (*Barnet Council N/07844/A/04*)

No 21. 16 Feb 2007. A large skip outside (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 22 (Limbri). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1936 and is named "Limbri"

No 22. 17 Oct 2007. Planning application for single storey ground floor rear and side extension. Conversion of garage into habitable room and new entrance canopy (*Barnet Council N/15817/07*)

No 23. 4 Jan 2011. Planning application for single storey rear extension. Conversion of garage into habitable room. New pitched roof to front elevation (*Barnet Council B/05082/10*)

No 24. 30 May 2008. A new porch is being put on (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 24. 25 Jan 1999. Planning application for part single, part 2-storey side extension (*Barnet Council N/11997*)

No 24. 13 Feb 2013. Planning application for single storey rear extension. Roof extension with a rear dormer and 4 rooflights to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council B/00591/13*)

No 24. 9 Nov 2016. Planning application for retention of existing patio and new landscaping (Retrospective Application) (*Barnet Council 16/7176/RCU*)

No 24. 9 May 2017. Planning application for retention of and alteration to existing raised patio areas and addition of new hard and soft landscaping (*Barnet Council 17/2913/HSE*)

No 25. 12 Jul 1988. Planning application for canopy above front and garage doors on front elevation (*Barnet Council N/09146*)

No 25. 31 Jan 2013, Planning application for single storey rear extension following demolition of existing rear extension (*Barnet Council B/00347/13*)

Nos 26 - 32. Dec 1930 – Jan 1931. Planning application for houses (F W Bristow & Son Ltd, 5a The Vale, Golders Green, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02862*)

No 26 (Kimmeridge). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "Kimmeridge"

No 26. 25 Jun 1993. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council N/10428*)

No 26. 2 Feb 2011. Planning application for part single, part two storey side extension including removal of existing garage. Single storey front extension. Single storey rear extension and first floor rear extension associated alterations to roof (*Barnet Council B/00529/11*)

No 27. 5 Nov 2009. A new loft extension is being built (Beni Loft Conversions) (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 26 (Wellfield). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "Wellfield"

No 28 (Wellfield). 31 Jan 2010. This house is named Wellfield (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 29 (Shere). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1936 and is named "Shere"

No 29. 17 Jan 2011. Planning application for conversion of garage into habitable room, including new front bay window at ground floor front elevation (*Barnet Council B/00305/11*)

No 29. 21 May 2015. Planning application for extension to roof involving hip to gable end, rear dormer with juliette balconies, 3 rooflights to front elevation and 2 rooflights to roof pitch of front projection (*Barnet Council 15/03161/192*)

No 30 (Ingledale). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "Ingledale"

No 30. 17 Oct 1988. Planning application for conservatory at rear (*Barnet Council N/04381/C*)

No 30. 15 Oct 2001. Planning application for roof extension to include rear dormer (*Barnet Council N/04381/B/01*)

No 31 (Troutbeck). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1936 and is named "Troutbeck"

No 32. Apr 1930. Planning application for house (F W Bristow & Son Ltd, 5a The Vale, Golders Green, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02800*) & Nos ?? 25 Apr 1930. Application approved for 2 houses (Nos 32 & 43) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 32 (Rio). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "Rio"

No 32. 10 Apr 1962. Application approved for single storey extension to kitchen (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 33 (Olcote). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1936 and is named "Olcote"

No 33 (land to rear). 18 Aug 2011. Planning application for erection of a two- storey detached house at the rear of no 33 (*Barnet Council B/03584/11*)

No 33 (land to rear). 20 Jun 2012. Planning application for erection of a - storey detached house at the rear of 33 Friars Avenue (*Barnet Council B/02302/12*)

No 33 (land to rear). 24 Oct 2011. Planning permission refused by Barnet Council for erection of a two- storey detached house (*Barnet Council*)

No 33 (land to rear). 13 Dec 2011. Appeal to the Secretary of State (*Barnet Council letter to residents*)

No 33 (land to rear). 24 Oct 2018. Planning application for erection of a bungalow with storage in the roofspace. Associated refuse/recycling (*Barnet Council 18/6280/FUL*)

No 33 (land to rear). Jan 2019. Planning application for erection of a bungalow with home office and bathroom in the roofspace. Associated refuse/recycling (*Barnet Council 19/0187/FUL*)

No 34 (The Warren). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "The Warren"

No 34. I lived my first 23 years in Friern Barnet at no 34 from 1945-68 (*John R Townend FB&DLHS*)

No 34. 10 Nov 1959. Application approved for glazed lean-to (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 35 (Gadley). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "Gadley"

No 35. Oct - Dec 1930. Planning application for house (F W Bristow & Son Ltd, 5a The Vale, Golders Green, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02856*)

No 35 (Waverley). 31 Jan 2010. This house is named Waverley (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 36 (Braun stone). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "Braunstone"

No 36. 17 Dec 1990. Planning application for front and side extension and single storey side extension (*Barnet Council N/09869*)

No 36. 9 Dec 1994. Planning application for single storey front extension (*Barnet Council N/09869/A*)

No 36. 3 Jul 2003. Planning application for ground floor and first floor side extension (*Barnet Council N/09869/B/03*)

No 36. 28 Sep 2009. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council B/03500/09*)

No 37 (Boyne House). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "Boyne House"

No 37. 12 Sep 1997. Planning application for 2- storey rear and 2 storey front extension including increase in height of roof (*Barnet Council N/11580*)

No 37. 4 Jan 2017. Planning application for extensions to roof including hip to gable to both ends, 1 rear dormer with associated alterations to windows on side elevation (*Barnet Council 16/8098/HSE*)

No 38 (Birchington). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "Birchington"

No 38. 12 Oct 1954. Application approved for extension to garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 38. 19 Mar 1991. Planning application for ground and first floor side extension and single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/09880*)

No 38. 18 Dec 1992. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council N/09880/A*)

No 38. 7 Jun 1995. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/09880/B*)

No 38. 18 Apr 1997. Planning application for roof alteration including dormer windows in side and rear elevation and rooflight in front elevation (*Barnet Council N/09880/C*)

No 38. 10 Mar 1998. Planning application for roof extension with first floor side extension and dormer windows at side and rear (*Barnet Council N/09880/D*)

No 39 (Trevelyer). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "Trevelyer"

Nos 39 - 41. Apr 1930. Planning application for houses (F W Bristow & Son Ltd, 51 The Vale, Golders Green, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02801*) & Nos ??  
25 Apr 1930. Application approved for 2 houses (F W Bristow) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 41 (Garrington). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "Garrington"

No 41. My parents lived at no 41 from 1931-45, then moved into no 34 in 1945 when my father came back from Germany (*John R Townend FB&DLHS*)

No 42 (Lytton). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1936 and is named "Lytton"

No 43. Apr 1930. Planning application for house (F W Bristow & Son Ltd, 51 The Vale, Golders Green, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02880*)

No 43 (West Side). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "West Side"

No 43. 7 Dec 1989. Planning application for part single, part first floor front and rear extension. Dormer windows on side and rear elevation (*Barnet Council N/09565*)

No 44 (Linden Lea). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1935 and is named "Linden Lea"

No 44. 12 Apr 1960. Application approved for extension to kitchen (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 44. 13 Mar 1990. Planning application for first floor side extension (*Barnet Council N/09679*)

No 44. 10 Apr 2017. Planning application for construction of lower ground level. Two storey rear extension with new raised terrace area (*Barnet Council 17/2197/HSE*)

No 44. 14 Aug 2017. Planning application for single-storey rear extension with decking area to existing raised ground floor (*Barnet Council 17/5237/HSE*)

No 44. 27 Jan 2020. Alterations to the front garden to provide a level hardstanding and new bin store (Retrospective Application) (*Barnet Council 20/0378/RCU*)

No 44. 8 Jan 2021. Planning application for alterations to existing permeable front hardstanding including lowering of levels and heights of walls, new bin storage area, planting and flower beds (*Barnet Council 21/0094/HSE*)

No 45. This house was built c.1929 (*Anthea Gray FBLHS member*)

No 45 (Lorna Cott). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "Lorna Cott"

Nos 45 - 51. Aug - Oct 1931. Planning application for houses (F W Bristow & Sons Ltd, 51 The Vale, Golders Green, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02908*)

No 45. 9 Jun 1959. Application approved for conversion of ground floor cloakroom into wc (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 45. 21 Dec 2017. Planning application for roof extension involving rear dormer window with Juliette balcony, 2 rooflights to front and new gable window to side elevation to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council 8098/192*)

No 45. 6 Mar 2018. Planning application for Part single, part two storey rear extension, conversion of garage into habitable room including replacement of existing door with a bay window, new canopy to front (*Barnet Council 18/1422/HSE*)

No 45. 9 Nov 2018. Planning application for Variation of condition 1 (Plan numbers) pursuant to planning permission 18/1422/HSE dated 02/05/2018 for 'Part single, part two storey rear extension, conversion of garage into habitable room including replacement of existing door with a bay window, new canopy to front and front infill extension.' Amendments include alterations to the rear extension rooflight glazing (*Barnet Council 18/6743/S73*)

No 46. 22 Nov 1991 & 18 Dec 1992 & 20 Dec 1992. Planning application for first floor side extension (*Barnet Council N/10075*)

No 46. 5 Feb 1997. Planning application (renewal) for first floor side extension (*Barnet Council N/10075/C*)

No 46. 23 Sep 1998. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension with steps to rear patio (*Barnet Council N/10075/E*)

No 46. 27 Feb 2002. Planning application for part single, part 2 storey side extension, single storey rear extension including raised patio with balustrading and steps to rear (*Barnet Council N/10075/F/02*)

No 46. 9 Jun 2003. Planning application for retention of rear patio (*Barnet Council N/10075/G/03*)

No 47. 1929. A Conveyance dated 23 February 1929 of the land in this title made between Charles Arthur Morris of the first part, William Butler Wasborough of the second part and Walter Foxhall Parks of the third part. 4 March 1929. date of the First Registration of the Freehold land on which Redcroft, 48 Friars Avenue would be built. (the number of the house was subsequently changed to 47) 7 Oct 1931. The land in this title is subject to the following provisions and covenants contained in a Conveyance dated 26 February 1907 from Elizabeth Crisp and others to William Thomas Ballard (purchaser). Items of interest: - 1) No building to be erected on any part of this land shall be used for any business (except that of Solicitor, Surgeon or Physician) or for any trade or manufacture or for any other purpose than a private dwelling house or coach house stables or other outbuildings suitable and belonging to a private dwelling house 2) Any house to be erected on the plot shall if detached be of not less value than £800 or if semi-detached or one of a terrace of not less value than £700. 3) The value of a house is the amount of its net first cost in materials and labour of construction only estimated at the current lowest prices and shall not include the value of any stables, conservatories or other outbuildings of any kind whatsoever. The land is subject to the following covenants (additional to those in the Conveyance of 26 February 1907) contained in a transfer dated 27 March 1930 from Walter Foxhall Parks (Transferor) to F W Bristow & Sons Ltd (Transferee (builder?) – “Not to erect more than twelve dwellings on the land situate on the North side of Barratt Avenue (now Queenswell Avenue). No house shall be of less value than £800 for a detached house and £1500 for a pair of semi-detached houses. Proprietor Register: 7 Oct 1931 C A P Jones (Bank clerk) and N I M Jones (wife) £1525; 15 Jul 1952 Francis Otto Dorer (Instrument Engineer) £4575; 12 January 1968 Olwen Margaret North (Widow) (Teacher) £9000; Stanley (Chemist) and Barbara Gilks £14000 (*Stan Gilks, current resident, 8 March 2015*)

No 47 (Redcroft). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "Redcroft"

No 48 (Courtlands). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1936 and is named "Courtlands"

No 48. 15 Apr 1987. Planning application for 2 storey side and rear and single storey front and rear extension with garden floor under (*Barnet Council N/08624*)

No 49 (Moncton). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1935 and is named "Moncton"

No 49. 8 Apr 1998. Planning application for conversion of garage into playroom/utility room, brick-up side window and replace garage door with bay window and brickwork (*Barnet Council N/03243/A*)

No 49. 17 Apr 2000. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/03243/B/00*)

No 49. 9 Dec 2005. Planning application for alteration to roof to include rear dormer window to facilitate loft conversion (*Barnet Council N/03243/C/05*)

No 49. 17 Oct 2018. Planning application for part single, part two storey rear extension. Alteration to doors and windows (*Barnet Council 18/6146/HSE*)

No 50 (The End). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1936 and is named "The End"

No 50. 8 May 1989. Planning application for first floor side extension (*Barnet Council N/06457/A*)

No 50. 25 Jun 2001. Planning application for single storey rear extension. Part hip, part gable side dormer roof extension with Velux window to front (*Barnet Council N/06457/B/01*)

No 51 (Tamarisk). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "Tamarisk"

No 53 (Gonville). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1934 and is named "Gonville"

No 53. 15 May 1947. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 53. 6 Jun 1988. Planning application for 2 storey side and single storey side and front extension (*Barnet Council N/08955*)

No 53. 15 Aug 1991. Planning application for single side extension and monopitch roof over existing side extension (*Barnet Council N/0955/A*)

No 55 (Ash Ridge). This appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1935 and is named "Ash Ridge"

No 55. 12 Mar 1963. Application approved for extension to kitchen (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 55. 10 Feb 1988. Planning application to convert garage into habitable room (*Barnet Council N/08944*)

No 55. 2 Jul 2014. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 8 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 3.8 metres and maximum height of 4 metres (*Barnet Council B/03921/14*)

No 55 7 Jun 2016. Planning application for demolition of existing single storey outbuilding and rear extension. Erection of single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council 16/3572/HSE*)

No 57. 28 Jun 1995. Planning application for first floor side extension (*Barnet Council N/10936*)

No 57. 27 Dec 2000. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council N/10936/A/00*)

**FRIARY AVENUE, N20** Planning applications up to Mar 2010

(see also **CHURCH FARM ESTATE**)

**History**

The southern and western parts of the Bethune estate were built as planned, although considerable space was left along the Crescent. Most of the northern part was acquired by the council for allotments and a recreation ground, cutting off Holly Park from the Church Farm estate, which on the completion of Myddelton Park, was laid out to the south by Church Farm Estates Ltd between Friern Barnet Lane and Oakleigh Road North. The first roads were Oakleigh Crescent, Church Way and Crescent, St James's Avenue, and Friary Avenue..... (*Victoria County History page 14*)

11 Jun 1930. The Council decided to name the road Friary Avenue (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

**Individual properties**

20 Nov 1930. Application approved for house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ???. 17 Sep 1931. Application approved for 4 houses (F E Bristow & Sons Ltd) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 4. 28 Jul 2005. Major restoration, including the green roof tiles (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 4. 9 Sep 2005. Rendering stripped back to bare bricks (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 20. 16 Jul 1963. Application approved for erection of garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 58. 15 Apr 1958. Application approved for erection of adjoining garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)



## **FRIARY CLOSE, N12** Planning applications up to Oct 2020

### **History**

Friary Close appears for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1930

### **Infrastructure**

6 May 2008. The footpath between Friary Close and **Buxted Road** now has a motor cycle barrier (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

### **Individual properties**

Nos ?? 25 Apr 1930. Application approved for 4 houses in a street off Friary Close (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 14 Feb 1946. East Side. Application approved for 3 storey flats south of Torrington Park

Sept 2002. Planning application has been made to build a bungalow. Notice to this effect has been fixed to a lamppost (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 1. 10 Jun 1987. Planning application for part single. part 2 storey side extension and front porch (*Barnet Council C/09548*)

Nos 2 - 3. 9 Sep 1953. Application approved for 2 garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 2. 18 Jul 2019. Planning application for single storey rear extension including conversion of the existing garage into habitable room, replacement of the existing garage door and alteration to the roof height. New front porch enclosure (*Barnet Council 19/3862/HSE*)

Nos 3 - 10. Dec 1927 - Jul 1972. Planning application for houses and garages (A Auburn & Sons, Beech Bough, Barnet Lane, Arkley) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02600*)

No 4. 29 Apr 1987. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council C/09493*)

No 5. 29 Apr 1987. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council C/09494*)

No 6. 26 May 1993. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council C/11487*)

No 6. 18 Jan 2000. Planning application for first floor side extension (*Barnet Council C/11487/A/00*)

No 7. 15 Apr 1946 & 5 Sep 1946. Application approved for corrugated asbestos garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 7. 18 Sep 1951. Application approved for extension to garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 7. 16 Jul 1963. Application approved for erection of garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 8. 9 Oct 1934. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 9 - 18. Dec 1946 - Sep 1948. Planning application for houses (Chepstow Contractors Ltd, 262 Colney Hatch Lane) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03759*) & Nos ?? 12 Dec 1946. Application approved for 5 pairs of semi-detached houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 9. 6 Sep 1948. Application approved for Anderson shelter type garden shed (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 9. 5 Jun 2020. Planning application for roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer windows with balustrade balcony and 3 front facing rooflights (*Barnet Council 20/2500/192*)

No 14. 12 Jun 1962. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 15. 6 Jun 1961. Application approved for additional room in roof space (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 15. 10 Oct 1961. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 15. 12 Jun 1962. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 15. 29 Oct 2002. Planning application for roof extension involving hip to gable, 1 side gable window, rear dormer windows and 2 front facing rooflights (*Barnet Council 20/5128/192*)

No 18. 12 Jul 1956. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 18. 11 Jun 1963. Application approved for erection of conservatory at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 18.7 Jun 2002. Outline planning application for erection of detached bungalow with internal garage (*Barnet Council C/02674L*)

No 18. Another useful ruling comes from the Planning Inspectorate which dismissed a developer's appeal against the Council's (Welcome and widely supported) refusal to permit backland development on gardens in Friern Barnet Lane opening into St James' Close. This decision is founded largely on two grounds: first, specific to this site, stresses the need to protect mature trees (and this also played a vital part in the Council's earlier refusal to allow a sizeable dwelling to be erected on the well wooded ground belonging to 18 Friary Close). The second reason for supporting Barnet's refusal is that paragraph T1.1 of the Council's Unitary Development Plan provides "that development must be compatible with the established character and architectural identity of existing and adjoining properties and the general location". It also requires new residential developments to be "compatible with existing buildings and respect the scale and setting of surrounding development". (*Friern Barnet & Whetstone Residents Association Newsletter June 2005*)

No 18. 18 Apr 2007. A major side extension is under way (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 18. 29 Sep 1990. Planning application for detached bungalow with integral garage on land adjoining (Outline) (*Barnet Council C/02674/H*)

No 18. 19 Aug 2006 & 1 Nov 2006 & 25 Jul 2006. Planning application for detached garage and construction of part single, part 2 storey side extension incorporating new garage (*Barnet Council C/01126/G/06*)

**FRIARY PARK, N20 Grid Reference TQ 2730 9270** Planning applications up to Mar 2010

The Bacon Family. John Bacon leased "the manor of Whetstone in the Parish of Friern Barnet" in 1783. He was a distant relative of the Bacon family who may or may not have written Shakespeare's plays. When he died in 1816, he held 651 acres of which 139 were in his own name together with other holdings in Finchley and East Barnet, and he owned Friary Park. 182 acres were held by his son John William who lived at Manor Farm (now the North Middlesex Golf Club), 138 were leased to John Gaywood and the rest were held by smaller tenants. On Bacon's death he left a financial tangle, because he had borrowed money to help to pay the costs of the Enclosure provisions of January 1816, and after an action in the Court of Chancery the estate had to be sold at auction. Bacon's tomb is in St James's churchyard close to the porch. About 81 acres of the estate were bought by Thomas Bensley who planned to use them to build a lunatic asylum there, but he went bankrupt and the estate was further divided (*Finchley & Whetstone Past* by John Heathfield. Page 74)

Friary Park may well be the site of the earliest settlement in Friern Barnet. The parish church of St James is first mentioned in 1198 and such houses as there were would have been clustered nearby. The old road once called Avern Street ran past the estate and the south facing land would have been attractive to early farmers. The Dean and Chapter of St Paul's Cathedral, who were lords of the manor in 1551, erected a manor house which became Friary of Friern House. The main entrance in Friern Barnet Lane and the tree lined avenue leading to the parish church have survived in much altered form. It is thought that Sir Walter Raleigh once lived here, hence the name of Raleigh Drive. By the time of the 1665 Hearth Tax, its owner, Sir William Gomvill, was taxed for 17 hearths. The estate was built by E W Richardson who began development in 1871, but in 1909 much of the grounds were bought for use as a public park by Friern Barnet District Board with financial help from Sydney Simmons JP (*Finchley & Whetstone Past* by John Heathfield. Page 75)

This is a pleasant, traditional suburban park (8.8ha) surrounding Friary House, which was given to the public in 1910, when the Friern Barnet area was still a newly developing suburb. It was the year of King Edward VII's death and a statue, bearing a plaque commemorating the late King, stands at the top of the hill. The park has an open, airy landscape, with wide lawns stretching down the hillside to a small stream near the southern boundary of the site. There are many fine old trees including oak, lime, hornbeam and horse-chestnut, plus a line of London planes along the stream bank. At the top of the hill, the park contains traditional flower beds and shrubberies, associated with recreational facilities including bowling green, tennis courts, children's playground and a small café. The stream is the most interesting ecological feature; it has a sinuous course, with rock-faced banks and a pretty stone bridge at the western end. There are a few wetland plants along the banks including occasional clumps of yellow iris, soft-rush, pendulous sedge and rather more delicate remote sedge. Other wild flowers which can be found here include wood avens, wavy bitter-cress and cow parsley. However, the commonest plant along most of the banks is common (or stinging) nettle: this is often a sign of high phosphate levels, reflecting polluted water (and possibly in this case according to one source, the site of the site of a former cess pit). Some years ago, according to local residents, the stream supported sticklebacks; today it is thought to be fishless. Although parts of the watercourse appear quite clear, cloudy water (probably containing detergent) can occasionally be observed coming in from some of the side-drains, suggesting leakage from household kitchen water into the storm drains. As part of the Local Agenda 21 process in this district, The Council, the Environment Agency and Thames Water are seeking ways to improve the situation. Not far upstream, in North Middlesex Golf Course, this stream supports amphibian. It would make an enormous difference to the park if this little stream could be restored to a clean condition. The park supports a fair variety of birds, with species such as nuthatch and treecreeper, which are associated with mature parkland trees, regularly reported. Wren, robin and blackbird can be found amongst the shrubberies, goldcrest and long-tailed tit in the tree tops. Grey wagtails are occasionally observed along the stream. Local school children have recently erected special nesting boxes to encourage tawny owls; it is hoped that these in their turn will help to keep the local rodents in check! (*Nature Conservation in Barnet. Ecology Handbook 28. London Ecology Unit 1997*)

The house in Friary Park was built for E W Richardson in 1871, and bought by the local council in 1910. Even before that date, there was a tradition of using the land for community purposes. For example, the Diamond Jubilee of Queen Victoria was celebrated by a children's party held in Mr

Richardson's grounds (*Around Whetstone and North Finchley in Old Photographs by John Heathfield. Page 106*)

The inscription on the statue reads "In memory of the Peace Maker King Edward VII. Erected by Sidney Simmons JP the donor of this park which was opened to the public on May 7, 1910, the day following His Majesty's lamented death" grounds (*Around Whetstone and North Finchley in Old Photographs by John Heathfield. Page 107*)

The bridge in Friary Park crosses Blacketts Brook, which rises on the North Middlesex Golf Course and flows into a culvert under Friern Barnet Lane and eventually into Pymmes' Brook (*Around Whetstone and North Finchley in Old Photographs by John Heathfield. Page 108*)

The early settlement bordered the lane near to St James's church, which was originally a Norman nave and chapel and a manor house, built in 1551, and two farmhouses built nearby were the only residences in 1754. By this time Friern Wood, which covered 88 acres between the High Road at Finchley and Blackett's Brook, had been cleared. A Richard Clark had been required to build a manor as part of the conditions under which he was awarded the lands and he built Friary of Friern House in what is now Friary Park. The original building was required to have a hall, parlour and chambers, and was demolished in 1828 and replaced by the present building in 1871. Neither building had been known as the Manor House, that title being assumed by Manor House Farm, which has resulted in considerable confusion ever since in references, and in old records and maps (*North Middlesex Golf Club: The First 100 Years by John Dyke. Page 6*)

15 Apr 1909 & 23 Apr 1909. Friary Estate purchased by the Council for £7500 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

2 Jul 1909. Middlesex County Council paid £1937 10s 0d towards purchasing The Friary (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

7 Jan 1910. Drainage and tarpaving paths round the Park 2/6d per sq yard and 1/9d per sq yard (Messrs Grounds & Newton) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

7 Jan 1910 & 4 Mar 1910. Approval of Byelaws for the Park (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

4 Mar 1910. Purchase of gates for the Park (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

18 Apr 1910. Purchase of seats for the Park (£39) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

7 May 1910. Report on cancellation of opening of Park (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

14 May 1910. Among the many local public functions postponed on account of the death of the King, by far the most important was the opening of Friary Park, presented to Friern Barnet for all time by Mr Sydney Simmons. The Lord Mayor of London had kindly undertaken to perform the opening ceremony, and there had also promised to attend the Lady Mayoress and the Sheriffs of the City. In a telegram received on Saturday morning the Lord Mayor cancelled the engagement. At the time his Lordship had originally arranged to leave for Friern Barnet he was on his way from the Mansion House to St James's Palace to attend a Privy Council. On his return of the deepest sorrow at the death of King Edward. "He died not only at the zenith of his power, but of his fame" observed his Lordship. "By the death of King Edward every Englishman and every Englishwoman had lost not only a most gracious Sovereign but a personal friend. This calamity has come as a tremendous shock to the whole nation." The Lady Mayoress said that the love and sympathy of every woman in the Empire would go out to the Queen Dowager in the irreparable loss she had sustained in the death of her beloved husband. The Friary gates were thrown open early in the afternoon, and the Park was visited by a large number of people. Members of the District Council with officers made an informal inspection of the Park. Visitors were greatly impressed, among other things, with the rock gardens, of which we hope to give a full description when the scheme has been completed. The rock gardens are a charming addition to the Park, a spot of beauties of which no pen could fully extol. The date of the formal opening of the Park will not be fixed until the end of the month (*Barnet Press 14 May 1910*)

13 May 1910. No official opening. Friary Park, Friern Barnet-lane was to have been opened to the public on Saturday, by the Lord Mayor of London, but owing to the death of the King the official ceremony had to be postponed, although the park was thrown open to those who desired to use it. The park is 22½ acres in extent and to Mr Simmonds' £7,500 the Middlesex County Council added £1937. The park also centres around a place of historic interest, the Friary. In an excellent handbook issued by Mr Edwin Goodship, Clerk to the District Council, said this ancient building was partially built out of the ruins of a Cistercian monastery which was requisitioned by King Henry VIII. On his death it passed to Queen Elizabeth who stayed there when hunting in the neighbourhood as the guest of Lord Chief Justice Popham, who resided for several years at the Friary. Queen Elizabeth presented the house to Sir Walter Raleigh who disposed of it to Francis Lord Bacon and it remained in the family for a century and a half. A Court was held at the Friary in 1539 by Sir William Weston, the last of the Priors of St John of Jerusalem (*Finchley Press 13 May 1910, Page 9*)

28 May 1910. The work of laying out the grounds is proceeding, and when completed the Park will be additionally attractive. The avenue of elms cannot be matched in all the countryside, and the ponds and the undulating character of the grounds help the picture wonderfully. The approach in Friern-lane is marked by handsome iron gates. Mr Reynolds, the District Council surveyor, is to be congratulated on the work he has done (*Barnet Press 28 May 1910*)

3 Jun 1910. Purchase of gymnastic apparatus (£70 9s 10d) and a mower (£18 1s 3d) for the Park (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

...One is the celebration of VJ Day in 1945, when a grandstand was erected for the purpose in Friary Park on the slope above Torrington Park. Its chest-high base was built with concrete filled sandbags, and there was a simple metal roof structure (*A E Mould, Friern Barnet Newsletter No 35*)

3 Feb 1911. Renovation and improvement of the Park £2500 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

4 Feb 1911. The Peace statue at Friary Park is in course of erection. The cost is to be borne by Mr Sydney Simmons JP, the donor of the park (*Barnet Press 4 Feb 1911*)

25 Mar 1911. The statue is greatly admired (*Barnet Press 25 Mar 1911*)

5 May 1911. A treat to commemorate the Coronation of HM the King will be given at Friary Park to all children residing in Friern Barnet at or under the age of 14 attending elementary school, other day schools and Sunday schools at a cost not exceeding £150 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

30 Jun 1911. Under the auspices of the Urban District Council of Friern Barnet a Coronation festival was held in Friary Park on June 27 when practically all the children in the Freehold between the ages of 5 and 14 spent a most enjoyable time. The boys and girls assembled at The Priory and walked in procession to Friary Park. A commemorative oak tree was planted by Mr S Simmons JP (*Muswell Hill Record 30 Jun 1911*)

27 Jun 1911. Coronation Fete on 27 June. The Park will be closed to general public until 6.30, but admission will be granted to any Ratepayer or inhabitant of Friern Barnet on presentation of an admission ticket issued by the Council (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

1927. The Friern Barnet Hospital Fete and Fair. This annual event has been fixed for Saturday July 9, and will be held, as usual, in Friary Park, Friern Lane. This "better than Barnet Fair" Fete has undoubtedly become the greatest and most successful affair of its kind in North London, and as a result of the last four years' Fetes the local hospitals and Nursing associations have benefited to the extent of thousands of pounds. We want to make this year's Fete a record one – a £1000 (net) one – and we shall do this if you personally will do your share. Every conceivable attraction is provided: Merry-go-round, "Slip-the-Slip", hosts of side shows, competitions and stalls will cater for the amusement and of visitors. Refreshments will be provided at popular prices. The nett proceeds will be distributed among the Royal Northern Hospital, the Finchley Memorial and Passmore Edwards Cottage Hospitals and Friern Barnet Nursing Association. Offers of assistance will willingly be received by Mr A S Woods, Chairman or Mr E W Perry, Hon Secretary of the Fete

and Fair Committee. Please make an immediate note of the date, and be sure not to miss this leading outdoor event of the year (*All Saints Parish Magazine 1929*)

17 Jun 1943. Reference to Wartime Allotments in Friary Park. Ads in Barnet Press on 18, 25 June, 12 July 1943 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

1953. There were Coronation Day celebrations in Friary Park in 1953

11 Aug 1956. The plant house was opened by the Parks Superintendent, H Clayton (*Karl Ruge FB&DLHS*)

20 Apr 1988. Planning application for change of use of flat no 2 to office accommodation (*Barnet Council C/09967/A*)

28 Jul 1989. Planning application for single storey bowls pavilion (Development by Council under Regulation 4(5)) (*Barnet Council C/10461*)

Jul 2002. HADAS has started work here, mainly plotting out base lines and a grid for the resistivity survey. The first target is a curved bank or causeway earthwork, close to the Friern Barnet Lane side of the park. This appears to be a slightly boggy area and may explain the nature of the earthwork. The survey is to investigate the Friary aspect of the Park. Was there a medieval settlement here of some kind? On Sunday 9 June we managed to survey a 20 x 20m square with our new resistivity meter - its first time in action. The early results show a (not unexpected) high resistivity over the bank, which appears to be made up of gravel, but also further possible features elsewhere. The work will continue through most of June (*Hendon & District Archaeological Society Newsletter Jul 2002*)

Aug 2002. The survey at Friary Park continues with more members getting used to the new resistivity meter. The results are showing several features but whether they are geological or archaeological is hard to know at present, the images need to be processed further. The results are usually posted on the internet, sometimes with photos of the team in action. Useful information was received by the appeal in the last Newsletter regarding the parch-marks in the park in the 1970s (*Hendon & District Archaeological Society Newsletter Aug 2002*)

Sep 2002. The survey has been continuing here with some areas being resurveyed to provide a more consistent result. Latest results show an unusual intriguing feature, shaped as a long line with circular ends. It is difficult to speculate what this might be, but if it were a structure of some kind it would have been a substantial one. Research by Oliver Natelson of the FB&DLHS shows a mansion had been built in Friary Park in the 16th century (the present house in the park is mid-Victorian). It stood west of Friern Barnet Lane and south of St James church, with which it was connected by an avenue in 1783, when the extensive grounds were bounded to the west by ponds and Blackett's brook. "The house contained 17 hearths in 1664, when it was unoccupied. In 1797 the main east front of five bays with two wings was in an early 18th century style but the core of an older house survived with piecemeal additions, probably including a hall of c1660" (extract from Victoria County History of Middlesex). Whether the survey feature is connected with such a building or some earlier or later event remains to be seen, but the results are encouraging. The survey will continue into September (*Hendon & District Archaeological Society Newsletter Sep 2002*)

16 May 2003. By the northern end of the stream, west of bridge, several mature, apparently healthy Horse Chestnut trees felled (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

18 Jun 2003. Friary House. Planning application for change of use of part of ground floor from London Borough of Barnet Occupational Health offices and part of café conservatory to Elderly Persons Day Centre/Community Centre (*Barnet Council N/13772/A/03*)

18 Jun 2003. Friary House. Planning application for change of use of part of first floor from London Borough of Barnet council offices to Citizens Advice Bureau with remainder of first floor as elderly persons day centre administration office (*Barnet Council N/13772/03*)

6 Aug 2003. Friary House. Planning application for erection of part glazed walkway at side with ramp. New disabled access ramp for café. Revised access to rear car park (*Barnet Council N/13772/B/03*)

11 Aug 2003. The funfair has just arrived, prior to the opening of the Summer Show (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

Aug 2004. Report on Resistivity Surveys at Friary Park. Two earthworks - one mound (western) and one causeway or bank (eastern) now grass covered are present. (1) Local people who are well acquainted with the park cannot explain these earthworks (2) These earthworks do not correspond to any known structures in existing records (3) The western mound has old oaks growing on the surface and at lower level to the south of the mound. These trees are about 2 centuries old, which indicates the mound is older still. Suggested archaeological fieldwork (by HADAS). A resistivity survey may show up archaeological features such as banks, ditches, pits, postholes or foundations of earlier buildings. The natural sub-soil (probably London clay with gravel) and how heavily the park has been landscaped and planted c1909. Area surveyed. 1. The eastern bank or causeway running between the boundary of Friern Barnet Lane and the path in front of the house called 'The Friary'. There are obvious earthworks and undulations in this area 2. The western terrace – a flattened mound or terraced feature to the west of the house and the bowling green. Results. For the record, the meter used was the TR Systems Ltd/CIA resistance Meter, using grids of 20 x 20m, recording at 1.0m intervals. During spring 2002 HADAS surveyed 4 grids of 20 x 20m squares over the bank or causeway (area 1) and another 4 grids slightly further south west. The straight white line across the plot is a modern tarmac path. Beneath this there appears to be two curved features of high sensitivity (the light areas), these seem to be of two phases. Phase 1 is an existing curved gravel (or gravel topped) bank the stones can be seen eroding from the top surface. On the ground, the bank fades away southwest beneath the modern path, but as can be seen from the plot it continues on a straight course southwest, appearing to terminate in a (broken?) hook/circle shaped feature. This gravel feature does not appear to be natural (glacial gravels etc), neither does it look structural similar to building foundations, although without excavation this cannot be totally ruled out. Could it be an early access road, path or coach drive leading to the former mansion house within the vicinity? The hook/circle shape feature is a strong and substantial signal, it lies on higher ground on the edge of the south westward slope. The nature of this feature is not known, possibly a dump of demolition rubble or a solid foundation? Phase 2 is the earliest feature and curves gently southwest and appears to end indistinctly in the same area as the circle above. This may be a natural gravel feature or work connected with the early landscaping of the park e.g. ponds, of which one is thought to have been in this area. The second area surveyed, the western terrace (2 above) was surveyed with one grid of 17x20cm this area proved difficult to survey as it was covered by many trees, bushes and plants etc. The plot shows no archaeological features. This garden is heavily terraced and at the western end leads to a slope and then a putting green. Any archaeological features surviving here would be difficult to detect. Future work. Although no obvious building foundations can be detected from the plot, it may be advantageous in the future to test the strongest signals by excavation to determine the nature of the high resistance levels. (*HADAS Report August 2004*)

1 Mar 2005. Planning application for installation of 1 non-illuminated freestanding advertisement sign at entrance and 2 non-illuminated free standing advertisement signs within park grounds (*Barnet Council N/45555/05*)

4 Mar 2005. On a snowy morning, Barnet Council; workmen were putting up signs at the entrances to the Park announcing that CCTV surveillance is in operation (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

2 Jun 2005. The path leading to Friary House from Friary Way has recently been tarmaced (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

13 Jun 2005. Numerous improvements to the park and café have been carried out. However, several trees alongside Friern Barnet Road (opposite Manor Drive) have been given the usual council treatment – cut back to the bare trunks almost (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

12 Jan 2006. Planning application for 9m telegraph pole and equipment cabinet outside Friary Park, opposite junction with The Ridgeway (*Barnet Council N/14960/06*)

Jan - Jun 2006. Major improvements to the appearance of the park. The pathways have been tarmaced, new flowerbeds have been developed along the southern side of the road between the church and the house, and in the old tennis court area. Public seats are dotted around the park (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

2 May 2007. The skateboard area is being demolished (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

9 Jan 2009. Planning application for change of use of first floor of the building to a Metropolitan Police Safer Neighbourhood Unit (Class B1) (*Barnet Council B/00015/09*)

27 Jan 2009. Planning application for internal building refurbishment together with new single storey reception area (*Barnet Council B/00248/09*)

9 Apr 2009. Planning application for installation of two air condenser units on north elevation at ground floor level (*Barnet Council B/01233/09*)

20 Aug 2009. A new £30,000 skate park has been opened in Friary Park. The skate park is the first step in introducing more play facilities to the popular green space. It was unveiled during the Summer Play Rangers scheme run by Barnet Play Association on Monday (Aug 17). A further £20,000 will be spent later this year on updating some of the park's older play equipment. Cabinet member for the environment Andrew Harper said: "We continue to look for exciting ways to illuminate the concept of playing for the borough's children (*Barnet Press 20 Aug 2009. Page 16*)

2 Oct 2009. Friary House. Planning application for amendment to planning permission reference B/00248/09 dated 24/03/09 for internal building refurbishment together with new single storey reception area. Amendment to involve reduction in size of extension (London Borough of Barnet, agent The Kevin Hinds Practice, West Street, Ware, Herts SG12 9EE) (*Barnet Council B/03571/09*)

In October 2010 the renovation of Friary House in Friary Park was complete and five local organisations moved in (Barnet Asian Women's' Association; BAWA Jagruti Mental Health Project; Barnet Elderly Asians Group; Iranian Community Centre; Oshwal Association of the UK and Barnet Lone Parent Centre). The house was, however, lacking one important feature – the clock on the front of the building. This had been removed during the refurbishment and was in need of repair but, due to the economic situation, Barnet Council were unable to find the funding for this, so they asked us if we could talk to local organisations with a view to raising the necessary money. We approached the Friern Barnet & Whetstone Residents' Association, the Friends of Friary Park and the Whetstone Society and between us we managed to come up with the necessary £810. The clock was overhauled by Public Clocks Ltd, a firm recommended by Barnet Council, and they also installed a synchroniser which makes it possible for the clock to be altered remotely twice a year to coincide with GMT. The clock was reinstated on 15 February. So, when you are in the park next time and glance upwards at the house, please say a huge thank you to everyone concerned (*Friern Barnet Newsletter No 45 Apr 2011*)

22 Sep 2011. The Council have just finished installing a disabled children's playground alongside the existing playground (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

Photographs of the Veteran Oak are in Barnet Local Studies & Archives numbers L9641, L9642 & L9643

24 Mar 2014. Planning application for installation of non-illuminated freestanding sign (Mr P Marsh, 2 Park Crescent, N3 2JN) (*Barnet Council B/00459/14*) *This is for the erection of a plaque near the statue arranged by The Finchley Society*)

14 May 2014. Café at Friary House, Planning permission for change of use of first floor to education space (*Barnet Council B/02036/14*)

31 May 2014. First floor of the house being gutted; skip outside (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)



22 Jul 2015. The large dead tree alongside the children's play area has been cut down today (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

3 Nov 2015. Charitable arts group Community Focus have celebrated their first major event at their new home in Friary House at the weekend Theresa Villiers MP, a long-time supporter of Community Focus spoke at the event and met a number of the group's volunteers. The aims of Community Focus are to help people gain confidence, wellbeing and belonging through participation in the arts. Everyone, including adults and children with learning disabilities and people with dementia or mental health issues, is welcome to take part in projects ranging from pottery and painting to drumming and drama. The future of the charity was thrown into jeopardy when they had to leave their original home at the artsdepot in North Finchley. Community Focus' friends and supporters, including Theresa, called for a solution to be found to save the charity. Thanks to Barnet Council, a new home was found in Friary House. Supported by the ASDA Foundation, Saturday's event was a fun day to celebrate the new Community Garden set up at Friary House. The purpose of the garden is to bring people of all ages and abilities together with a common goal, and to integrate the group at Friary House with the local community (*Theresa Villiers website*)

Friary House was built as a family home in 1871 in the present Friary Park. A large house was first built on this site more than 450 years ago, in the 1550s, when the manorial landowners, St. Paul's Cathedral, ordered that "one Convenient Mansion" be built here. The present 1871 brick house was built by Edmund Richardson, company secretary of the Planet Building Society, who had bought some of the land once owned by St. Paul's. The position of the house is significant - aligned carefully with the nearby parish church of St. James, so that anyone standing on the entrance steps of the house can see the spire of the parish church directly down the long, tree-lined drive and across Friary Road. But there is also an additional and very unusual architectural alignment. Richardson (who became a parish churchwarden) included in the house a tall, broad-based spire that is very similar in appearance to the church's spire. Standing in the Friary House drive, one can look north to see the church's spire, and south to see the house's spire. Another notable feature is the number of its Victorian Gothic-style gables. The largest and most decorative pair, on the north-facade house frontage facing down the drive, has patterned red-brick stilted arches within each gable; among other noteworthy elements on the frontage are stone-framed tall ground-floor canted bay windows, a central entrance framed by large square piers with capitals, and other red-brick and stone detail. The south facade has a large and a small gable, with canted bays below the larger gable. The east facade has a large and a small gable. The west facade (acting as the "rear" of the building) has a tall chimney against its capital-decorated gable-end (*Barnet Council Local List*)

17 Feb 2022. Planning application for reinstatement of original dove feature on statue (*Barnet Council 22/0525/FUL*)

17 Feb 2022. Planning application for reinstatement of original dove feature (LISTED BUILDING CONSENT) (*Barnet Council 22/0527/LBC*)

## **FRIARY PARK BOWLING CLUB, N20**

20 May 1911. In the far-off days of 1909 a few of the local residents of Friern Barnet played occasionally on a small green then existing in Friary Park, no attempt being made to form a club. The idea that a bowling club be formed in the district came from the late Mr Sydney Simmons who made the suggestion to a few friends on the way home from the parish church one Sunday morning and arrangements were made for a meeting to be held at The Friary (*sic*) (now the Town Hall). This meeting was held on 20 May 1911. The club was brought into being, the first officers elected, and a set of rules drafted for the management of affairs (*Friary Park Bowling Club records*)

14 Sep 1988. Arson Attack. Police are hunting for a firebug after a pavilion was burnt to the ground on Sunday morning. Friary Park Bowls Club's headquarters was completely destroyed in the attack – just two days after it had been damaged in a similar incident. There have now been no fewer than 23 mysterious fires in the Whetstone police area in the last year, and officers are re-examining all their records to see if a pattern can be established. They will also be studying reports of two more weekend blazes, in which the doors of St James's Church in nearby Friern Barnet Lane were damaged by fire, and a garden shed in Glenthorne Road was totally gutted by what a fire officer described as an "incendiary device". Bowls club secretary Alan David said he was "absolutely sick" over the destruction of the pavilion. There have been more than 20 incidents of vandalism in the park since last September, half of them involving the bowls club, he revealed. "There were serious fires in September and April, but this takes the biscuit. The pavilion is absolutely gone, it's gutted," he said. Mr Davis does not think anyone has a grudge against the club, He added: "Someone must have something about this area. The church has been attacked several times as well." The pavilion, built in 1966, housed the club's changing rooms, furniture and equipment store. Virtually all the club's property – including furniture, bowls and cutlery – was destroyed. The total damage is estimated at £15,000. Mr Davis said: "we have had quite a good setup in the past few years. There's no reason why anyone would want to do everything like this. We are all upset about it. We don't understand the mentality of people who do these things. Someone obviously can't be too right in their mind. ." The loss of the pavilion means the club will have to play its remaining fixtures this season away from home. Mr Davis said he hoped the council would consider building a new brick pavilion. In the attack on Friday evening, someone set fire to a pile of rubbish pushed up against the pavilion walls, causing slight damage. Police tipped off about Sunday's fire by an anonymous 'phone call at about 3am. The attack on St James's Church was the second in the past six weeks. In both incidents the doors were damaged after small fires had been lit. All the fires are being investigated by Det-cons Nick Simpson. Anyone with any information should contact them at Barnet police station crime desk (*Barnet & Finchley Press 14 Sep 1988. Page 1*)

9 Dec 1988. Final settlement of £15,200 agreed with Grosvenor Byde Ltd, loss adjusters, and Legal and General Assurance Ltd (*Friary Park Bowling Club records*)

1990. Portakabins erected to act as a clubhouse

1991. New brick built pavilion built

**FRIARY ROAD, N12** mainly and part **N20** Planning applications up to Jun 2013  
(formerly Friern Park Road North c 1866)

**History**

South of Whetstone, in addition to Woodhouse Road and Summers Lane, roads on the lines of the later Torrington Park and Friary Roads were planned in the 1820s and had been laid out by 1863 as Friern Park North and Friern Park South. (*Victoria County History page 7*)

In Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet in 1886 this is shown as 'Footpath to Friern Barnet'. In 1891 it is shown as 'Friern Park Road' and from 1911 onwards it is 'Friary Road'

...A little further south Torrington Park and Friary Road were laid out on Thomas Bensley's former estate between Friern Barnet Lane and the Great North Road by 1865, where between 1866 and 1868 land was sold by H. D. Holden. (*Victoria County History page 11*)

Edmund William Richardson, secretary of the building society (Planet Building Society), bought most of the plots between Friary Road and Torrington Park as his garden. (*Victoria County History page 11*)

**Infrastructure**

Friary Road is a Class III road and is 0.46 miles long (*Urban District Council of Friern Barnet Year Book 1950 – 51*)

5 Oct 1923. Application approved underground mains (Northmet) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

9 Feb 1934. This private street is being made up at a cost of £3860 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

16 Jan 1936. Friary Road was renumbered in 1934 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

19 Sep 1941. Damage to sewers was reported (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

11 May 2006. The road is being resurfaced (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

23 Oct 2009. New street lights and columns are being installed (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

**Individual properties**

Nos ?? . 23 Oct 1925. Application approved for 6 houses (F W Walker) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? . Jul 1926 - Nov 1927. Planning application for houses (Heywood & Bryett, 2 High Street, Barnet, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02442*)

No ? .Feb - Mar 1929. Planning application for house (Homewood & Howes, 98a Torrington Park, owner) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02699*)

No ? . 21 May 1931. Application approved for house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?? . 22 Oct 1931. Application approved for bungalow (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

17 Dec 1931. Application approved for private road (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ?? . 9 Mar 1933. Application approved for 6 houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? . Dec 1950 - Mar 1951. Planning application for flats (E Howard Sadler, 14 Hadley Road, New Barnet, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04131*)

No 1. 8 Dec 1953. Application approved for detached garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 1. 10 Oct 1961. Application approved for extension to kitchen at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 1. 20 Jan 1997. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council N113217*)

No 1. 18 Apr 2006. Planning application to enlarge single storey side and rear extension. Reposition entrance door. Alteration to roof including side dormer window to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council C/16647/06*)

No 2 (White Ladies). 14 Sep 1937. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 2. 19 Apr 2002. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension to enlarge existing garage (*Barnet Council N/14823/02*)

No 2. 8 May 2003. A new garage being built, brick front, pitched roof (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

7 Mar 1939. Application approved for brick garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 4. Oct - Nov 1931. Planning application for house (C Cooper, submitted by H Nash & Son, Church Hill Road, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02934*)

No 4. 11 Sep 1947. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 5. 12 Jan 1950. Application approved for garage to house taxi cab (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 5. 2 Dec 1987. Planning application for vehicle access (*Barnet Council C/08883*)

No 5. 4 Jun 2013. Planning application for new front porch. Two storey side extension. Single storey new garage to the front. Single storey rear extension with 3 rooflights following demolition of the existing conservatory. Roof extension including hip to gable end with a rear dormer window to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council B/02163/13*)

No 6. 12 Feb 1948. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 6. 2 Nov 2009. Planning application for single storey side/rear extension and conversion of part of the garage into habitable room (*Barnet Council F/04058/09*)

No 7. 25 Nov 1937. Application approved for addition to side (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 7. 14 Apr 1949. Application approved for conversion of outbuilding into lobby and sanitary accommodation (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 7. 8 Jun 1954. Application approved for extension of lounge at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 7. 27 Jun 2005 & 21 Oct 2005. Planning application for demolition of existing single storey side extension and erection of single storey side and rear extension. Alterations to roof including side and rear dormer to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council C/16258/A/05*)

No 8. 9 Jun 1936. Planning application for brick garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 9. 7 May 2008. Planning application for demolition of rear loggia and replace with single storey extension (*Barnet Council F/01298/08*)

No 9. 20 Aug 2001. Planning application for loft conversion including dormer window at rear (*Barnet Council N/12894/01*)

No 11. 10 Dec 1957. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 11. 16 Sept 2004. Bricks being unloaded for a hard standing (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 12. 19 Nov 1926. Application approved for garage and room over (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

- No 12. 16 Apr 1953. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 13. 8 Feb 1955. Application approved for temporary garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 14. Jun 1934 - Jun 1935. Planning application for house (A N Bryatt, Pembroke, Friary Way, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03127*)  
*FB&DLHS*)
- No 15. 10 Dec 1957. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 16. 11 Feb 1936. Application approved for extension over garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 16. 16 Sep 1943. Application approved for internal alterations (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- 22 Jul 1939. Wardens post. New building entrance to Ravenscourt Tennis Club, adjoining North Middlesex Golf Club (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 17. 15 Feb 1949. Application approved for external wc at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 17. 14 Sep 1954. Application approved for double garage between no 17 and North Middlesex Golf Club (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 17. 15 Sep 1965. Planning application approved for addition to ground floor wc (*Barnet Council Minutes 15 Sep 1965*)
- No 17. 6 Jul 1966. Planning application for alterations to garage and new window in first floor flank wall (*Barnet Council Minutes BN1250*)
- No 17. 2 Jan 1991. application for new 3 storey single family dwelling house on part of land adjoining no 17 with off street parking on paved area in front garden (*Barnet Council C/17044/07*)
- No 17. 24 Apr 2007. Planning application for formation of pitched roof over existing side extension and front extension to form porch (*Barnet Council C/00707/B*)
- No 17. This is shown as the address for Tally Ho Landscape Contractors Ltd (*Advertisement in Barnet Libraries Street Map of the Local Area 2008*)
- No 17. (land adjacent) 5 Mar 2010. Planning application for erection of new 2 storey dwelling house plus rooms in roof space and timber garden store to rear of property, with associated landscaping following demolition of existing detached garage. Formation of new access on to Friary Road (*Barnet Council F/00895/10*)
- No 22. 14 Aug 2001. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension to existing garage and alterations to form a room (*Barnet Council C/14574/01*)
- No 24. 12 Apr 1960. Application approved for lock-up garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 24. 12 Mar 1987. Planning application for single storey rear and first floor side extension (*Barnet Council C/09432*)
- No 28. 22 Jul 1986. Application approved for lock-up garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 28. 5 Apr 1994. Planning application for first floor infill extension to form porch (*Barnet Council C/09182/A*)
- No 28. 30 Jul 2007. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council C/09182/07*)

No 30. 22 Feb 2008 & 24 Jul 2008. Planning application for 2 storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council C/06517/08*)

No 32. 7 Jul 1994. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory extension (*Barnet Council C/11758/A*)

No 36. 14 Sep 1954. Application approved for first floor side extension (*Barnet Council C/09182*)

No 38. 1951. Mr Cyril Frederick Simmonds, Councillor for the West Ward between 1939 and 1951, lived here. Phone number HILLside 2695 (*Urban District of Friern Barnet Year Book 1950 – 51. Page 9*)

No 38. 26 Jul 2001. Planning application for ground floor rear extension (*Barnet Council C14548/01*)

No 40. 17 Apr 2000. Planning application for ground and first floor rear extension and enlarge roof at rear to provide a bedroom at second floor level including rooflights (*Barnet Council C/14059/00*)

No 40. 16 May 2003. Large skip, full of lath and plaster and wall timber waste. There is a loft conversion, but that may not be new (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 42 1 Jun 2022. Planning application for part single, part two storey side and rear extension. Conversion of the existing garage into habitable room, insertion of window to replace garage doors (*Barnet Council 22/2927/HSE*)

No 44. 8 Dec 2005. Planning application for single storey rear extension. Alteration to roof including side and rear dormer windows to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council C/16490/05*)

No 46. 28 Nov 2007. Planning application for part single, part 2 storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council C/17233/A/07*)

No 50. 19 Oct 1999. Planning application for ground floor side and rear extension to form conservatory (*Barnet Council N13893/99*)

No 521 (Cross Riggs). 9 Jul 1935. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 52. 22 Dec 2004. Planning application for single storey side extension and enclosure of car port area (including new front window) to provide habitable room (*Barnet Council C/03391/A/04*)

No 56. 27 Jul 1939. J T Kitts, ARP Warden at Post no 9 lived here (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 66. 9 Jul 1997. Planning application for single storey side extension (*Barnet Council N127947*)

No 66. 8 Jun 2001. Planning application to enlarge existing patio and create a canopy (*Barnet Council C/12794/A/01*)

No 66. 29 Sep 2004. Planning application for canopy to front entrance door (*Barnet Council C/12794/04*)

No 66. 7 Sep 2010. Planning application for retention of boundary fence (R Hope, 66 Friary Road, N12 9PB) (*Barnet Council F/03616/10*)

No 66. 30 Oct 1997. Planning application for erection of boundary railings and gates to front and side (*Barnet Council C/13057*)

No 68. 11 Nov 1958. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 68. 15 Feb 2011. This house is named "Park House" (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

13 Dec 1956. Ravens Tennis Club. Application approved for extension to pavilion (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

31 Jul 2009. Ravens Tennis Club. Planning application for erection of new clubhouse following demolition of existing clubhouse (*Barnet Council B/F02604/09*)

5 Dec 2013. Pride in new facility. Ravens Tennis Club in North Finchley has invested £150,000 into a new eco-friendly clubhouse. The original clubhouse had stood since 1932 but has been demolished and replaced. The new structure gets its energy from a pump which takes heat from the outside air and uses it to warm up the floor and hot water. Ravens spent more than £8500 on the system as part of a concerted effort to build a clubhouse fit for the 21st century. Club chairman Mike Beckwith said: "We're really proud of what we've done at Ravens. We were determined to build a brilliant clubhouse, and a really green clubhouse, and that's what we've achieved." (*Barnet Times 5 Dec 2013. Page 45*)

**FRIARY WAY, N20** Planning applications up to Nov 2010

**Infrastructure**

18 Sep 1930. Amended layout approved showing improved entrance from *Torrington Park* (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

11 Jul 1935. Cost of making up road £901 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

29 Feb 1936. At Friern Barnet Council Offices on Friday morning, Mr C B Connell, M.Inst.C.E, an inspector of the Ministry of Health, conducted a public enquiry concerning an application made by Friern Barnet Urban District Council to the Minister of Health for sanction to borrow £8,780 for the work of making up six private streets in Friern Barnet. The streets are Newton Avenue, Church Way, Valley Avenue, Friary Way, Queen's Avenue and Gresham Avenue (*Barnet Press 29 Feb 1936*)

16 Sep 1937. Street recently made up (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

15 Jul 1938. The houses were renumbered (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

**Individual properties**

Nos ???. 20 Jan 1928. Application approved for a pair of houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ???. 10 Oct 1929. Application approved for 2 houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & Nos ?? Jan-Oct 1929. Planning application for houses (Heywood & Bryett, 108 Torrington Park, owner) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02759*)

Nos ???. 12 Sep 1933. Application approved for 4 houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 1 - 5. Apr 1934 - May 1935. Planning application for houses (A Bryett, Pembroke, Friary Way, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03103*)

Nos 2 - 8. Aug 1933 - Jan 1934. Planning application for houses (A Bryett, Pembroke, Friary Way) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03049*)

No 2 (Cobwebb Cottage). 15 Feb 2011. This house is named "Cobweb Cottage" (*David Berger FB&DLHS*)

No 3. 10 Oct 1961. Application approved for sun lounge at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 4 (Willow Cottage). 2 Jul 2003. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory extension (*Barnet Council C15467/03*)

No 4. 11 Aug 2003. Roof repairs. Apparently a conservatory is planned (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 4 (Willow Cottage). 1 Dec 2003. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory extension (*Barnet Council C15153A/03*)

No 5. 14 Mar 2002. Planning application for part single, part 2 storey rear extension (*Barnet Council C/14383/01*)

No 6. 15 May 1992. Planning application for 2 storey side extension (*Barnet Council C/11195*)

Westfield. Corner of Valley Avenue. 22 Aug 2004. Skip outside (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 9. 9 Jul 1957. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 11. 9 Jul 1957. Application approved for double garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 12. 4 Oct 1993. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council C/11611*)



No 15. 15 Sep 1938. The resident of no 13 requested that his house be renumbered 11a but the Council renumbered it no 15 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 15. 11 Nov 2010. Planning application for two storey side extension following demolition of existing garage. Single storey rear extension. Single storey front extension (*Barnet Council F/04614/10*)

(No 14. 26 Nov 1986. Planning application for conversion into 4 flats, basement and ground floor side extension, roof extension and alterations to elevation (*Barnet Council C/08477*)

No 14 (Culbeam House). 6 Feb 2011. This house is named "Culbeam House" (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 62?? 10 Nov 1932. Application approved for additions to semi-detached house, corner Friary Road (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

**FRIERN BARNET COUNTY SCHOOL, HEMINGTON ACENUE, N11** Planning applications up to Nov 2010

This started life in the grounds of Holly Park School. When we moved in to 92 Holly Park Road, it could be seen from the end of our garden. In due course the school moved to the new building in Hemington Avenue (and next to the *Dog & Manger* field), and the three- storey building at the end of my garden was demolished, letting in a little more sunshine (for which we were grateful). Perhaps it was at that point that it was discovered that the field belonged to the County School? After a few years a large hall was built on the site of the demolished building in the grounds of Holly Park School, and our view was reduced again (*John Donovan. Donovan's Diary 22 Sept 2002. Page 2*)

One resident reported that Friern Barnet County School (FBCS) was known by pupils of other schools as "Fred Bloggs' Chip Shop"

Once upon a time all local councils used to provide evening classes for adults at very cheap rates. I was an enthusiastic participant and spent several years learning calligraphy, Spanish and photography. I remember the enrolment nights when there would be huge queues for the more popular classes in motor mechanics and yoga. I came across the following article in the *Friern Barnet Ratepayers Association Year Book* for 1962-63 which brought it all back to me: "At four o'clock each afternoon of term-time, the children of the spacious and beautiful new Friern Barnet County School in Hemington Avenue begin to disperse and barely three hours later, the students of the Friern Barnet Evening Institute begin to gather at the school. In a simple way, this picture is an illustration of the function and aim of the Evening Institute: to provide further education of a cultural and recreational nature for all residents of the district who seek it, from school leavers to old-age pensioners. In recent years, there has been a steady increase in the demand for classes at the Institute in a wide variety of subjects. The reasons for this demand are simple to understand: people look to the Evening Institute to improve their proficiency at their jobs, thereby strengthening the prospect of greater contentment at work, or even promotion. Yet, far and away the greater number of adults expect the Evening Institute to meet a need that is not merely a vocational one namely, to help them develop a leisure-time pursuit, simply for its own sake. For example, in their daily lives, men and women find themselves, very often, unable to make use of a particular talent which they discover in themselves while at school – it may be in art, or needlework, or woodwork. Again, frequently as a relaxation from the cares of bread-winning or raising a family, people come to the Evening Institute in search of a purely recreational course. The desire for self-absorption is often satisfied in the study of a language, or in learning more of the delightful ways in which flowers can be arranged in the home or in the pleasures of working with clay or even learning new and exotic dishes to serve to the family. All this the Friern Barnet Evening Institute provides and one other important feature more – the companionship that one inevitably finds in the informal atmosphere of adult classes. During the past five years the Evening Institute has developed enormously, firstly under the energetic direction of Mr P S Morrell, BA, when at the old Holly Park School in Bellevue Road, the number of students enrolling for classes was doubled. Since Easter 1960, the Head of the Institute has been Mr L Newman, BA, who reports that the increasing popularity of the Evening Institute as a centre for further education is very evident. Indeed, in the past year alone the number of students enrolling at the Institute has again almost doubled. This astonishing increase is assuredly due to the fact that the Evening Institute has been located for the past eighteen months in the bright and lovely atmosphere of the Friern Barnet School in Hemington Avenue. The attraction of the more congenial surroundings of the new school notwithstanding, the growing interest in the Institute's activities is even more surprising when one considers how disastrous to the Institute's attendance can be the lure of a warm home on a cold, foggy winter's evening; or more tempting than all, the hypnotic lure of that potential killer of all out-of-home attractions, television. Each September, the main enrolment for the new sessions begins. For this purpose, the Institute will open this year on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, September 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th, from 6.30pm to 8.30pm. Mr Newman and his staff will be present to answer questions about the courses and to give advice. Term will begin on Monday September 24th. Most classes start at 7.15pm and last for two hours. Classes are available in the following subjects:

Art  
Badminton  
Cake-making

German  
Hairdressing  
Home Repairs & Decoration

Cine Photography	Home Entertaining
Cookery (Home & International)	Keep-fit (Ladies)
Dinghy Sailing	Lampshade Making
Dressmaking	Leatherwork
English for Foreign Students	Motor Maintenance
Flower Arrangement	Pottery
Football Training	Shorthand
French	Typewriting
Furniture Making	Woodwork

Fees are 30/- for a 3-term course; 20/- for a 2-term course; and 10/- for a 1-term course. Each additional course costs 2/6d per term and students under 18 pay half fee There is no doubt that the Friern Barnet Evening Institute has a vital role to play in our community and residents are urged not to hesitate to avail themselves of its many amenities." (*Friern Barnet Newsletter No 51, December 2012*)

25 Apr 1973. Planning application for two temporary classrooms (*Barnet Council*)

7 Dec 1992. Planning application for 2 storey technical block/sports hall with single storey covered link. Lay out games area and informal play area. Extend car park and provide additional landscaping (*Barnet Council N/03915/B*)

17 Jun 1994. Planning application for community use of sports hall, gym and music/drama room in technical block/sports hall (*Barnet Council N/03915/F*)

28 Jun 1996. Planning application for use of school premises during summer vacation for children's holiday activity programme (*Barnet Council N/03915/F*)

9 Sep 1998. Planning application for removal of 2m chain link fence and installation of 2m green powder coated steel palisade fencing and double gates (*Barnet Council N/03915/G*)

4 Sep 2001. Planning application for erection of single storey detached building to provide new special educational needs unit (*Barnet Council N/03915/H/01*)

28 Feb 2008. Planning application for erection of single storey Portakabin Duplex (19.9m x 6m) to be sited behind school's Main Hall and to serve as changing facilities for Dance students (*Barnet Council N/03915/J/08*)

25 Jan 2009. The ship's bell from the minesweeper HMS Fantome is located outside the Staff Room in a glass case (*David Berguer FR&DLHS*)

12 Nov 2010. Planning application for proposed internal mezzanine with external; lift access (*Barnet Council B/04320/10*)

## **FRIERN BARNET GRAMMAR SCHOOL, N10**

June 1883. The news that still affects us most today is reported in the June magazine. The Friern Barnet Church Extension Association Committee, chaired by the Rector, meets to consider the appeal from the Bishop of London to provide for "the population of the new habitations covering the fields and market gardens of Middlesex.....consisting mainly of the labouring classes and the class immediately above." The meeting is particularly concerned about the "Holly Park" area, where there are plans to build 700 houses, bringing the population to around 4000. The parish church is stranded at the north end of the parish" and "provides accommodation for 410." It is resolved that a site must be acquired in the area and a brick building built to serve as church and parish room. It is also resolved that a Rectory be built close by (rectors have previously lived at various addresses; Rector Hall's address is in Torrington Park). Donations are appealed for; over £2000 has already been promised. Things moved fast: the foundation stone was laid on 25 August 1883 and the November issue gives notice that it is proposed to open the Church of St Joh on the 24th of that month with a dedication service followed by evensong, at which the sermon will be preached by the Rev Henry Miles. The following day was a Sunday, with Holy Communion at 8am, Matins at 11am and Evensong at 6.30pm, in parallel with the parish church. A choir of 14 boys had been trained. For the dedication service they were supported by the Parish Church choir; but on the Sunday, the December magazine reports they had to "rely on themselves" and "the assistance of choirmen would be welcome" The temporary church was on the opposite side of Friern Barnet Road from the present church. It also housed Frederick Hall's "Middle Class School" (later Friern Barnet Grammar School);now much enlarged and altered, continued in use as St John's Church for eight years until the chancel of the new church was completed, with a temporary iron nave attached, and worship moved to the site we use today(*Fulcrum. October ; Page 8*)

Aug - Oct 1955. Planning application for school (John Phillips, 117 Ashurst Road, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04673*)

May - Oct 1963, Planning application for extension to school (submitted by John Phillips, 6-8 Sackville Street, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/05800*)

**FRIERN BARNET LANE, N11 & N20** Planning applications up Feb 2022

**formerly Wolkstreet c1518 (VCH)**  
**also known as Colney Hatch Road c1814**  
**also known as Friern Lane until 1930**  
**realigned c.1790 (VCH)**

### **History**

Friern Barnet Lane, also known as Friern Lane, which was realigned c.1790, was Wolkstreet c. 1518. (*Victoria County History page 7*)

Friern House. Friern House: Does this article clarify or confuse the issue. From "The History of London" by Rev J Hunter (1797) "Friern house. The most remarkable object in this parish is the manor house called the Friary or Friern House, in which are several remains of antiquity. The situation is retired and pleasant. Its approach is rendered venerable by the remains of a cloister with crosses upon the stones. This leads to a confessionary, and a part of an old hall. Under the floor of the modern hall built about 1600 is an excavation supposed to be the lavatory or bath of the friars. In the exterior part of the house, leading towards the church is a place called the Monks Hole, a subterranean passage leading to another confessionary or place of confinement for refractory brethren" (*John Heathfield*)

The original settlement may have bordered Friern Barnet Lane near the church, but the manor house built soon after 1551 and two farmhouses existing by the mid-17th century were the only residences nearby in 1754. The surrounding area, in the centre of the parish, consisted entirely of demesne late in the 15th century and was still mainly wood in 1544. (*Victoria County History*)

Friern Barnet Lane, bordered by Friary Park and the golf course, is the least populous part; with grass verges, it still seems rural, despite the felling of trees in the churchyard and in front of the alms-houses. Apart from the alms-houses and an 18<sup>th</sup> century building beside the Griffin, there are no buildings earlier than 1850. (*Victoria County History page 15*)

By 1922 the railway clearing house acquired a field off Friern Barnet Lane and adjoining the Glebe, which was used as playing fields by the grammar school until 1939. (*Victoria County History page 24*)

There were apparently no dissenters in the 17th century and only short-lived congregations before the establishment in 1883-4 of the first surviving nonconformist church. Methodists had a small chapel in Colney Hatch Lane from 1836, with attendances of 25 in the morning and 38 in the evening on census Sunday 1851. They later worshipped at a boarding school at no 1 Torrington Park from 1852 to 1866, and in Friern Barnet Lane until c. 1889. (*Victoria County History page 32*)

A working men's institute, called Whetstone club in 1887, existed in Totteridge Lane by 1864, had moved to Friern Barnet Lane by 1900, and survived in 1935. (*Victoria County History Finchley Page 74*)

A police station was built at Whetstone, on the east side of the main road, in 1851 and was inadequate in 1911, when a new site was bought in Friern Barnet Lane. It was only in 1948, however, that the adjoining premises at the corner of High Road and Friern Barnet Lane were bought and in 1960 that the new station opened there and the old one closed. (*Victoria County History Finchley Page 81*)

Friern Barnet (or St James') National Schools opened in 1853, replacing the 1809 charity school. The building remains but the school moved in 1975 into the enlarged All Saints (*Finchley & Friern Barnet by Stewart Gillies and Pamela Taylor. Plate 82*)

Frenchman's Farm near St James's churchyard...the Frenchman was Pierre Baume (1797-1875) who bought the farm in 1852. Gas mains belonging to the Colney Hatch Gas, Light & Coke Co had been laid as long ago as 1867. Frenchman's Farm was sold at the turn of the century and good quality houses built on part of the land from 1910 onwards. Bethune Park and its nine-hole golf course were built by the local council in about 1926 (*The London Borough of Barnet Past & Present by Percy Reboul & John Heathfield Page 59*)

This cottage, known as Frenchman's Gussett, lay on Frenchman's Farm on the eastern side of Friern Barnet Lane above Holly Park. The farm was offered for development in the 1870s but continued to produce more hay than houses until the 1920s (*Finchley & Friern Barnet by Stewart Gillies and Pamela Taylor. Plate 163*)

Plaque on Queen Elizabeth's Well: "This stone marks the site of Queen Elizabeth's Well and the Ancient Parish Pound Removed in the widening of the Road 1926. A.S. Wood J.P. Chairman F.P. Kindell A.M.I.C.E. Engineer & Surveyor Friern Barnet U.D.C."

### **Infrastructure**

Friern Barnet Lane (B550) is a Class II road and is 1.19 miles long (*Urban District of Friern Barnet Year book 1950 - 51*)

3 Apr 1900. E W Richardson sold a strip of land to the Council for widening of Friern Lane (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 3 Apr 1900*)

15 May 1900. Gift of land to the Council for widening of Friern Lane by Mr Newman (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 15 May 1900*)

3 Apr 1908. GPO granted permission for overhead wires (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

7 Aug 1908. Widening taking place (agreed with Mr Collins) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 7 Aug 1908*)

3 Mar 1911. In accordance with the Notice duly given, it was moved by Mr Councillor Bidgood and seconded by Mr Councillor Harmer, that the necessary steps be taken on behalf of the Council with the view of hiring, if necessary compulsorily, under the provisions of the Act of 1908, the 3½ acres of land adjoining Friern Lane, for the purposes of allotments (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 11 Mar 1911. Page 366*)

1 Dec 1911. GPO granted permission for underground telegraph cable on west side of Friern Lane (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 1 Dec 1911*)

2 Feb 1912. Application approved for gas main (Barnet District Gas & Water Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 2 Feb 1912*)

2 Feb 1912. Application approved for water main (Barnet Water Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 2 Feb 1912*)

1 Mar 1912. The plans, sections and estimates submitted by the Engineer & Surveyor in connection with the widening of the road and Friern Barnet Road at an estimated cost of £1398.6. 5. Be approved and that application be made to the Local Government Board for sanction to borrow the amount required to carry the works into effect (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes.1 March 1912. Page 47*)

6 Dec 1912. Private street works cost £215 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 6 Dec 1912*)

10 Jan 1913. Application approved for gas main on western side (Southgate Gas Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 10 Jan 1913*)

3 Oct 1913. Application approved for 10- inch water main and 6-inch gas main on Mr Collins estate near the Parish church (Barnet Gas Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 3 Oct 1913*)

5 May 1914. A new road is proposed on the west side of Friern Lane (British Land Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

18 Dec 1925. Executors of the late Mr J W Sweet agreed to give up the land in front of the nursery for road widening (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 18 Dec 1925*)

22 Jan 1926. Post Office Engineering Ltd granted permission for underground telegraph cable on west side of Friern Lane (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 22 Jan 1926*)

28 May 1926. The road is being widened by the Golf Club and Sweets Nursery (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 28 May 1926*)

17 Sep 1926. Post Office Engineering Ltd granted permission for underground telegraph cable on west side of Friern Lane (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 17 Sep 1926*)

25 Mar 1927. Post Office Engineering Ltd granted permission for underground telegraph cable in Friern Barnet Lane (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 25 Mar 1927*)

30 May 1927. Finchley UDC advised that they would be widening Friern Barnet Lane fronting Sweets Nursery (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 30 May 1927*)

17 Jun 1927. Widening of Friern Barnet Lane to 50 feet is planned between Myddelton Park and the boundary (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 17 Jun 1927*)

29 Jun 1928. Widening of Friern Barnet Lane at the boundary was commenced (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 29 Jun 1928*)

Mar 1929 - Feb 1930. Planning application for electricity sub-station (North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company, Manor House Offices, Finsbury Park) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02717*)

23 May 1930. Corner of The Ridgeway. Metropolitan Electric Tramways applied for permission to erect a Tramways sign at junction of Friern Barnet Lane and The Ridgeway. NB Trams did not run down Friern Barnet Lane or The Ridgeway! (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 23 May 1930*)

22 May 1931. Middlesex County Council approved widening of Friern Lane between Myddelton Park and boundary with Finchley subject to Ministry of Transport grant of 50% of cost (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 22 May 1931*)

18 Sep 1931. Council will prepare plans for renumbering of Friern Lane (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 18 Sep 1931*)

Apr-May 1932. Planning application for roads and sewers (H A Nash, Holme Lodge, Oakleigh Park South, owner and builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02956*)

5 Jan 1934. It is probable that the automatic traffic control signals at Friern Barnet Road, Woodhouse Road, Colney Hatch Road and Friern Barnet Lane cross-roads will be operating in a fortnights time. Substantial reconstruction of the highways in this area is in progress, and the cost of the work will be approximately £7000. It is anticipated that the roadway will stand up to traffic for many years (*Finchley Press 5 Jan 1934*)

16 May 1935. Widening of Friern Barnet Lane agreed with Ministry of Transport between Myddelton Park and the Finchley boundary to a width of 50 feet. MoT to pay 50% of the cost (not exceeding £2299) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 16 May 1935*)

5 Nov 1935. Middlesex County Council have approved an extension of the scheme for reconstruction of Friern Barnet Lane from the main gate of Friary Park to a point 300-feet north of Queens Well at a cost of £852 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 5 Nov 1935*)

1936 also saw the Friern Barnet Council announce the widening of Friern Barnet Lane to extend the present exit of the course to Myddelton Park, which would mean a ten-foot swathe off the frontage, the demolition of the greenkeeper's cottage, and the felling of trees between the first fairway and the road. Strong protests were registered and the Club's friends mustered, and it was eventually agreed to widen in a way that did not affect the Club. (*North Middlesex Golf Club: The First 100 Years. Page 61*)

4 May 1937. The road is being widened near the Golf Course (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes 4 May 1937*)

15 May 1997. A special meeting of Barnet Council has been secured by Tory councillors wanting to put the brakes on the new cycle lane network in Friern Barnet. Councillors will meet an hour before the next scheduled full council meeting on July 8 to discuss cycling improvement works being carried out in the Friary environmental zone. But the move, which has come about following pressure from Friern Barnet Councillor Brian Salinger, contrasts with the views of residents who say they are in favour of the cycling lanes. Mr Salinger managed to get the special meeting after getting backing from fellow Tory councillors because he felt the £150,000 works failed to give "value for money" and could do "serious harm" to people's safety. "The whole thing is a complete shambles and a complete waste of public money" he said. "There are three roundabouts in Friern Barnet Lane that serve no purpose at all and are dangerous and the cycle lanes themselves are never used and go nowhere." Mr Salinger says he has heard from a number of householders concerned about parking restrictions resulting from the new cycle lanes. He was also critical of the consultation exercise to implement the pilot environmental project started earlier this year and has called for the resignation of public works committee chairman, Labour Councillor Stan Cross. But residents and cyclists alike have contradicted the Tory councillor's claims, saying he does not speak for the majority. Karl Ruge from the Friern Barnet Residents' Association said: "The residents' association, which has 650 members, is very much in favour of cycle lanes." He said the community has been keen to get involved in the Agenda 21 initiative which encourages environmentally friendly schemes...Councillor Stan Cross said the public had been widely consulted over the cycling lane scheme, with some people suggesting it was not radical enough. (*Barnet Times 15 May 1997. Page 5*)

7 Mar 2002. Eastern end, southern side, tree cutting in progress roughly opp. Hemington Avenue. Over the next few weeks, the work spread up to the Town Hall junction, both sides of the road (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

Nov 2002. Northern end, eastern side. The paving stones are being replaced, just before the Police Station, outside the St John' Church Hall (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

3 Jul 2003. Near Manor Drive. Council trimming street tree trunks up to 6 feet (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

11 Jul 2003. Junction Friern Barnet Lane/Woodhouse Road/Colney Hatch Lane. A man with a wheel on a stick and a clipboard was measuring the width of the junction at 11.30am (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

24 Feb 2004. Old Fire Station, Friern Barnet Lane. A man with a green high visibility jacket with SURVEYING on it was peering into a theodolite on a tripod aimed at the Day Centre (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

4 Aug 2004. Resurfacing taking place from St James Avenue to the Almshouses (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

23 June 2005. Completely resurfaced. All cycle lanes removed (what now of Agenda 21 and Global Warming?); all roundabouts removed. New lane markings to allow those turning right into Manor Drive to wait in relative safety (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

8 Feb 2006. Barnet Council are building central refuges in Friern Barnet Lane adjacent to Friary Road and Torrington Park where there were mini roundabouts before the road was resurfaced (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

My father had a board outside – Bruce Oram Builder and Decorator – there was no telephone – and somebody must have seen that who wanted a house built in Friern Barnet Lane (but it was called Friern Lane in those days), and from the Orange Tree downwards the land all belonged to the British Land Company and this man was attracted by my father's, what he thought was a very honest board – Bruce Oram – that he came to him and said could he build a house at the top of Friern Barnet Lane, so my father was obviously attracted to thy would be cheaper than two



individual houses. So that was agreed and he bought the top house built it for this Mr Bourne and sold it to him for about £850.00 (this was 1922) (*Interview with Mrs Olive Lamont by John Donovan and Janet Liversidge on 27 January 2001*)

Yes – from the Orange Tree to Buxted Road, at one time belonged to my father....there was greensward between Friern Barnet Lane and the houses, and there were no motor cars or garages, so cutting an access through the greensward cost a lot of money, and he had to get permission from the council; but I don't think it was cut through for the first few houses because my father continued building – there was two, four, six, eight, ten, twelve, fourteen – that was the first seven groups. Then 16 and 18, they were called St Osyth and Framlingham because they were named by father after places, and the people who bought number 16, or negotiated for it, they let us down and I remember my father saying to my mother, how would you like to move to Friern Barnet Lane? So we moved.). (*Interview with Mrs Olive Lamont by John Donovan and Janet Liversidge on 27 January 2001*)

31 May 2006. Corner of Sweets Way. The pillar box at this junction has no door. Photograph taken (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

14 Feb 2007. Queenswell, Friern Barnet Lane. Barnet Council have recently installed a new plaque on the Queens Well monument to replace the one that was stolen (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

Queen Elizabeth's Well, is a stone monument with the inscription recording the site of the former village pond opposite St James Church and the widening of Friern Barnet Lane in 1926. The edifice originally contained a drinking fountain which has now been removed (*Barnet Council Local List*)

4 Mar 2007. A mobile phone mast, plus attendant large green cabinet was today erected outside Friary Park, immediately opposite The Ridgeway (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

Church Hall. Oakleigh Road Council School. Friern Barnet's First Aid posts included Oakleigh Infants School in Oakleigh Road North, the Church Hall in Friern Barnet Lane, Holly Park Infants School and the Palmville Garage in Colney Hatch Lane (*The Days of Darkness by Percy Reboul and John Heathfield Page 23*)

12 Jan 2006 & 17 Feb 2006. Outside Friary Park. Planning application for 9 metre telephone pole and equipment cabinet (*Barnet Council N/14960/06*)

27 Mar 2012. Pavement outside Aldermen Court, N11 3GW. Planning application for installation of 11.8m high monopole supporting antennas and a ground based equipment cabinet (*Barnet Council B/01211/12*)

15 Sep 2012. The stretch of Friern Barnet Lane between Myddelton Park and High Road, Whetstone is being resurfaced, work being done at night (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

31 Oct 2012. A car smashed into the pillar box outside number 133, knocking it over. The pillar box was re-erected on 4 Nov with damage confined to the plastic box attached to it (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

14 Nov 2014. Pavement near no 78. Planning application for removal of existing 9m replica telegraph pole to be replaced by a new 9.7m Streetworks Tower and associated works (Telecommunications installation) (EE Ltd & Hutchinson 3G UK Ltd, Mr Damian Hosker, WHP Wilkinson Helsby, The Ponderosa, Scotland Lane, Horsforth, LS18 5SF) (*Barnet Council 14/07348/PNT*)

15 Dec 2015. Pavement at Friary Park. Planning application for replacement of existing APM30H cabinet with 2600 RFC cabinet. Relocation of existing 1800 RFC cabinet to be stacked on top of proposed wili diplexor cabinet (agent John Bitten, Sitec Infrastructure Services Ltd, 7200 Cambridge Research Park, Beach Drive, Waterbeach, Cambridge CB25 9TL) (*Barnet Council 15/07704/LIC*)

24 May 2016. Pavement adjacent to Friary Park near no 78. Planning application for replacement of existing 10-metre high monopole with a 12.5-metre high monopole and equipment cabinet with associated works (6 Anglo Office Park, 67 White Lion Road, Amersham HP7 9FB, agent Miss Victoria Parsons, Bilfinger GVA, Norfolk House, Manchester M2 1DW) (*Barnet Council 16/3374/PNT*)

Jul 2017. Virgin are installing fibre optic cables along Friern Barnet Lane (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

Sep 2017. The road is being resurfaced between Friary Road and Myddelton Park (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

Jan 2018. The pavement between St James Avenue and Myddelton Park is being replaced with asphalt and small blocks (*David Berguer FL&DLHS*)

31 Jul 2019. North Middlesex Golf Club. Planning application for Installation of 1no Tef GPS module installation onto pole shroud, removal and replacement of 1no monopole, 1no tef side pod extension cabinet installation and reuse existing 3m support pole (Mr Matthew Pearson, Pegasus House, Quems Business Centre, Whitworth Road, Cirencester, GL7 1RT) (*Barnet Council 19/4176/LIC*)

Sep 2029. Barnet Council's Planning Department has rejected an application for planning permission to replace the existing 12.5m telecoms mast near the Friern Barnet Lane entrance to Friary Park with a taller, 20m mast and 10 equipment cabinets after objections from FBWRA and local residents. In addition to being much taller than the current mast, the new one would have been in a much more prominent location, standing in the grass verge near the roadside rather than being set back immediately adjacent to the line of trees that run along the boundary of the park. Ten equipment cabinets clustered around the installation would have cluttered the pavement area. FBWRA asked the Council to refuse the application on the grounds that the installation would be an ugly and intrusive addition to the street scene, commenting that "The proposed locations for the cabinets and the mast are probably the most intrusive that could be chosen in this site." The Council Planning Officer's report on the application agreed with our objections: "The proposed monopole and associated equipment would, by reason of their excessive height, siting and appearance, appear as a prominent and visually intrusive feature within the street scene. The proposal would therefore have significant adverse impact on the character and visual amenities of the surrounding area, contrary to Barnet's planning policies." The Planning Officer was also concerned that the mast would damage the nearby protected trees, which "are important in terms of visual amenity of the park and may be impacted by the proposal, either by root damage or upper crown pruning. A 20m high phone mast will require a significant foundation and it is this excavation which is of primary concern (*Friern Barnet & Whetstone Residents' Association Newsletter September 2019*)

Nos 264 – 266. A triangular iron post marking the boundary between Finchley Borough and Friern Barnet Urban District. Inscriptions in raised capitals. The date "1937" appears on the marker. The marker is intact and in good condition (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 267. Iron stick marker. Inscription reads, Left Hand Side "Borough of Finchley" Right Hand Side "Friern Barbet UDC". Tall metal triangular section column with tombstone type top (dated 1937) (*Barnet Council Local List*)

St James Church. A free-standing stone war memorial with cross and raised inscriptions around the base and plinth. Dedicated on the 4th June 1921 it is set within the Churchyard of St James The Great in Friern Barnet Lane (*Barnet Council Local List*)

3 Sep 2002. :Planning application for removal and replacement of the existing Pogona cabinet measuring 1230 x 400 x 1032mm with an APM5930 cabinet measuring 640 x 480 x 1200mm and an RFC5906 cabinet measuring 640 x 480 x 1600mm, and ancillary development thereto (*Barnet Council 20/4079/LIC*)

30 Nov 2021. Friary Park/North of 78 Friern Barnet Lane. Planning application for removal and replacement of 1. existing cabinet with 1no. Porter cabinet measuring 1450 x 650 x 452 mm and the installation of 1. GPS node and ancillary development thereto (*Barnet Council 21/6251/LIC*)

### **Individual properties**

No ? (Sunnyside). 3 Mar 1885. Application approved for additions (Mr Fuller) (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes 3 Mar 1885*)

No ?. 17 May 1898. Application approved for house (Mr Burr) (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

No ?. 17 May 1898. Application approved for 2 houses (Mr J Sweet) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 29 Nov 1898. Application approved for addition to house (Mr Sweet) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 18 Oct 1892. Application approved for stables (Mr Crisp) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? .Apr - May 1898. Planning application for house (James Sweet, Oakleigh Park, submitted by Frederick W Shenton, Penrith, Whetstone, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00487*)

Nos ??. Jun 1901. Planning application for houses (J Sweet, owner, submitted by G & J Claridge, builders) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/01/01513*)

No ? (The Woodlands). 29 May 1903. Application approved for stable and coach house (Mr Gregson) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ??. 31 Jul 1903. Application approved for 4 houses (J C Newman) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ? .Oct - Nov 1906. Planning application for villas (Sims & Woods, 42 Grays Inn Road, WC) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01002*)

Nos ?? .1 Mar 1907. Application approved for 9 houses (Messrs Simms & Wood) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? ..2 Aug 1907. Application approved for house (Mr Sherrington) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & Planning application for house (Mr G G Sherrington, agent Coleman & Holmes, Archway Road, architects) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01034*)

No ? 4 Oct 1907. Application approved for detached house (Mr L Rowe) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. Oct - Nov 1907. Planning application for house (Arthur Collins, Cheriton, Great North Road, Highgate, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01053*)

No ? .1 Nov 1907. Application approved for house (Mr A Collins) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 7 Feb 1908. Application approved for detached house (Mr Brodie) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ??. 6 Mar 1908. Application approved for 2 houses (Mr A Collins) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ??. 3 Apr 1908. Application approved for 4 detached houses (Mr J S Brodie) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ??. 3 Jul 1908. Application approved for 2 houses (Mr J Reynolds) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ??. 2 Apr 1909. Application approved for 3 houses (A Collins) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ? 1 Oct 1909. Application approved for house (A Collins) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) Sep-Oct 1909. Planning application for houses (Arthur Collins, Cherilon, Friern Barnet Lane, Whetstone) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01252*)

Nos ?? 11 Feb 1910. Application approved for 2 semi-detached houses (Mr S Spittle) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) Nos ? Jan-Feb 1910. Planning application for houses (S Spittle, Evesham Villa, Kennard Road, submitted by Fred W Shenton, 22 Basinghall Street, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01281*)

Nos ?. Oct - Nov 1910. Planning application for shops (Lavington Bros, Athenaeum Road) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01348*)

Nos Nov 1910. Planning application for shops (Lavington Bros, Athenaeum Road) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01365*)

No ?. 7 Apr 1911. Application approved for shed at rear (Mr P A Timbs) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 6 Jan 1911. Application approved for a house (A Collins) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 3 Feb 1911. Application approved for 8 shops and giving up land (Lavington Bros) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 3 Nov 1911. Medical Officer of Health to inspect the piggeries (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 5 Jan 1912. Application approved for detached house (H J Warren) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? (Stretton). 1 Mar 1912. Application approved for extension (Mr C J Kite) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? (Smith's Piggeries) .3 Aug 1906. The piggeries are causing a nuisance (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? (Smith's Piggeries) .3 May 1912. Mr Robert Smith is ordered to remove the pigs and clean up the site (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. Jan 1913. Planning application for house (H E Sutton, Myddelton Park, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01531*)

No ?. Jun - Jul 1913. Planning application for house (Arthur Collins, Cheriton, Friern Barnet Lane, owner) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01558*)

No ?. 3 Apr 1914. Application approved for detached house facing path from Friern Lane to Oakleigh Road South (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 3 Jul 1914. Application approved for detached house east side (A Collins) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 2 Jul 1915. Application approved for cottage (Mr S Simmons JP) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & No ? Jun-Jul 1915. Planning application for cottage (Sydney Simmons, Okehampton, Friern Park, agent G M Greatbeck) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01666*)

Nos ?? Mar 1916. Planning application for cottages (J Simmons, Okehampton, Friern Park, submitted by G H Greatbeck, Hook Road, Surbiton) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01681*)

Sep 1919. Planning application for public halls (Committee of Proposed War Memorial, agent W J Cearns, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/01/04282*)

No ? (Springfield). 26 Mar 1920. Application approved for garage (Mr A Lord) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? (Springfield). 2 Mar 1923. Application approved for motor garage (Mr Lord JP) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? (Springfield). 23 Oct 1925. Application approved for outhouse (J Nicholas) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ??. 5 Oct 1923. Application approved for alterations and additions (Mr Romme) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. Jan - Feb 1925. Planning application for house (G Halls & Sons, 7 Arden Villas, Long Lane, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02185*)

No ? (Balata). 17 Apr 1925. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ??. 19 Jun 1925. Application approved for 2 houses (J A Turner) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ??. 19 Jun 1925. Application approved for 10 houses (A W Jones) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & May 1925-Mar 1929. Planning application for houses (Alfred Wm Jones, Verena, Friern Barnet, owner, submitted by Howls & Bolcher, 126 Hamlet Court, Westcliffe on Sea, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02247*)

Nos ??. 19 Jun 1925. Application approved for 4 houses (Bruce Oram) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 22 Feb 1927. Application approved for house (W D Churchman) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? .22 Jan 1928. Application approved for pair of semi-detached houses (H W Couchman) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ??. 17 Sep 1926. Application approved for 6 houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? (Barrington). 17 Sep 1926. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 17 Dec 1926. Application approved for detached house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ??. 22 Jan 1927. Application approved for 11 houses (Mr F W Bristow) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & Nos ?? Jan 1972-Aug 1976. Planning application for houses (F W Bristow, 5 The Vale, Golders Green, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02523*)

No ?. 15 Jul 1927. Application approved for a house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ??. 16 Dec 1927. Application approved for houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 16 Dec 1927. Application approved for a house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ??. 19 Oct 1928. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? 16 Jan 1930. Application approved for house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? (corner Torrington Park). Nov 1931-Jan 1932, Planning application for temporary church (Rev Colin A Roberts, 11 Elms Avenue, Muswell Hill, owner, submitted by G Reginald Farrow, Sydney R Turner, and R White-Cooper, Amberley House, Norfolk Street, Strand, architects) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02941*)

Nos ??. 15 Sep 1932. Application approved for 14 houses on Sweets Way Estate (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ?? . 9 Mar 1933. Application approved for 4 houses on Sweets Way Estate (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ?? . 31 Aug 1934. Residents in the vicinity of the Lane will be pleased to know that a strip of land (which at present can hardly be described as a beauty spot) opposite Buxted Road is at last being cleared for building purposes, under a private scheme. It is proposed to erect 32 houses on this site (*Finchley Press 31 Aug 1934*)

No ? . Jun 1948 - Feb 1949. Planning application for house (J Johnston, 31 Thurlestone Avenue, submitted by Guy Dawber Wilson and Fox, 122 Wigmore Street) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03862*)

No ? (junction Torrington Park) . Aug - Sep 1952. Planning application for house (G F Randall Ltd, 219 Woodhouse Road, owner) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04281*)

No ? (Waltham Court). Jun 1959 - Apr 1960. Planning application for flats and garages (R Amesbury Ltd, 693 High Road, Finchley, owners and builders) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA 4070/02/05166*)

(The White House). 1891. Stanley Searle Crisp, Major, Royal Field Artillery, 63rd anti-aircraft section, died of wounds 8 December 1917, aged 31, buried in the Giavera British Cemetery, Italy. On 4 December 1917, British forces had relieved the Italians on the Montello sector of the River Piave front. Stanley was born in East Finchley in 1887, fourth of the five children of Fred and Elizabeth Crisp. He had two older sisters and an older and younger brother. By 1891 the family had moved to Friern Barnet and were living in the White House. From small beginnings, his father built up a drapery business in Seven Sisters Road, which by 1894 had become one of the largest shops in London. The family had a second house in Cambridgeshire, where Fred had been born and where he was a landowner and farmer. He was made Deputy Lieutenant of the county and Justice of the Peace. He died in 1905 in his Friern Barnet home and is buried in Friern Barnet churchyard. In 1916 Stanley married Muriel Clarke. They lived in Paddington. He is commemorated with an inscription on his parents' grave (*Parish of Friern Barnet War Graves and Memorials of the First World War. Page 12*)

(Brook House). 1899? Ivor Theophilus Davies, 2nd Lieutenant, 5th Battalion, Oxfordshire & Buckinghamshire Light Infantry, killed in action 22 June 1915. commemorated on the Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium. Ivor was born in 1895. His parents, Thomas and Kate Davies, after their marriage in the church of St George-in-the-East, Stepney in 1878, first lived in the Kettle Drum in that parish, of which Thomas was licensee. They had three sons and three daughters. Ivor, born when the family was living in Hampstead, was the youngest child. They moved to Friern Barnet towards the end of the century, by which time Thomas was in business as a wine and spirit merchant. Their home was in Friern Barnet Lane, Brook House, its grounds extending from the Orange Tree down the hill, to about where Buxted Road is now. By 1911 the family had moved again to Freshfield, Woodside Park Road; Ivor was then at Oundle School. His mother Kate died 16 January 1914. Barely a month after the outbreak of war, Ivor and his brother John, three years his elder, enlisted in the Public Schools Battalion. Less than a year later Ivor was in Flanders with the Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry. In July 1915, the month following Ivor's death, John, too, was at the front, in the Balkans with the Royal Welsh Fusiliers; he survived the war. The Friern Barnet parish magazine, February 1916: "A tablet in memory of Second Lieutenant Ivor Davies, who fell while leading his men into action at the Battle of Hooge, has been placed in the Parish Church, and was dedicated on 16 January, the anniversary of his mother's death." The window above the tablet is in her memory, as is a lectern in St John's. Kate Davies is buried with her husband Thomas, who died in 1924, in the churchyard. On their gravestone (now in a sad state) are also inscriptions in memory of their youngest son, Ivor, and their youngest daughter, Minnie (*Parish of Friern Barnet War Graves and Memorials of the First World War. Page 12*)

No 1 (Fire Station). 24 Jun 1927. The Fire Station opened on 2 July 1927 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 1 (Fire Station). 20 Jan 1928. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 1. 1947. The Council have established a Civic Restaurant in a building adjoining the Fire Station in Friern Barnet Lane, which was opened on 31 March, 1947, for the serving of mid-day meals only. Approximately 1000 meals are served each week, and 430 delivered to schoolchildren. In addition, a "Meals-on-Wheels" Service is in operation through which some 114 meals are supplied by the restaurant and delivered to old people by the Women's Voluntary Services (*Urban District of Friern Barnet Year Book 1950 – 1951*)

No 1. 5 Jul 1948. From 5 July 1948. The Middlesex County Council became responsible for the ambulance service under the National Health Service Act 1946. The former fire station is used as an Ambulance Station. Tel: Ent 4597 (*Urban District of Friern Barnet Year Book 1950 -51. Page 32*)

No 1. DAY CENTRE IS OPENED AT FRIERN BARNET. A former ambulance station took on a new lease of life when it was officially opened on Saturday as Friern Barnet's Day Centre for old people. The building, adjoining the town hall, has been completely redecorated and provides welcome facilities where the elderly can meet and enjoy various activities in comfortable and pleasant surroundings. Mr E Ferguson Taylor, chairman of Friern Barnet Council of Social Services, introduced the guests and said: "All along it has been our ambition to have a centre of this kind. To-day our dreams seem to have come true. When we first started the Day Club in July, 1962, in the church hall across the road the response was remarkable and very satisfying. We are very grateful to the Parochial Church Council for allowing us to use their hall. Now we have our own hall, equipped with central heating, toilets and kitchens." After handing over the lease and key of the centre to Mr L W McClane, president of the Friern Barnet Council of Social service, Cr K J Norman, chairman of Friern Barnet Council said: "If a local council is to be judged by the way it treats its old people, then Friern Barnet Council comes out very well. The facilities provided by this centre are just what the old people want. It gives them the opportunity for companionship, and if a workshop is formed it will also give them the other important requisite of usefulness." Declaring the centre officially open, Mr C F Simmonds said elderly people have much to do, provided they are given the opportunity to do it. "They cannot be grouped together simply as a class," he said "The elderly are still individuals and should be thought of as individuals and allowed to retain their activity. Nobody, simply because of old age, should be allowed to fade out of the community into a lonely home and ultimately into a hospital. The centre is a great step forward in helping to achieve this aim." (*Barnet Press (?) 29 Nov 1963*)

No 1. 18 Mar 2005. The Old Fire Station closes as a Day Centre (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 1. 3 Oct 2005. New roof is being put on the former Fire Station (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 1. I was born in 1908 over our baker's shop at 1 Friern Barnet Lane, Whetstone – what is today the police station. (*"The Baker's Tale" from "Those Were the Days" edited by Percy Reboul published by HADAS 1980*)

## **No 2. The Orange Tree. See under ORANGE TREE**

No 2. 19 May 2014. Planning application for installation of 2 internally illuminated projecting signs, 3 wall mounted panels, 1 pole mounted directional sign, 1 externally illuminated fascia sign (Tesco Stores Ltd, New Tesco House, Delamere Road, Cheshunt EN8 9SL, agent Norden Draughting Ltd, Unit 37, 33 Nobel Square, Basildon SSS13 1LT) (*Barnet Council B/02351/14*)

Nos 4 - 5. Nov 1913 - Aug 1914. Planning application for houses (H Eden Sutton, 28 Queens Avenue, Whetstone, owner and builder) & Nos ?? 5 Dec 1913. Application approved for 2 semi-detached houses (H Eden Sutton, 28 Queens Avenue, Whetstone, owner & builder) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01586*)

No 4. Dec 1926. Planning application for house (King & Co, The Broadway, Winchmore Hill, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02512*)

No 4 (Wellfield). 10 Mar 1959. Application approved for conversion of existing house into flats and erection of 4 maisonettes on adjoining land (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 4. 7 Jun 1960. Application approved for demolition of existing house and erection of 2 blocks of 6 flats on 3 floors and one block of 12 garages with access road and parking spaces (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 4. 12 Sep 1961. Application approved for erection of 1 3-storey block of 2-bed flats and 12 garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 4 (Windsor Court). 11 Sep 1962. Application approved for erection of 18 flats and garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & No 4 (Windsor Court). Jun 1962-Nov 1970. Planning application for flats and garages (R Amesbury Ltd, 693 High Road, Finchley, owners and contractors) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/05667*)

No 4 (Windsor Court). 25 Oct 2018. Planning application for conversion of the existing roofspace into 2 self-contained flats. Associated refuse/recycling, cycle store (*Barnet Council 18/6382/FUL*)

No 4 (Windsor Court). 17 Feb 2021. Planning application for addition of two storeys at third and fourth levels to provide 6 self-contained flats (*Barnet Council 21/0859/PNV*)

No ?? Sep 1919. Planning application for public halls (for the Committee of Proposed War Memorial, owners, submitted by W J Cearns, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/01/04282*)

No 6 (Church Hall). The first of these saw the launch in 1929 of a project for the provision of a church hall in Friern Barnet Lane near the Orange Tree public house. Following fund-raising it was built in 1930 at a cost of £5000 for parish and community use. During the 1939-45 War it was used as a 'British Restaurant' – a government organisation which provided meals at a modest price during the days of rationing. Subsequently it was by various parish and secular organisations and eventually in 1981 it was leased to Friern Barnet Grammar School. The school site, opposite St John's, was leased in 1995 to Woodside Park School but the parish still retain the freehold of the church hall property – the trustees of Friern Barnet Educational Trust holding the freehold of the main school site (*Knights and (k) naves by John Phillips. Page 46*)

No 6 (Church Hall). Mar-May 1929. Planning application for a church hall (Rector & Parish Council, St James & St Johns Church, submitted by A Clarke, 38 Elms Avenue) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02711*)

No 6 (Church Hall). 21 May 1942. Middlesex County Council lifted requisition of the premises for civil defence purposes on 31 March 1942 and they were re-requisitioned for a British Restaurant on 1 April 1942. A full meal for adults cost 1/3d and for children, 8d. The menu was: Soup 2d, Meat and veg 8d, Sweet 3d, Bread ½d, Tea 1½d. The WVS provided helpers each day (*Friern Barnet Council Minutes*)

No 6 (Church Hall). 23 Jul 1942. Incognito Theatre were refused permission to use the Church Hall for 3 evenings as the General Purposes Committee felt that such a letting would cause much interference with the running of the British Restaurant (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 6. (Church Hall). 21 Jan 1943. A charge of £1 1s 0d was charged for letting (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 6 (Church Hall). 9 Aug 1991. Planning application for single storey side extension to form technology block (*Barnet Council C/03291*)

No 6 (Woodside Park School). 16 Aug 2002. Planning application for alteration to existing building including new first floor over existing entrance and part single/part 2 storey extension to side facing no 8 following demolition of existing garage. New rooflights and fire escape to rear (*Barnet Council N/13325/02*)

No 6 (Woodside Park International School). 2 Oct 2003. The school hall (opposite Old Fire Station) is having the portico moved forward to accommodate new offices (including that of the headmaster). The original 'Greek' portico is to be reinstalled at the front. In 2004, apparently, the



hall space is to be converted into classroom. A photograph of the portico was taken by David Berguer on 5 Aug 2003 who reports that on 24 Nov 2003 the exterior alterations appeared to be complete (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 6 (St Johns Church Hall). 29 Jan 2018. Planning application for demolition of the existing building and redevelopment to provide 22 self-contained flats with associated car parking, cycle store, refuse store and landscaping (*Barnet Council 18/0347/FUL*)

The white building in this photograph, taken in 1906, housed the old Friern Barnet Council office. It was formerly a priory (*sic*). The site is now occupied by Friern Barnet Town Hall. On the left is the Orange Tree public house. The gates on the left of that led to the White House, home of Mr F Crisp, a well-known London draper (*caption to a photograph in Barnet Press (?), date unknown*)

No 6 (Dwight School of London). 22 Sep 2020. Planning application for Entrance area alteration and refurbishment including new glazed entrance doors and glazed panels *above* (*Barnet Council 20/4416/FUL*)

Nos 8 - 18. Jul - Aug 1923. Planning application for houses (A J Vaughan, 14 Carlton Road, Stroud Green, owner, submitted by J J Copplestone, 10 Foxbourne Road, Upper Tooting, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01952*)

No 8. 1 Dec 1965. Planning application for garage and covered area (*Barnet Council Minutes 1 Dec 1965 N 263*)

No 10. 10 Nov 1953. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 11. 20 Jan 1928. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 11. (Tiffany Lodge). Jan 2003. Tiffany Lodge (block of flats), one half of a ten-foot high front garden wall has been demolished and is being rebuilt (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 11. (Tiffany Lodge). Planning application for replacement of existing windows by UPVC (*Barnet Council 03257/06*)

No 11. (Tiffany Lodge). 20 Dec 2006. Tiffany Lodge, at the corner of Goldsmith Road has scaffolding round it while the outside is being painted (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

Friern Barnet Lane. 22 Jul 1939. Wardens post. New building, on grass verge opposite Goldsmith Road (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 12 (Oakwood). In 1929 there was a house here called Oakwood (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 12. This was built in 1937 by Bruce Oram (*Iris Sande, resident of property*)

No 12. 15 May 1947. Application approved for external wc (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 12. 23 Oct 2003. A skip full of rubble and bricks is in the drive (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

Nos 13 & 15. Jun 2005. Several recent decisions by both Barnet Council and the authority dealing with appeals against the local authority's rulings have important implications. In most of these decisions local residents, supported by your association, have had a decisive influence. An impressive double residence at 13-15 Friern Barnet Lane was to be demolished and replaced by a three-storey block of 14 flats. This was refused by the Council's planning committee because it would "result in the loss of individual character houses", whilst the replacement "by virtue of its location, design and appearance, would have an adverse effect on the street scene". An interesting and unusual second justification for this refusal was that "it lies within an area where there is currently a shortage of school places and no formal undertaking is given (by the applicant) to meet the extra educational cost arising as a result of the development". In other words, where a marked increase in residential density is planned for, a reasonable contribution is now required for a

planning proposal to succeed (*Friern Barnet & Whetstone Residents' Association Newsletter June 2005*)

Nos 14 & 15. 3 Jul 1913. Application approved for 2 semi-detached houses (A Collins) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 14 (Simporna). In 1929 there was a house here called Simporna (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 14. 30 Mar 1988. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council C/09934*)

No 14. 23 Aug 1999. Planning application for loft conversion involving extension to roof to side and rear (*Barnet Council C/09934/A*)

No 15. 1951. This house is named "Shanghai" and was lived in by Mr Adam Calderwood Henry, Councillor for the East Ward between 1929 and 1953. Phone number ENTerprise 2481 (*Urban District of Friern Barnet Year Book 1947 – 48. Page 9*)

No 15. 18 May 2009. Planning application for 2 storey side and rear extension. Conversion of roof to form 8 self-contained flats. Associated parking to rear (A Brown) (*Barnet Council B/01686/09*)

No 15. 15 Apr 2010. Planning application for two storey side and rear extension and loft conversion to facilitate a loft conversion into 8 self-contained flats. Associated parking to front and rear (*Barnet Council B/01149/10*)

No 15. 25 Jun 2014. Planning application for side and rear extension to existing semi-detached property involving the demolition of existing garage (*Barnet Council B/03401/14*)

No 15. 24 Jun 2021. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council 21/3487/HSE*)

No 15. 25 Jun 2021. Planning application for roof extension including two rear dormers (*Barnet Council 21/3486/192*)

No 15. 5 Oct 2021. Planning application for roof extension involving partial hip to gable, 2 rear dormer windows, 4 front facing rooflights (*Barnet Council 21/4752/192*)

No 16 (St Osyth). In 1929 there was a house here called St Osyth and the resident was Bruce Oram (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 16. 4 May 1989. Planning application for single storey front, side and rear extension (*Barnet Council C/10409*)

No 17. 18 Aug 2006. Planning application for first floor side extension and alterations to roof to include rear dormer window to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council N/150609/A/06*)

No 18. 4 Mar 1991. Planning application for conservatory at rear (*Barnet Council C/05943/A*)

No 18. 9 May 2017. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 5 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 3 metres and maximum height of 3.15 metres (*Barnet Council 17/3001/PNH*)

No 18. 9 May 2017. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 5 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 3 metres and maximum height of 3.15 metres (*Barnet Council 17/3398/PNH*)

No 18. 17 Aug 2017. Planning application for two storey front extension incorporating new front porch. First floor rear extension (*Barnet Council 17/5327/HSE*)

No 18. 25 Jan 2018. Planning application for hardstanding to side to provide off street parking (*Barnet Council 18/0232/191*)

No 18. 5 Apr 2018. Planning application for new front (*Barnet Council 18/2094/191*)

No 20 (Leaside). In 1929 there was a house here called Leaside (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 20. Apr-May 1923. Planning application for house (Alfred J Vaughan, 14 Carlton Road, Stroud Green) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01913*) & No ? 4 May 1923. Application approved for house (Mr Vaughan) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 20. 12 Nov 2014. Planning application for single storey rear out building for use as a gym and a summer house (*Barnet Council 14/01248/HSE*)

No 20. 12 Jan 2015. Planning application for outbuilding to rear of property (*Barnet Council 15/00147/192*)

No 20. 19 Feb 2015. Planning application for two storey infill front extension and front porch. New roof over existing garage (*Barnet Council 15/00838/HSE*)

No 21. 14 Sep 1954. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 22 (Studley). In 1929 there was a house here called Studley (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 22. 25 Sep 2019. Planning application for roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer window, 2 front facing rooflights and new side gable window (Barnet Council 19/ 5197/192)

No 22. 25 Sep 2019. Planning application for single storey front including conversion of existing garage into habitable room, insertion of window to replace existing garage door. Single storey rear extension (Barnet Council 19/ 5198/HSE)

No 23 (Southgate Villa).1881. John Eric Simpson, 2nd Lieutenant, 4th Battalion (Territorial), Lincolnshire Regiment, attached to 9th Battalion, Norfolk Regiment, killed in action, 7 July 1918, aged 20, buried in Nine Elms British Cemetery, Vlaanderen, Belgium. The casualties of 1918 buried there during the German offensive in Flanders of that year and the subsequent British counter attacks. William Leonard Simpson, Gunner, Royal Field Artillery, died 31 March 1918, aged 37, buried in Etaples Military Cemetery, Pas de Calais. Etaples was at the centre of a concentration of military hospitals. William (Leonard), born 1881, was the oldest, (John) Eric, born 1899, the youngest of the six children of William, a bank official, and Louisa Simpson. (The children seem to have been known by their second names). In between came two brothers and three sisters. Leonard was born in Hampstead, all the other children in New Southgate. The family lived at Southgate Villa, 23 Friern Barnet Lane. Leonard was married in 1908 to Elizabeth Stenhouse. A son, Donald, was born in 1910. They lived in Canonbury. Leonard's job was a traveller in stationery. Louise lost her husband and thee of her sons within six years. William (senior) died in February 1912, aged 63. Her second child (Ernest) Arthur died in July 1915 at home, followed by the deaths of Leonard and Eric in 1918. Leonard and Eric are commemorated on the grave of their father and their brother in the churchyard, and also on the war memorial of St Paul's, New Southgate (*Parish of Friern Barnet Graves and War Memorials of the First World War. Page 21*)

No 24. 15 Apr 2005. A hardstanding is being built in the front garden (David Berguer *FB&DLHS*)

No 25. 27 Jul 1939. L W Bright, ARP Warden at Post no 13 lived here (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 25. 7 Sep 1950. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 26 (Manston). In 1929 there was a house here called Manston (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

Nos 26 - 28. May - Oct 1925. Planning application for houses (for J A Turner, 46 Oakfield Road, Ilford, owner, Myall Bros, 11 Landsdowne Avenue, Southend, builders) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02229*)

No 26. 8 July 2003. A deep hole is being dug in the wide grass verge outside this house (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 26. 6 Aug 2003. The hole in the grass verge has been filled in, a manhole cover marked WATER remained as evidence (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 26. 3 May 2017. Planning application for conversion of existing dwelling into two self-contained units. Single storey rear extension with new patio area. Roof extension involving rear dormer window, Juliette balcony, 3 rooflights to front elevation to facilitate a loft conversion. Associated bicycle store and refuse and recycling store (*Barnet Council 17/2771/FUL*)

No 26. 30 May 2017. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 4.5 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 2.7 metres and maximum height of 3 metres (*Barnet Council 17/3516/PNH*)

No 27. 20 Mar 2008. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council B/00351/08*)

No 27. 26 Feb 2008. A loft extension is being constructed (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 28 (Birchfield). In 1929 there was a house here called Birchfield (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 28. Early 2003. Front wall demolished to allow for car parking (*Mary Fairbrother FB&DLHS*)

No 28. 16 Apr 2015. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 6 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 2.7 metres and maximum height of 3 metres (*Barnet Council 15/02389/PNH*)

No 28. 23 May 2018. Planning application for first floor rear extension (*Barnet Council 18/2478/HSE*)

No 28. 20 Aug 2018. Planning application for first floor rear extension (*Barnet Council 18/4813/HSE*)

No 28. 25 Feb 2021. Planning application for first floor rear extension (*Barnet Council 21/1012/HSE*)

No 28. 27 Apr 2021. Planning application for First floor rear extension (*Barnet council 21/2371/HSE*)

No 29. 11 Sep 1962. Application approved for erection of garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 29. 23 Jul 2007. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/15428/A/07*)

No 30 (Doiran). In 1929 there was a house here called Doiran (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 30. 7 Jun 1955. Application approved for vehicle crossover (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 31. 8 Dec 1953. Application approved for 2 garages on land at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 31. 13 May 2008. Planning application for hardstanding and vehicle access (*Barnet Council B/00837/08*)

No 32. (Winyate). In 1929 there was a house here called Winyate (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 32. 16 Apr 1953. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 32. 11 Jul 2007. Planning application for single storey side and rear conservatory (*Barnet Council N/15685/07*)

No 34 (Westholme). In 1929 there was a house here called Westholme (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 34. 16 Apr 2004. Planning application for alteration of existing vehicle access (*Barnet Council N/13196/A/04*)

No 34. 18 Sep 2007 & 23 Jun 2008. Planning application to demolish existing single storey garage and construct new single storey dwelling with detached garage on land at rear of no 34 (*Barnet Council N/13196/D/07*)

No 34. 20 Apr 2017. Planning application for formation of new gable roof over existing front bay window (*Barnet Council 17/2554/HSE*)

No 34. 20 Apr 2017. Planning application for part single, part two storey rear extension. Roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer window with Juliette balcony, 1 rooflight to front and new gable window to side elevation to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council 17/2558/192*)

No 34. 19 May 2017. Planning application for single storey rear extension. Roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer window with Juliette balcony, 1 rooflight to front and new gable window to side elevation to facilitate a loft conversion ( (*Barnet Council 17/3236/192*)

No 34. 19 May 2017 Planning application for part single, part two storey rear extension. Enlargement of first floor side (*Barnet Council 17/3239/HSE*)

No 35. 15 Nov 2000 & 15 Jan 2001. Planning application for part first floor, part 2 storey side extension, single storey rear extension and loft conversion including rear dormer window (*Barnet Council N/12623/00*)

No 35. 5 Dec 2005 & 20 Sep 2007. Planning application for renewal of Planning Permission dated 15 Nov 2000 (*Barnet Council N/12623/A/05*)

No 35. 15 Feb 2009. A small extension is being built on the side (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 35. 24 May 2021. Planning application for single storey side/rear extension with new raised terraced area with access steps to garden level (*Barnet Council 21/2839/HSE*)

No 35. 14 Sep 2021. Planning application for single storey side/rear extension with new raised terrace area with access steps to garden level (*Barnet Council, 21/4643/HSE*)

No 35. 14 Apr 2022. Planning application for roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer window front facing rooflights and new side gable window (*Barnet Council 22/1996/192*)

No 36 (Windy Ridge) 18 Mar 1927. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 36. 13 Oct 2017. Planning application for single storey rear extension. Roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer window, 3 rooflights to front and new gable window to side elevation to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council 17/6548/192*)

No 37. 9 May 1946. Application approved for 2 houses on adjoining land (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 37. 24 Aug 2016. Planning application for first floor side extension (*Barnet Council 16/5520/HSE*)

No 37a. 13 May 1948. Application approved for garden shed (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 37. 6 Jan 2017. Planning application for extension to roof including hip to gable end, 1 rear dormer with Juliet balcony and 2 rooflights to front elevation (*Barnet Council 17/0023/192*)

No 38 (Glenalmond). In 1929 there was a house here called Glenalmond (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 38. 18 Sep 1951. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 38. 12 Apr 2021. Planning application for roof extension involving hip to gable, 1 side gable window, rear dormer window (*Barnet Council 21/2006/192*)

No 38. 12 Apr 2021. Planning application for erection of a rear outbuilding (*Barnet Council 21/2014/HSE*)

No 38. 12 Apr 2021. Planning application for erection of a rear outbuilding (*Barnet Council 21/2007/192*)

No 39. 9 Feb 1950. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 40 (Nikko). In 1929 there was a house here called Nikko (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 40. 9 May 1946 & 3 Oct 1946. Application approved for detached asbestos garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 41. 5 Aug 2008. Planning application for 2 storey side extension (*Barnet Council B/02837/08*)

No 41. 9 Jun 2011. Planning application for two storey side extension (*Barnet Council B/02429/11*)

No 41. 31 Jul 2017. Planning application for raising of side extension ridge to match existing. Roof extension 1 side dormer window and 1 rear dormer window with Juliet balcony, 3 rooflights to front elevation to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council 17/4916/HSE*)

No 42 (Listria). In 1929 there was a house here called Listria (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 42. 20 Jun 2016. Planning application for single storey rear extension (Mr Nick Gopalla, 12 Albany Rod, Edmonton, N18 2DX) (*Barnet Council 16/4080/PNH*)

No 42. 6 Sep 2016. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 4 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 2.8 metres and maximum height of 3.5 metres (*Barnet Council 16/5833/PNH*)

No 44 (Rosina). In 1929 there was a house here called Rosina (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 44. 1948. Mr A Harman, Secretary to the Central Allotment Holders' Association, lived here. Phone number ENTenterprise 3691 (*Urban District of Friern Barnet Year Book 1947 – 48. Page 14*)

No 46 Friern Barnet Lane built in 1926 by Robinson who also built 1-7 **Buxted Road**. (*Anthea Gray FBDLHS member*)

No 46 (Donnybrook). In 19129 there was a house here called Donnybrook (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 46. 18 Sep 1951. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 46. 19 May 2004 & 14 Apr 2005. Planning application for 2 storey side extension and single storey rear extension. Alterations to roof including rear dormer window to facilitate a loft extension (*Barnet Council N/14225/04*)

No 46. 19 May 2004. Planning application for 2 storey side and single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council C/02892/A*)

No 46. 31 Jan 2005. An extension is being built on the side of the house, and a loft extension is being added (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 46. 12 May 2009. Planning application for 2 storey dwelling house plus rooms in roofspace. Associated parking (*Barnet Council B/01647/09 & B/04035/09*)

No 47. 7 Jun 1955 & 4 Jun 1957. Application approved for boundary wall to replace close boarded timber fence (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 47. 5 Dec 1961. Application approved internal wc on ground floor (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 47. 11 May 2005. Planning application for detached garage at rear (*Barnet Council N/C/12450/A*)

No 47. 18 Oct 2017. Planning application for part single, part two-storey side and rear extensions. Roof extension involving new crown roof and rear dormer window (*Barnet Council 17/6631/HSE*)

Nos 47 & 49. 3 Apr 2018. Planning application for part single, part two storey side and rear extension following demolition of existing garage to both nos 47 and 49 (*Barnet Council 18/1986/HSE*)

Nos 48 - 50. Apr 1926 - Apr 1927. Planning application for houses (Howls & Belcham, 126 Hamlet Court, Westcliffe on Sea, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02400*)

No 48 (Mardennor). In 1929 there was a house here called Donnybrook (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 48. 12 Jan 1960. Planning application for alterations to roof including side and rear dormer windows to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council N/14675/05*)

No 48. 13 Nov 1996. Planning application for detached garage at rear (*Barnet Council N/C/12450/A*)

No 48. 9 Nov 2018. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 4.3 metres, an eaves height of 3metres and a maximum height of 3 metres (*Barnet Council 18/6797/PNH*)

No 48. 17 Dec 2018. Planning application for single storey rear extension following demolition of existing single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council 18/76405/92*)

No 49 (Shetford). In 1929 there was a house called Shetford (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 49. 17 Jan 2018. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension following demolition of existing conservatory and garage (*Barnet Council 18/0300/HSE*)

No 50 (Myholm). In 1929 there was a house here called Myholm (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 50. 3 Jul 1986. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council C/02892/A*)

No 50a. 11 Oct 1956. Application approved for additional garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 50a. 1 Nov 2004 & 29 Dec 2004. Planning application for conversion into 2 self-contained flats (*Barnet Council N/14436/04*)

No 50a. 30 Aug 2012. Planning application for two storey side extension and conversion of existing 2 self-contained flats into a total of 4 self-contained flats. Provision of 4 car parking spaces (*Barnet Council B/03020/12*)

No 50a. 9 Mar 2015. Planning application for submission of details of conditions 5 (Parking Details) and 7 (Refuse) pursuant to planning permission ref B/02451/14 dated 2/7/2014 (*Barnet Council 15/01145/CON*)

No 50. 7 May 2014. Planning application for creation of basement and part single, part two storey side extension in order to create additional self-contained flat (*Barnet Council B/02451/14*)

No 51. 9 Dec 1958. Application approved for wc and rear access (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 51. 8 Feb 2005. The front garden is being paved over (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 51. Dec 2005. Scaffolding in place front and sides. New windows and garage door (*Marilyn Testar FB&DLHS*)

No 51. 16 May 2008. Planning application for loft conversion (internal) and single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council B/00955/08*)

No 51. 20 Apr 2009. Planning application for 2 storey side extension (*Barnet Council B/01501/09*)

No 53. 20 Jun 2002. Planning application for 2 storey side extension (*Barnet Council N/06851/B/02*)

No 55 (Gradon). In 1929 there was a house called Gradon (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 57. 17 Aug 2008. A new roof is being put on (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No ???. 17 Dec 1931. Application approved for temporary Methodist Church, corner of Torrington Park (Rev C A Roberts) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & No ? Nov 1931 -Jan 1932. Planning application for temporary church (Rev Colin A Roberts, 11 Elms Avenue, Muswell Hill, owner) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02941*)

No 58 (Brookside). In 1929 there was a house here called Brookside (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 58. 27 Jul 1939. T W B Cornell, ARP Warden at Post no 10 lived here (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 58. Dec 1955 - Jun 1957, Planning application for house and garage (E J & P Bower Ltd, 9 Great North Road, County Boundary, Barnet) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04706*)

No 58. 11 Oct 1955. Application approved for use 2 pairs of semi-detached houses and garages on land to the south (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 58. 13 Dec 1955. Application approved for demolition of existing house and erect 1 detached house and garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 58. 7 Aug 2001. Planning application for ground and first floor side extension, enlarged roof with dormer windows to both sides and rear, ground floor rear extension, and bay window and canopy roof at front (*Barnet Council C/14564/01*)



No 58. Early 2003. Huge extension plus dormer window (*Mary Fairbrother FB&DLHS*)

No 59. Aug - Oct 1925. Planning application for house (Halls & Son, 7 Arden Villas, Long Lane, East Finchley, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02284*) & No ? 18 Sep 1925. Application approved for detached house (C Halls & Son) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 59. 30 Mar 2021. Planning application for part single part two storey rear extension. Single storey side extension, new front porch (*Barnet Council 21/1779/HSE*)

No 59. 30 Mar 2021. Planning application for roof extension involving rear and side dormer windows, 3 facing rooflight (*Barnet Council 21/1780/1920*)

No 59. 23 Jun 2021. Planning application for roof extension involving rear dormer window with Juliette balcony, side dormer window, 1 front and side facing rooflight. Erection of a rear outbuilding (*Barnet Council 21/3405/192*)

No 59. 23 Jun 2021. Planning application for first floor rear extension and enlargement of front porch (*Barnet Council 21/3400/HSE*)

No 60. 28 Jan 1997. Planning application for use as self-contained flat (*Barnet Council C/2623*)

Nos 61 - 63. Oct-Dec 1924. Planning application for houses (A Woods, 18 Hollyfield Avenue, owner & builder, submitted by E J Reynolds, 54 Beaconsfield Road) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02138*)

No 61 (Morley) 22 Feb 1927. Application approved for garage (A W Woods) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 61 (Morley) 22 Apr 1927. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 63 (Monkswood). In 1929 there was a house called Monkswood (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 65. Jun 1904. Planning application for house (F Baker, Toppesfield, New Southgate), agent Luetchforf, 122 London Wall, architect & surveyor) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/22/00887*)

No 65 (Toppesfield). 7 Jun 1907. Application approved for glass house (Mr J Baker) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 65 (Toppesfield) 17 Apr 1925. Application approved for garage and alterations (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 67 (Strathroy). Jan-Feb 1910. Planning application for house (Mr Spittle, Evesham Villa, Kennard Road, agent F W Shenton, 22 Basinghall Street, EC) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01280*)

No 67 (Strathtay?). 17 Oct 1919. Application approved for temporary wooden motor shed (Mr S Spittle) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 67 (Strathroy). 1941-45. This was requisitioned for an ARP training centre and Wardens' HQ 1941-45 (*John Heathfield FB&DLHS*)

No 67 (Strathroy). 11 Mar 1958. Application approved for conversion of existing house into 3 self-contained flats and 1 garage and erect 1 detached house with 3 pairs of semi-detached houses with garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 67 (Strathroy). 9 Sep 1958 & 11 Nov 1958. Application approved for detached house and garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & No 67. Oct 1958 - Mar 1960. Planning application for house

and garage (P Ermelli, 44 St John's Grove, owner, submitted by G A Crockett, 10 Adelaide Street, Strand, architect) (London *Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/05065*)

No 67. 21 Apr 2011. Planning application for single front extension and part single, part two storey side/rear extension (*Barnet Council B/01772/11*)

No 67. 1 Aug 2011. Planning application for single storey first floor side conservatory with obscure side conservatory with obscure glazing to side elevation (*Barnet Council B/03140/11*)

No 67. 7 Sep 2016. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed maximum depth of 5.3 meters from original rear wall, eaves height of 2.8 metres and maximum height of 3 metres (*Barnet Council 16/5870/PNH*)

No 67. 31 Oct 2016. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council 16/6769/192*)

No 68. 14 Dec 2015. Planning application for demolition of existing building and erection of a new 3 storey building to provide 9 self-contained units. Associated works. (*Barnet Council 15/07656/FUL*)

No 68 (The Grange). 16 May 2016. Planning application for demolition of existing buildings and erection of 3 dwelling houses with basement level and rooms in roofspace (*Barnet Council 15/2273/FUL*)

No 68. 16 Oct 2017. Planning application for demolition of existing dwelling house and erection of 3 dwelling houses with rooms in roofspaces and basement levels. Provision of amenity space, 3 car parking spaces and refuse and recycling storage (*Barnet Council 17/6481/FUL*)

No 68. 12 Feb 2018. Non-material amendment to planning permission 17/6481/FUL dated 18/12/17 for 'Demolition of existing dwelling house and erection of 3no dwelling houses with rooms in roofspaces and basement levels. Provision of amenity space, 3no car parking spaces and refuse and recycling storage.' Amendments include slightly changing the siting (*Barnet Council 18/0868/NMA*)

No 68. 16 May 2018. Submission of details of conditions 4 (Materials - External Surfaces and Hard Surfaced Areas) and 6 (Landscaping) pursuant to planning permission 17/6481/FUL dated 16/10/17 (*Barnet Council 18/2925/CON*)

No 68. 16 May 2018. Non-material amendments to planning permission 17/6481/FUL dated 18/12/17 for 'Demolition of existing dwelling house and erection of 3 dwelling houses with rooms in roofspaces and basement levels. Provision of amenity space, 3 car parking spaces and refuse and recycling storage.' Amendments to include infill roof valley between cottages 2 and 3 Submission of details of conditions 4 (Materials - External Surfaces and Hard Surfaced Areas) and 6 (Landscaping) pursuant to planning permission 17/6481/FUL dated 16/10/17 (*Barnet Council 18/2926/NMA*)

No 68. 8 Mar 2019. Non-material amendment to planning permission reference 17/6481/FUL dated 18/12/2017 for 'Demolition of existing dwelling house and erection of 3no dwellinghouses with rooms in roofspaces and basement levels. Provision of amenity space, 3no car parking spaces and refuse and recycling storage'. Amendments to include alterations to fenestration, including addition of 1 window to first floor side elevations of each dwelling (*Barnet Council 19/1243/NMA*)

No 69 (Strathroy). 10 Feb 1959. Application approved for use of ground floor as offices (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 69. 9 Jun 1959. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 69. 12 Jun 1962. Application approved for single storey extension to morning room (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 69. 11 Jul 1991. Planning application for retention of single storey building in rear garden (*Barnet Council N/08145/C*)

No 69. 24 Jun 2014. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council B/03380/14*)

No 69. 24 Jun 2014. Planning application for erection of new summer house to rear with access steps leading to patio area (Retrospective Application) (*Barnet Council 16/6771/FUL*)

No 70. Apr-May 1914. Planning application for house (E K Wilton, High Road, N5, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01615*) &

No 70 (St Gratien). In 1929 there was a house here called St Gratien (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 70. 10 Mar 1959. Application approved for replacement of existing garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 70. 21 Jul 2011. Planning application for demolition of existing raised terrace and erection of single storey rear extension and new raised terrace (*Barnet Council B/03105/11*)

No 71. 20 Jul 2004. Planning application for part single, part 2 storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/14313/04*)

No 71. 8 Jun 2005. Planning application for single storey side extension and part single, part 2 storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/14313/A/05*)

No 71. 21 Mar 2006. A huge bag of sand outside and a skip along with a pile of new bricks (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

15 Apr 1952. Application approved for 3 detached houses, corner of Torrington Park (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 72 - 74. Aug 1911. Planning application for houses (L K Wilton, High Road, New Southgate, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01425*) & No ? 4 Aug 1911. Application approved for 4 semi-detached houses (E K Wilton) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 72 (Frocester) 3 Apr 1914. Application approved for additions (E Wilton) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 72 (Frocester). In 1929 there was a house here called Frocester (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 72. 6 Apr 1954. Application approved for alterations to form garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 72. 17 May 2006. Planning application for first floor side and single storey rear extension and conversion of garage and existing kitchen into habitable rooms (*Barnet Council N/14719/B/06*)

No 72. 17 Aug 2008. An extension is being built on the south side (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 73 (Ridgeway House). 6 Jul 1966. Planning application for 16 flats and 16 garages. Application Disapproved (*Barnet Council Minutes N609*)

No 73. 8 Mar 2004. Men with pneumatic drills are digging up the concrete area in front of the house (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 73a. 5 Jan 1995. Planning application for first floor rear extension and new first floor window to side (*Barnet Council N/03473/E*)

No 74 (Kingsley). In 1929 there was a house here called Kingsley (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 74. 13 May 1988. Planning application for vehicle access (*Barnet Council C/09996*)

No 74. 18 Oct 2011. This house is named Kingsley (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 75. Jul - Aug 1911. Planning application for house (R Hicks, Waverley, Goldsmith Road, agent F W Shenton, 22 Basinghall Street, EC) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01418*)

No 75 (Pax Hill) 13 Jun 1919. Application approved for shed (Mr R Hicks) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 75. 9 Mar 1950. Application approved for use of 3 rooms as offices (C J Hunt & Co Ltd) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 75. 5 Jul 1988. Planning application for first floor rear extension (*Barnet Council N/03473/D*)

No 75. 25 May 2007. Hard standing being constructed in front garden (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 75a. 7 Nov 2014. Planning application for first floor rear extension. Conversion of garage into habitable room including insertion of window to replace existing garage door (*Barnet Council a4/07149FUL*)

No 76 (Gilpin). In 1929 there was a house here called Gilpin (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 76. 12 May 1936. This house is affected by the widening of Friern Barnet Lane (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 76 (Melrose). 8 Dec 1953 & 12 Jan 1954 & 6 Apr 1954. Application approved for 1 detached house and 2 semi-detached houses and modernisation of existing house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 76. 13 Jul 1954. Application approved to demolish existing house and erect detached house and garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 76. 11 Jan 1955. Application approved for detached house and garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 76. 13 Sep 1955. Application approved for loggia at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 76. 13 Sep 1960. Application approved for detached house and garage for 2 vehicles or a car port morning room (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 76. 8 Nov 1960. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 76. 6 Jun 1961. Application approved for installation of butler sink in ground floor front room (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 76a. Oct 1961 & Dec 1961 - Jun 1978. Planning application for house (C James, Connaught Rooms Ltd, submitted by Restry Property Company Ltd, 16 The Broadway, Woking) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/05562 & 05571*)

No 76a 13 Sep 1965. The Town Clerk reported that the legal position regarding certain trees in Friary Park which the owner of 76a feared would damage his house by root action and which he had asked to be removed.....It was resolved that no action would be taken in this matter (*Barnet Council Minutes 13 Sep 1965*)

No 77. 16 May 2003. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/13680/03*)

No 77. 11 Nov 2011. Planning application for two storey rear extension (*Barnet Council B/04544/11*)

No 78. 5 Dec 1961. Application approved for detached house and garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 78. 18 Sep 2006. Planning application for 3 storey building consisting of 9 self-contained flats (*Barnet Council N/15290/06*)

No 79. 9 Feb 1950. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 79. 20 Oct 2010. A large tent has been erected over the whole roof while building work takes place (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

HOUSE NUMBERS *by David Berguer* When researching the history of an area old maps and street directories are a valuable source of information. However, one of the problems facing historians is the renumbering of streets, which became necessary as an area developed and new buildings were erected on what had formerly been vacant land. For example, in the 1937 *Kelly's Directory of Finchley and Friern Barnet* the building in High Road Whetstone, on the corner of Chandos Avenue, was numbered 14 Chandos Parade but by 1939 it had been renumbered 1370 High Road. In fact the whole of the High Road had been renumbered, so it was a one-off solution to the problem. A more recent case was highlighted by Karl Ruge who sent us a copy of a letter he had received from Barnet Council in August 1966. This referred to the demolition of two large houses in Friern Barnet Lane between **Park Way** and **The Ridgeway**. The Borough Engineer and Surveyor explained the problem: "The numbering of new dwellings following the re-development of a site comprising more units than those which previously existed, does present some problems, particularly if re-numbering of other properties in the street is to be avoided. You may rest assured, however, that such a course is only adopted as a last resort, the usual method being to allocate a name to the new development, i.e. ".....Court" or ".....House", and to number the dwellings from No 1 onwards accordingly. This action, of course, cannot be taken until work has started, since it often occurs that there is more than one approval attached to a site involving varying numbers of units." As it turned out, a simpler solution was found. Twenty houses were eventually built on the site and the houses were numbered thus: Park Way south side (from Friern Barnet Lane) numbers 2H, 2G, 2E, 2D, 2C, 2B, 2A, Friern Barnet Lane (from north) 77A, 77, 75A, 75, 73A, 73, 71A, 71 The Ridgeway north side (from Friern Barnet Lane) 1E, 1D, 1C, 1B, 1A. (*Friern Barnet Newsletter No 28*)

No 81 (Whittlebury). In 1929 there was a house called Whittlebury (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 81. 11 Jul 1933. Application approved for sun parlour (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 81. 8 Dec 1953. Application approved for proposed use as a Day Nursery (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 81. 7 Jun 1960. Application approved for detached house and garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 81. 23 Sep 2011. Work is going on on the roof, possible loft conversion (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 81. 7 Nov 2011. Planning application for single storey rear extension following demolition of existing conservatory and outbuildings (*Barnet Council B/04348/11*)

No 83. 8 Mar 1960. Application approved for single storey extension at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 81. 11 Aug 2022. Planning application for erection of a rear veranda (*Barnet Council 22/4069/HSE*)

No 83. 7 Mar 2017. Planning application for single storey rear extension following demolition of existing rear extensions (*Barnet Council 17/1453/HSE*)

No 85 (Glencairn). In 1929 there was a house called Glencairn (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

Junction with The Ridgeway. 10 Jun 1958. Application approved for 1 pair of semi-detached houses and garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 85. 4 Nov 2014. Planning application for part single, part two storey rear extension. Construction of rear dormer, two rear rooflights and two side rooflights (*Barnet Council 14/07085/HSE*)

No 85. 4 Nov 2014. Planning application for part single, part two storey rear extension. Construction of rear dormer, two rear rooflights and two side rooflights (*Barnet Council, 14/07085/HSE*)

No 85. 8 Jun 2016. Non-material amendment for planning permission 14/7085/HSE dated 21/1 15 for "Part single, part two storey rear extension. Construction of rear dormer, two rear rooflights and two side rooflights". Amendments to include conversion of garage into habitable room, creation of bay to the front of the garage and pulling forward recessed wall to main hall (*Barnet Council, 16/3878/NMA*)

No 85. 26 Jul 2016. Planning application for conversion of garage into habitable room, insertion of bay window and alteration of front porch (*Barnet Council 16/4432/192*)

No 85. 14 Jan 2020. Planning application for two storey rear extension. Part single, part two storey rear extension. Roof extension, including, rear dormer and window, and 2 rooflights to rear side and to front side roofslopes (*Barnet Council 16/0172/HSE*)

No 87 (Balgownie). In 1929 there was a house called Balgownie (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 87. 14 Nov 2016. Planning application for single storey front extension including conversion of garage into habitable room. Insertion of window to replace garage door. New front door. Single storey rear extension with new access steps and balustrades. Alterations to side fenestration. Removal of side chimneys (*Barnet Council 16/7162/HSE*)

No 87. 29 Nov 2017. Planning application for erection of wooden structure to side of existing outbuilding. Raised levels to front and rear garden (Retrospective application) (*Barnet Council 16/7534/RCU*)

No 89 (Parkside). In 1929 there was a house called Parkside (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 89. Late March 2003. Half a dozen crates of patio stones on the pavement outside (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 91 (Yuandus). In 1929 there was a house called Yuandus (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 93 (Charnwood). In 1929 there was a house called Charnwood (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 93. Application approved for ground floor cloakroom (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 93. 18 March 2007. Scaffolding is up the front of the house (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 95 (Burnside). In 1929 there was a house called Burnside (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 95. 13 Jan 2000. Planning application for extension and addition to building at end of Bellevue Mews and change of use from ancillary retail to self-contained design studio (*Barnet Council N/04960/E/00*)

No 97 (Oak Barn). In 1929 there was a house called Oak Barn (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 97. 13 May 2005 & 18 Apr 2006 & 30 Aug 2006. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory (*Barnet Council N/14678/05*)

No 99 (Essars). In 1929 there was a house called Essars (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 99 10 Sep 1957. Application approved for erection of covered way (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 99 (Watcombe School). I went to private school at Watcombe School (99 Friern Barnet Lane) from 1950-53 (*John R Townend FB&DLHS member*)

No 99. 24 Jan 2000. Planning application for creation of vehicle access to front garden from Manor Drive (*Barnet Council N/12298/00*)

No 99. 7 Mar 2012. Planning application for single storey rear extension following demolition of existing rear conservatory (*Barnet Council B/00906/12*)

No 101 (Cadena). In 1929 there was a house called Cadena (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 101. 12 Jun 1962. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 101. Nov 2004. Planning application submitted for a two-storey house to be fronting Manor Drive (*Marilyn Testar FB&DLHS*)

No 101. 5 Nov 2004. Planning application refused for erection of 2 storey detached house (*Barnet Council N/14446/04*)

No 101. 8 Sep 2006 & 12 Dec 2006 & 20 Mar 2007. Planning application for erection of 2 storey detached house with loft (*Barnet Council N/14446/04*)

No 101. 1 Feb 2007. Work has started in the building of a house in the back garden. Planning permission for this was refused by Barnet Council, but overturned on appeal (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 101. 15 June 2007. The controversial house in the back garden of no 101 is nearing completion (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 101. Letter from Theresa Villiers MP to local resident Mr Paul Barron of 5 Friars Avenue concerning the building of new house at rear of 101 Friern Barnet Lane, together with a copy of an email from Joe Henry, Planning Appeals and Enforcement Manager, and a copy of the Planning Inspectorate Appeal Decision are filed under Friern Barnet Lane in Streets filing cabinet in FB&DLHS archives

No 101. 22 Jul 2008. A large plastic tent covers the roof as tiles are being removed from the "illegal" house in the back garden, presumably the house will be reduced in height (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 103 (Tolosa). In 1929 there was a house called Tolosa (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 103. 10 Oct 1961. Application approved for ground floor cloakroom and wc (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 103. 15 Feb 2007. A new hardstanding is being constructed in the front garden (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 105 (Kenilworth). In 1929 there was a house called Kenilworth (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 107 (Brushwood). In 1929 there was a house called Brushwood (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 109 (Applegarth). In 1929 there was a house called Applegarth (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 109. 13 Sep 1960. Application approved for extension to rear of garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 109. 7 Dec 1989. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/0941/A*)

No 109. 15 Jan 1991. Planning application for retention of single storey extension (*Barnet Council N/09419/B*)

No 109. 6 May 2021. Planning application for roof extension including wraparound dormer window to rear and both sides (*Barnet Council 21/2537/192*)

No 109. 23 Jun 2021. Planning application for roof extension involving hip to gable, side dormer windows and rear window (*Barnet Council 21/3388/192*)

Nos 111 - 121. Sep - Dec 1928. Planning application for houses (F W Bristow, 5 The Vale, Golders Green, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02671*)

No 111 (Tregaron). In 1929 there was a house called Tregaron (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 111. 17 Jan 2002. Planning application for conservatory at rear (*Barnet Council N/00577/B/02*)

No 113 (Tregaron). In 1929 there was a house called Tregaron (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 113. 10 Sep 1986. Planning application for first floor rear extension (*Barnet Council N/01058/C*)

No 113. 16 Jan 1991. Planning application for first floor rear extension to roof at rear and rear and side dormer windows (*Barnet Council N/01058/D*)

No 115. 24 Aug 1987. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/06875/A*)

No 115. 25 Jul 1988. Planning application for single storey rear extension including projecting bay window (*Barnet Council N/06875/B*)

No 117. 14 May 2021. Planning application for single storey front extension to garage with new shelter above (*Barnet Council 21/2525/HSE*)

No 119. 21 Apr 2015. Planning application for single storey rear extension to ground floor flat (*Barnet Council 15/02488/FUL*)



No 121. 14 Apr 1989. Planning application for loft conversion and first floor rear extension (*Barnet Council N/07202/B*)

No 125. 4 Dec 2006. Planning application for single storey front extension (*Barnet Council N/12986/A/06*)

Nos 129 - 133. Dec 1929 - Feb 1930. Planning application for houses (F W Bristow, 5 The Vale, Golders Green, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02769*)

Friern Barnet Lane. 22 Jul 1939. Wardens' post. New building, corner of Friary Park, entrance in Friern Barnet Lane (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 131. 12 Jun 1962. Application approved for extension of existing house to provide servants flatlet on first floor and enlargement of garage on ground floor (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 131. 6 Mar 1989. Planning application for rear extension with dormer window on rear and side elevation (*Barnet Council N/00575/A*)

No 131. 7 Aug 1989. Planning application for roof extension with dormer windows on front and rear (*Barnet Council N/00575/B*)

No 131. 29 Mar 2018. Planning application for replacement of existing windows to all elevations. Replacement of existing front door. Addition of Juliette balcony to first floor rear elevation. Insertion of 1 side rooflight (*Barnet Council 18/1864/FUL*)

No 133. This house is named Queenswell (*David Berger FB&DLHS*)

Nos 139 - 151. Apr 1927 - Dec 1932. Planning application for houses (Charles Winkley, Woodside Avenue, Muswell Hill, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02560*) & Nos ?? 22 Apr 1927. Application approved for 7 houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 139 - 141. Feb - Mar 1929. Planning application for houses (Chas Winkeley, 72 Woodside Avenue, Muswell Hill, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02695*) & Nos ?? 15 Feb 1929. Application approved for 2 houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 141. 15 Jun 1937. Application approved for room over garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 141. 19 Feb 1991. Planning application for use for business purposes (*Barnet Council N/09896*)

No 141. 21 Jul 2004. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory (*Barnet Council N/09896/A/04*)

No 141. 25 Nov 2014. Planning application for two storey side extension. Single storey side and rear. Replacement of flat roof with pitched roof over existing rear two storey side extension, extension to roof including 1 rear and 1 front dormer windows, 2 rooflights to rear, front and side roof slopes to facilitate a loft conversion. New front gates with brick wall piers and railings. Single storey rear outbuilding for use as a double garage and domestic storage facility. Lean to roof over existing front porch entrance (*Barnet Council 14/07513/HSE*)

No 141. 14 Apr 2015. Planning application for two storey front and side extension. Single storey side extension. Single storey rear extension. New roof over existing front porch. Alterations to roof to include replacement of existing flat and pitched roof with new crown roof over existing main building and two storey side extension with side and rear dormer windows, 2 rear 2 side and 3 front facing roof lights on the main roof slope. Single storey rear outbuilding for use as a double garage and domestic storage facility. Conversion of garage into habitable space. New fence to sides, front and rear boundary (*Barnet Council 15/02156/HSE*)

Nos 143 - 147. 9 Nov 1993. Planning application for erection of 1 pair of semi-detached houses with attached garages fronting to St James Close (*Barnet Council N/08656/B*)

No 143. 2 Dec 2020. Planning application for Erection of a new bungalow. New hardstanding and vehicular access to provide off-street parking. Associated landscaping, cycle store and refuse and recycling store (*Barnet Council 20/5790/FUL*)

No 144 (Templewood). In 1929 there was a house here called Templewood (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 144. 9 Jun 1959. Application approved for provision of ground floor cloakroom and to insert French doors in rear elevation (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 144. 8 Sep 1959. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 144. 27 Jul 1990. Planning application for 2 storey side, single storey side extension and change of use from single dwelling house to nursing home for physically disabled young adults (*Barnet Council N/05709/A*)

No 144 (Templewood). 21 May 1991. Planning application for 2 storey side extension (*Barnet Council N/05709/B*)

No 144. 26 Apr 2000. Planning application for single storey front garage extension and side link extension between garage and house (*Barnet Council N05709/E/00*)

No 144. Oct 2004. Planning application submitted for 2 lots of semi-detached houses with integral garages (*Marilyn Testar FB&DLHS*)

Nos 145 - 147. 5 May 2004. Planning application for 2-storey family dwelling with access from St James Close (*Barnet Council N/08656/F/04*)

No 146 (Littlecote). 17 Sep 1926. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 146 (Littlecote). 22 Jun 1928. Application approved for billiard room (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 146 (Littlecote). 9 May 1933. Application approved for extension to bay window (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 146. 12 Oct 1954. There were 5 trees in the front garden and one of them – a Chestnut – has been felled (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 146. 3 Nov 2011. Planning application for demolition of existing dwelling and erection of replacement two storey dwelling with rooms in the roofspace (*Barnet Council B/04248/11*)

No 146. 9 Feb 2012. The house is being demolished (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 146. 4 Dec 2013. Planning application for retention of fence and gates to front boundary (*Barnet Council B/04733/13*)

No 146. 12 Jan 2016. Submission of details for condition 13 (Code for sustainable homes) pursuant to planning permission B/0428/11 dated 05/01/2012 (*Barnet Council 16/0125/CON*)

No 147. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 147. Norman and Howard Skinner both died in the Normandy landings on 7 June 1944, the day following D-day. Both served in the Royal Army Service Corps: Norman (aged 38) a captain; Howard (32) a serjeant. Both are buried in Hermanville War cemetery, which lies just behind "Sword Beach" of the landings. They were the sons of John and Mary Skinner of 147 Friern Barnet Lane (now the Rectory); Norman left a wife, Gladys (*Fulcrum. November 2008. Page 9*)

No 147. A rectory at no. 147 Friern Barnet Lane was acquired in 1960-61. (*Victoria County History page 30*)

No 147. This house is named 'The Rectory'

No 148 (Edgehill). In 1929 there was a house here called Edgehill (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 148. 3 Jan 2018. Planning application for erection of a two-storey dwelling with basement level and sunken patio area..Single storey glazed corridor linking existing house (*Barnet Council 17/7845/FUL*)

No 148. 3 Jan 2018. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension incorporating new front porch. Single storey side extension to existing orangery. Change to fenestration. Alteration to existing rear dormer window to facilitate French (*Barnet Council 17/7927/HSE*)

No 148. 13 Jun 2018. Planning application for single storey front and side extension incorporating new front porch. Changes to fenestration (*Barnet Council 17/3637/HSE*)

No 149 (Tregaron). In 1929 there was a house called Tregaron (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 149. 16 Jun 1998. Planning application for swimming pool enclosure in rear garden (*Barnet Council N/04943*)

No 149. Nov 2003. Demolition of side of house (games room and pool?). Detached house being built (*Marilyn Testar FB&DLHS*)

No 149. 17 Feb 2000. Planning application to convert garage into habitable room involving replacement of garage door with window (*Barnet Council 04943/B/00*)

No 149. 16 Dec 2016. Planning application for extension to roof including 2 rear dormer windows and 1 side dormer window ( (*Barnet Council 16/7989/192*)

No 149. 13 Jan 2021. Planning application for a single storey rear extension measuring 6.00 metres in depth from the original rear wall with an eaves height of 2.85 metres and a maximum height of 3.38 metres (*Barnet Council 21/0175/PNH*)

11 Sep 1952. Application approved for 3 detached houses corner of Torrington Park (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 149. Dec 2004. House almost completed, driveway paved (*Marilyn Testar FB&DLHS*)

No 149. 20 Oct 2002. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 6.00 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 3.00 metres and maximum height of 3.15 metres (*Barnet Council 20/4956/PNH*)

No 149. 26 Feb 2021. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council 21/1059/192*)

No 150. 7 Jul 1965. Planning application approved for erection of second garage (Mr D J Grimsdick) (*Barnet Council Minutes 7 Jul 1965*)

No 150. 1 Jul 1994. Planning application for single storey side and ground and first floor front extension. Conversion of garage into habitable room. Front dormer window (*Barnet Council N06102/A*)

No 150. 9 Dec 1994. Planning application for single storey front extension (*Barnet Council N06102/B*)

Nos ?? 71 Dec 1931. Application approved for 17 houses opposite Queens Well (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 151 (Penarrow). In 1929 there was a house called Penarrow (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 151. 12 Sep 1933. Application approved for garage and morning room and bedroom (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 151. 9 Jun 1987. Planning application for 2 vehicle access (*Barnet Council N/08088/B*)

No 151. 5 Jul 2002 & 17 Jun 2003 & 5 Aug 2003. Planning application for 2 storey detached house on site adjoining (*Barnet Council N/08088/D/02*)

No 151. 18 May 2004. Planning application for additional vehicle crossover and access. Install gates/railings to match existing (*Barnet Council N/08088/G/04*)

No 151a. 2 Nov 2001. Planning application for demolition of existing single storey extension to no 151 and erect detached 2 storey single family dwelling on land adjoining (*Barnet Council N/08088/C/01*)

No 151a. 7 Nov 2006. Planning application for demolition conservatory at rear (*Barnet Council N/08088/H/05*)

No 152. Jun - Jul 1925. Planning application for house (W Gent, Greenbank, Friern Barnet Lane, owner, E J Reynolds, 54 Beaconsfield Road) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02259*) & No ? 19 Jun 1925. Application approved for detached house (W Gent) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 152 (Fairways). In 1929 there was a house here called Fairways (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 152 (The Spinney). 9 Jun 1949. Application approved for additional sanitary accommodation (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 152 (The Spinney). 10 Dec 1957. Application approved for covered way (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 152 (The Spinney). 22 Sep 2002. There is a sign outside saying: "Land for Development" (*David Berguer, FB&DLHS*)

Nos 152 and 152a. November 2004. The new houses have been completed and sold and were inhabited in November (*Marilyn Testar FB&DLHS*)

No 152a (Clearwater House). 17 Feb 2009. Planning application for demolition of existing rail fencing and erection of new front boundary wall and railings including landscaping drive hardsurfacing to front (*Barnet Council B/00529/09*)

No 152a (Clearwater House). 13 Apr 2015. Planning application for alterations to hard/soft landscaping to rear garden (retrospective Application) (*Barnet Council 15/01988/HSE*)

No 152. 10 Feb 2010. New front wall and hard surface being built (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 152a (Clearwater House). 15 Jan 2015. Planning application for retention of a single storey rear extension, raised terrace and associated landscaping at rear garden area (*Barnet Council 15/00137/HSE*)

No 153 (Billbrooke). In 1929 there was a house called Billbrooke (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 153. 2 Feb 1996. Planning application for use of ground floor for child minding (*Barnet Council N/05638/D*)

No 153a. 12 Nov 1957. Application approved for detached house and garage (D P O'Neill, 14a Wrotham Road, agent W D S Mcnaney, 142 Palmers Road, surveyor) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04924*)

No 153a. 31 Oct 2017. Planning application for erection of 2 two-storey front extensions following conversion of existing internal garage and demolition of single storey front extension and removal of first floor balcony to front elevation. New front door with new access steps. Part single, part two-storey rear extension with new access steps following demolition of existing single storey side/rear extension. Extension to roof including 1 front dormer window and 2 rear dormer windows. Replacement of existing hipped roof with new crown roof including raising the ridge height and erection of 1 additional chimney to side elevation. New raised patio area to rear garden (*Barnet Council 17/6698/HSE*)

No 153 (rear of). 22 Apr 2021. Planning application for construction of 3 two-storey dwelling houses with rooms in the roofspace. Associated amenity space, landscaping and parking (*Barnet Council 21/2109/FUL*)

No 154 (Woodstock). In 1929 there was a house here called Woodstock (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 154. 9 Sep 1953. Application approved for vehicular crossing (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 154. 14 Sep 1954. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 154. 10 Sep 1963. Application approved for glazed veranda (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 154. 30 Jul 1986. Planning application for front boundary wall (*Barnet Council N/08039/A*)

No 154. 15 Jun 2006. Planning application for alteration to rear elevation (*Barnet Council N/08039/A*)

No 154. 13 Dec 2006. A skip outside (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 155 (Haldon). In 1929 there was a house called Haldon (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 155. 18 Feb 2002. Planning application for 2 storey detached house on land at rear of no 155 (*Barnet Council N/01216/J/02*)

No 155. 4 May 2007. Planning application for 2 storey detached house on land at rear of no 155 (*Barnet Council N/01216/K/07*)

No 155. 15 Jul 2015. Planning application for roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer window with 3 rooflights to front and new gable window to side elevation to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council 15/04426/192*)

No 155. 3 Sep 2015. Planning application for part single, part two storey side and rear extension following demolition of garage. Installation of railed gates to front (*Barnet Council 15/05497/HSE*)

Nos 155 - 155a. 23 Jan 1996. Planning application for one 5 bed house to rear of 155 and 155a (*Barnet Council 01216/E*)

Nos 155a. 30 Apr 2001. Planning application for single storey side/rear extension and part single, part 2 storey side/rear extension (*Barnet Council N/01216/G/00*)

No 155a. 5 Dec 2001. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory (*Barnet Council N/01216/H/01*)

No 155a. 5 Jun 2003. New iron railings and gate at front (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 155a (Friars Corner). 3 Nov 2008. Planning application for first floor front extension. Replacement of existing UPVC windows (*Barnet Council B/04106/08*)

No 155. 6 Apr 2021. Planning application for single storey side/rear extension. Conversion of existing garage into habitable space. Replacement of existing door with window. Erection of garage at side elevation (*Barnet Council 21/1965/HSE*)

No 157. Jun 1913. Planning application for house (H Eden Sutton, 28 Queens Avenue, Whetstone) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01552*) & No ? 6 Jun 1913. Application approved for detached house (H E Sutton) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 157 (Gowanlea). In 1929 there was a house called Gowanlea (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 157. 17 Nov 1992. Planning application for extension to garage (*Barnet Council N/08932/D*)

No 157. 13 Dec 2001. A garage is being built, attached to the northern side of the house at the corner of St James Avenue (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 157. 1 Apr 2003. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory (*Barnet Council N/08932/F/03*)

No 157. 7 Oct 2009. Alterations taking place to the front elevation, including new UPVC windows (*David Berquer FB&DLHS*)

No 157. 25 Mar 2010. Planning application for single storey extension to existing garage (*Barnet Council B/01053/10*)

No 157. 6 Feb 2013. Planning application for single storey outbuilding in rear garden following demolition of existing garage (*Barnet Council B/00464/13*)

No 157.26 Mar 2020. Planning application for single storey rear extension with 1no roof lantern, following demolition of existing conservatory (*Barnet Council 20/1566/HSE*)

No 159. Feb - Mar 1913. Planning application for house (H Eden Sutton, 20 Queens Avenue, Whetstone, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01539*) & No ? 10 Jan 1913. Application approved for house (H E Sutton) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 159 (Invergordon). 12 Mar 1926. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 159. 6 Apr 1954. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 159. 15 Sep 1965. Planning application for alterations to kitchen and dining room (*Barnet Council Minutes 15 Sep 1965*)

No 159. 15 Sep 1965. Planning application approved for rear, fronting St James Avenue, front extension to existing garage (*Barnet Council Minutes 15 Sep 1965*)

No 159. 14 Feb 1957 & 10 Sep 1957. Application approved for detached bungalow and garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 159. 26 Jan 1966. Planning application for garage extension (*Barnet Council Minutes 26 Jan 1966 BN 601*)

No 159. 3 Apr 1987. Planning application for vehicle access (*Barnet Council N/00163/D*)

No 159. 2 Oct 1987. Planning application for garage at side with new vehicle access (*Barnet Council N/00163/C*)

No 159 (rear of). 8 Mar 2018. Planning application for erection of a detached dwelling house (bungalow) with integral garage (*Barnet Council 18/1451/FUL*)

No 159 (rear of). 23 Feb 2022. Planning application for erection of a bungalow (*Barnet Council 0989/FUL*)

No 161. Jan - Feb 1913. Planning application for house (H E Sutton, Queens Avenue, Whetstone, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01534*) & No ? 7 Feb 1913. Application approved for detached house (H E Sutton) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 163 - 165. Dec 1935 - Sep 1926. Planning application for houses (H Seymour Couchman & Sons, 520 High Road, Tottenham, architects) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02333*)

No 163 (Rathlyn). 22 Feb 1927. Application approved for addition (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 163 (Rathlyn). 22 Apr 1927. Application approved for addition (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 165 (Glenariff). In 1929 there was a house called Glenariff (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 165. 12 Mar 1953. Application approved for reinstatement after damage by **explosion** together with additional bedroom over existing garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & No 165. Mar-May 1953. Planning application for house (H Seymour Couchman & Sons, 520 High Road, Tottenham, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04337*)

No 165. 7 Jun 2010. Planning application for formation of front boundary wall and gates (*Barnet Council B/02050/10*)

No 165. 13 Oct 2021. Planning application for conversion of existing outbuilding into 3 self-contained flats (*Barnet Council 21/5380/191*)

No 167 (Badminton). 13 Jun 1919. Application approved for motor shed (Collins Builders) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 167. 22 Jul 1988. Planning application for front entrance gate (*Barnet Council N/01403/E*)

No 167. 2 Mar 1990. Planning application for single storey front and side extension to double garage and convert to single garage, playroom and guest room (*Barnet Council N/01403/K*)

Nos 167 - 175. 23 Aug 1988. Planning application for erection of 3 houses ND 2 double garages (one for no 167) and access road on land at rear (*Barnet Council N/01403*)

No 167. 2 Mar 1990. Planning application for single storey front and side extension to double garage and convert to single garage, playroom and guest room (*Barnet Council N/01403/K*)

No 167. 6 May 2004. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory (*Barnet Council N/01403/L/04*)

No 167 (The Old Bishop's House). 16 Mar 2009. Planning application for conversion of single storey building to rear of no 167 to self-contained one-bedroom flat fronting Golfside Close and provision of one parking space and integral garage ( (*Barnet Council B/00917/09*)

No 167. 16 Mar 2009. Planning application for conversion of single storey building to rear of no 167 to self-contained one bed flat fronting Golfside Close and provision of one parking space in integral garage (*Barnet Council B/00917/09*)

No 167. 22 Jun 2015. Planning application for extensions to roof involving extension to 1 dormer window to south elevation, 1 new dormer window to the north elevation, 2 new rooflights to front and rear elevations and changes to fenestration. Alterations to outbuilding involving changes to fenestration (*Barnet Council 15/03557/HSE*)

No 167. 8 Sep 2015. Planning application for roof extensions involving side dormer windows to both sides with 2 rear and 1 side rooflights. Raised existing terrace with associated stairs to the terrace. Alterations to north and south side fenestration ( *Barnet Council 15/05629/HSE*)

No 167. 17 Feb 2016. Planning application for raising of existing rear terrace and associated works (*Barnet Council 16/1034/HSE*)

No 167. 3 Feb 2020. Planning application for front extension to existing rear outbuilding (*Barnet Council 20/0478/192*)

No 167. 22 Jul 2020. Planning application for use of existing rear building as a dwelling (*Barnet Council 20/3318/191*)

No 169 (Brockville). In 1929 there was a house called Brockville (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 169. 13 Jul 2002. Planning application for single storey side extension (*Barnet Council 20/3135/192*)

No 169. 20 Jul 2020. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 4.48 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 3.00 metres and maximum height of 3.00 metres (*Barnet Council 20/3276/PNH*)

No 169. 1 Oct 2020. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council 20/4269/HSE*)

No 169. 27 Jan 2022. Planning application for installation of raised patio and garden fencing (*Barnet Council 22/0415/HSE*)

No 171 (West View). 22 Oct 1926. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 171. 15 Dec 1989. Planning application for single storey front extension to existing garage (*Barnet Council N/01048/B*)

No 171. 11 Jul 1990. Planning application for widening vehicle access (*Barnet Council N/01048/C*)

Nos 173 - 175. Apr - Jun 1913. Planning application for houses (Arthur Collins, Cheriton, Friern Barnet Lane, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01549*) & No ? 6 Jun 1913. Application approved for 2 semi-detached houses (A Collins) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 173 (Cheriton). Ronald Felix Collins, Flight Sub-lieutenant, 10th Squadron, Royal Naval Air Service, died 28 April 1917, aged 21, buried Adinkerke Churchyard, Belgium. Ronald was born in Crouch End, younger son of Arthur and Beatrice Collins. By 1911 the family had moved to Cheriton, Friern Barnet Lane. Ronald's father was a house builder's contractor and, at the age of 15, Ronald was working as a motor engineer. By November 1914 he was already serving in France. 10<sup>th</sup> Squadron was formed in February 1917 in an expansion programme of the RNAS to assist the RFC. (*Parish of Friern Barnet War Graves and Memorials. Page 10*)

No 173 (Cheriton). In 1929 there was a house called Cheriton (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 173. 15 Jul 1988. Planning application for single storey front and side addition to form garage and entrance porch (*Barnet Council N/08880/B*)

No 173. 8 Jan 2019. Planning application for conversion of existing dwelling into 2 dwellings (*Barnet Council 18/6821/FUL*)

No 175 (Henleaze). In 1929 there was a house called Henleaze (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)



No 175. 6 Jul 1966. Planning application for conversion of existing dwelling to 2 self-contained flats (*W C Meyer (Barnet Council Minutes N614)*)

No 175. 2 Feb 2015. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council 15/00490/HSE*)

No 177 (Kenmore). 7 May 1915. Application approved for temporary building Mr Dove) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 177 (Kenmore). 17 Apr 1925. Application approved for additions (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 177 (Kenmore). 23 Oct 1925. Application approved for extension of temporary garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 177 - 179. Sep - Oct 1911. Planning application for houses (Arthur Collins, Cheriton, Friern Barnet Lane) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01428*) & No ? 6 Oct 1911. Application approved for 2 semi-detached houses (A Collins) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 177 (Kenmore). 7 May 1915. Application approved for temporary building Mr Dove) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 177. 7 Mar 1995. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/04808/B*)

No 179 (Clarendon). In 1929 there was a house called Clarendon (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 179. 15 Apr 1952. Application approved for ground floor cloakroom and toilet in first floor bathroom (*Friern Barnet UDC*)

No 179. 2 Mar 2000. Planning application for single storey room attached to garage (*Barnet Council N12364/00*)

No 179. 14 Nov 2000. Planning application for dormer window to front gable projection (*Barnet Council N/12364/A/00*)

No 179. 20 Dec 2007. Planning application for dormer window on front projection facing no 177 (*Barnet Council N/12364/B/07*)

No 180 (The Cottage). In 1929 there was a house here called The Cottage (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

#### **No 180. See NORTH MIDDLESEX GOLF CLUB**

No 181. May - Jul 1911. Planning application for house (Arthur Collins, Cheriton, Friern Barnet Lane, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01412*) & No ? 7 Jul 1911. Application approved for detached house (A Collins) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 181 (Pembury). 26 Mar 1920. Application approved for alterations (Mr A Bassett) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 181 (Pembury). 21 Sep 1928. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 181. 10 Apr 1962. Application approved to convert existing 13- room house into 2 self-contained flats and double garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & No 181. Apr 1962. Planning application for conversion of house into flats (H A Ponting, owner, submitted by K P Roberts, 17 Verulam Road, St Albans, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/05617*)

No 181 (Pembury). This is named Pembury (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 183 (Barrington). In 1929 there was a house called Barrington (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

Nos 183 - 185. Oct - Nov 1910. Planning application for houses (Arthur Collins, Cheriton, Friern Barnet Lane) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01345*) & Nos ?? 4 Nov 1910. Application approved for 2 semi-detached houses (Mr A Collins) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 183. 7 Nov 1961. Application approved for use of ground floor as child minding nursery (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 185 (Grasmere). In 1929 there was a house called Grasmere (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 185. 5 Jun 1952. Application approved to convert box room into bathroom (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 185. 7 Nov 1961. Application approved for conservatory (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 185. 4 May 2021. Planning application for single storey side and rear extensions (*Barnet Council 21/2465/HSE*)

No 185. 27 Jan 2022. Planning application for single Storey Rear Extension with a proposed depth of 6.00 metres, a maximum height of 3.30 metres and an eaves height of 3.00 metres (*Barnet Council 22/0392/PNH*)

No 187 (Fairstead). Oct - Nov 1910. Planning application for house (Arthur Collins, Cheriton, Friern Barnet Lane) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01346*) & Nos ?? 4 Nov 1910. Application approved for a detached house (Mr A Collins) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 187 (Fairstead). 1 Dec 1911. Application approved for addition (Mr A Collins) piggeries (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 187. Date on a rainwater hopper in the front of the house is 1911 (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 187 (Fairstead). 20 Mar 1930. Application approved for addition (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 187. 29 Apr 1988. Planning application for construction of mansard roof over single storey side and rear extension to form residential accommodation (*Barnet Council N/00601/D*)

No 187. 25 Sep 1996. Planning application for freestanding double glazed conservatory, single building to enclose existing swimming pool (*Barnet Council N/00601/E*)

No 189. 8 Jun 1954. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 189. 8 Jun 1954. Application approved for ground floor cloakroom and garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 189. 8 Nov 1960. Application approved for boiler house at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 189. 7 Apr 2010. Planning application for installation of front gates, boundary wall and railings (*Barnet Council B/01185/10*)

No 189. 10 Sep 2010. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council B/03399/10*)

No 189. 8 Feb 2011. Planning application for single storey rear extension and new front porch. Formation of front entrance gates ( *Barnet Council B/00616/11*)

No 189. 8 Aug 2011. Planning application for single storey rear extension. New front porch (*Barnet Council B/03402/11*)

No 189. 31 Oct 2011. Planning application for construction of a single storey building (store/workshop/outbuilding) in rear garden, ancillary to existing dwelling) (*Barnet Council B/04455/11*)

No 189. 16 Feb 2016. Planning application for conversion of outbuilding to a residential studio (*Barnet Council 16/0956/FUL*)

No 191 (Maesteg). In 1929 there was a house called Maesteg (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 191. 11 Mar 1958. Application approved for toilet on ground floor (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 193 (Kildare). According to the deeds of the house it was erected in 1906

No 193 (Kildare). 12 Sep 1961. Application approved for demolition of existing garage and outbuildings and erection of double garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 195 (Airedale). As this house is the twin of number 193, it too would have been built in 1906. It was named Airedale

No 195 (Airedale). 18 Dec 1951. Application approved for greenhouse (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 197 (Marne). 5 Nov 1915. Application approved for additions (Mr Dixon) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 197. 7 Jul 1951. Application approved to convert into 2 flats (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 197. 6 Sep 1996. Planning application for single storey front extension to garage (*Barnet Council N/00224/A*)

No 199. Apr 1927. Planning application for house (H Seymour Couchman, 520 High Road, Tottenham, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02555*) & No ? 22 Apr 1927. Application approved for house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 199. 22 Jan 1990. Planning application for single storey side extension (*Barnet Council N/02855/A*)

No 199. 31 Jan 2010. This house is named St Aubyns (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 199. 6 Sep 2012. Planning application for reconfiguration of internal walls and replacement of existing flat roof with pitched roof ( (*Barnet Council B/03323/12*)

Nos 201 - 203. Jun - Jul 1908. Planning application for houses (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01123*)

No 201 (Carn Marth). In 1929 there was a house called Carn Marth (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 201. 21 Nov 2016. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 4 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 2.5 metres and maximum height of 3.4 metres (*Barnet Council 16/7404/PNH*)

No 203 (Woodberry). In 1929 there was a house called Woodberry (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 203. 25 Mar 2002. Planning application for loft conversion including side dormer window and party wall extension (*Barnet Council N/07310/A/02*)

No 203. 13 Feb 2003. Major building work, scaffolding etc. Loft conversion? (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 203. 29 Apr 2003. Planning application for single storey side extension (*Barnet Council N/07310/F/03*)

No 203. 11 Feb 2016. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a maximum depth of 4 metres from the original rear wall. Eaves height of 3 metres and maximum height of 3 metres (*Barnet Council 16/0958/PNH*)

No 205. Oct 1933 - Feb 1935. Planning application for house (Leak & Shepherd, 21 Netherlands Road, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03075*)

No 205. 17 Feb 1987. Planning application for single storey side extension, porch and conversion into 2 flats (*Barnet Council N/08562*)

No 205. 16 Mar 1989. Planning application for single storey front, side and rear extension (*Barnet Council N/08562/C*)

No 205. 23 Jan 2003. Planning application for loft conversion including rear dormer window (*Barnet Council N/08562/03*)

No 205. 16 May 2016. Planning application for single storey rear extension following demolition of existing sheds, associated landscaping ( (*Barnet Council 16/3172/HSE*)

No 207. 12 Jan 1954 & 9 Mar 1954 & 6 Apr 1954. Application approved for detached house and garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & Mar 1954. Planning application for house and garage (submitted by Charles Kenet & Company Ltd, 236a Green Lanes) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04460*)

No 207. 13 Oct 1953 & 9 Nov 1954. Application approved for double garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 207. 13 Nov 1997. Planning application for 6 foot brick wall to rear (*Barnet Council N/01140/A*)

No 207. 24 Oct 2003. Planning application for front porch (*Barnet Council N/01140/B/03*)

No 207. 23 Jun 2005. Planning application for 2 storey side and single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/01140/05*)

No 207. Mar 1954. Planning application for house and garage (Charles Kenet & Co Ltd, 236a Green Lane, N13, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04447*)

No 207. Apr 1954 - Apr 1955. Planning application for house and garage (D H Blyth, 85 Hedge Lane, Palmers Green, owner, Kenet & Co, Ltd, 238a Green Lanes, N13, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04460*)

No 207 (Meera Cottage). This is named Meera Cottage (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

School House. 7 Apr 1911. Application approved for sheds at rear (*Rev E G Hall*) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 209. All Saints' School. 1 Jul 1994. Planning application for removal of flat roofs to rear boiler room/store area and provide new pitched roof (*Barnet Council N/04425/D*)

No 209. All Saints' School. 4 Feb 2002. Planning application for single storey rear extension and extend canopy to play area by 2 bays (*Barnet Council N/04425/D/02*) Planning application for internal alterations, replacement of wooden palisade fencing and entrance gate to front of building with gate and fencing of same height and remove garden shed (*Barnet Council N/04425/E/03*)

No 209. All Saints' School. 8 Aug 2003. Planning application to enlarge car park, install play equipment new fencing and resurface hardstanding (*Barnet Council N/04425/F/03*)

No 209. All Saints' School. 23 Oct 2003. This has now reopened as Academy 4Kids (day nursery?) (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

Nos 213 – 215 (Lawrence Campe Almshouses). 7 Sep 2015. Planning application for external redecoration and repairs to existing terrace of Almshouses, including re-roofing and repairs to brickwork (*Barnet Council 15/05573/LBC*)

No 213. 7 Jan 2016. Planning application for repointing of existing brickwork ( (*Barnet Council 15/07761/LBC*)

No 221 (Lawrence Campe Almshouses). This is Grade II listed by Historic England (formerly English Heritage)

No 221 (Lawrence Campe Almshouses). 14 Jun 1978. Planning application for two storey block of 12 flats on land at rear (*Barnet Council N4792A*)

No 221 (Lawrence Campe Almshouses). No date. The Lawrence Campe houses in Friern Barnet Lane are to have up to £15,000 spent on restoring their external fabric. The brick and stone houses were built in 1622 to provide housing for the needy of the parish. They still provide this service today administered by the Rector and Wardens of St James Church supported by 4 other local trustees. Originally endowed by a wealthy Londoner Lawrence Campe, the buildings have needed refurbishing twice in the past and are now in need of further attention. The Heritage Trust of London have said they will pay the cost although they would like to see the venture supported by local businesses (*Local Advertiser. Date unknown*)

No 221 (Lawrence Campe Almshouse). 16 Dec 1982. Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher, MP for Finchley, on Saturday unveiled a plaque commemorating the restoration of the Lawrence Campe almshouses in Friern Barnet Lane, Whetstone, and spoke to elderly residents. Chatting with 84-year old Winifred Martin in one of the flats, Mrs Thatcher said: "I hope that no one from the Gas Board is around to hear this, but I think you are much better off with electricity." To 90- year old Annie Lush, who sat protected from the cold by a blanket waiting to present a bouquet she said: "You go inside and I'll come in and visit you." The almshouses, which date back to 1612, have been rescued from a state of disrepair by a £17,000 restoration paid for by Heritage of London Trust with generous assistance from local firms and local people, William Bell, chairman of the Trust, said "the occasion was important as the first undertaking to be completed by the newly formed Trust." Mrs Thatcher was welcomed by the Mayor of Barnet, Cllr Vic Usher and Trust officials. (*Barnet Independent 16 Dec 1982*)

No 221 (Lawrence Campe Almshouses). The row of almshouses listed under the Town & Country Planning Act of 1962 because of architectural and historical interest was built by Lawrence Campe, a City of London draper in 1612. By indenture he gave the seven poor occupants 12 pence each a month in perpetuity and 4 shillings a year to the church wardens of St James to manage the charity with an additional sum of £1 6s 8d a year to keep the houses in repair. The whole amount was provided from a rent charge on an estate in Hertfordshire. The 2 storey houses are of stone dressed red brick in the Late Perpendicular or Tudor style. They were renovated in 1843 and largely rebuilt in 1899 to celebrate Queen Victoria's Jubilee. The arms of the City of London and the Drapers Company (*Barnet Civic News*)

No 221 (Lawrence Campe Almshouses). Dec 1982. The Prime Minister, Mrs Margaret Thatcher, unveiling a plaque marking the restoration of the Lawrence Campe almshouses on Saturday. "I have always found them extremely beautiful she said of the 17th century almshouses in Friern Barnet Lane, Whetstone. Mr William Bell, chairman of the Trust and Greater London Council member for Chelsea, said: "I am glad that our first project should be situated in outer London as it highlights that there are many fine buildings beyond the central area." The sun shone as Mrs Thatcher drew a green curtain away from the plaque, in the presence of the Mayor of Barnet, Cr Vic Usher, and his wife, Mima. "There is a very deep and fundamental strain in British character which wishes not only to talk about our concern for our fellow men and women but wishes to do

something practical as well” said Mrs Thatcher. These houses have been provided in beautiful form and have given us pleasure for many years,” she continued. “If you’re really interested in the future you’re interested in keeping our history so it may be alive for future generations.” The almshouses were restored 200 years ago. Mrs Thatcher expressed the hope that this restoration would last as long. Chairman of the Lawrence Campe Almshouses Trust, Mr Don Halstead, announced the building of 12 new units at the back of the almshouses will start in early spring. Local firms and people who have given assistance to the project are STC, Markheath Securities, V A T Watkins, National Car Parks, The Drapers Company, Nr Ronald Hobson, Mrs Ivy Burvill, Mrs Hart, Mr Baxter and Mrs Bird (*Barnet Press? Probably Dec 1982. Newspaper cutting*)

No 221 (?). 1 Dec 1982. Planning application for 7 detached and semi-detached houses with integral garages on surplus land adjoining Lawrence Campe Almshouses (*Barnet Council N1346J/HQ478G*)

No 221 (Lawrence Campe Almshouses ). Mar 2016. The almshouses are being completely repointed (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 239 (Railway Clearing House). Jun - Jul 1921. Planning application for sports pavilion (Railway Clearing House, 132 Seymour Street, Euston Square submitted by Herbert A Bishop, Roanaoake, Nether street, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01759*)

No 239. 1937. This is described as Railway Clearing House Athletic Club with a rateable value of £168 (*Friern Barnet UDC Rate Book 1936-37*)

No 239 (Railway Clearing House Ground). 6 Jul 1950. Application approved for sports pavilion (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 239 (Railway Clearing House Ground), Glebe Field. 6 Jul 1950. Application approved for 3 huts for classrooms (Middlesex County Council) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 243 (Butleigh). 21 Sep 1928. Application approved for 4 houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 243 (Butleigh). In 1929 there was a house called Butleigh (*Kelly’s Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 243 (Hyde Court). Hyde Court was opened by Margaret Thatcher in 1987 (*Hilary Paddon, resident and FB&DLHS member*)

No 244. Sep - Oct 1907. Planning application for house (L Roome, Athenaeum Road, F W Shenton, Finsbury Pavement) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01041*)

No 244 (The Lindens) 3 Aug 1923. Application approved for 8 semi-detached houses on west side (Bruce Oram) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 244 (The Lindens). 17 Jan 1957. Application approved for toilet in first floor bathroom (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 244 (Links Court). 16 Jul 1969. Planning application for 12 flats and 12 garages (*Barnet Council N/01768c*)

No 245. 12 Feb 1953. Application approved for use as a Day Nursery (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 246. A wardens’ post was built during the War. This comprised twelve-inch reinforced concrete or 13-inch brick wall with a six-inch roof, measured not less than 8’ x 6’ by 8’ high. It was built by the Raglan Building Company at a cost of £59. It had 3 chairs, 1 table and 1 15-watt bulb a 40-watt radio receiver and 1 600-watt electric fire (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 246. This was the ARP headquarters during the War. Commander Thurlow lived here (*The Front Line. Friern Barnet Civil Defence Magazine. Mar 1941*)

No 246 (Friern Lodge). 10 Oct 1946. This was requisitioned by the Council on 23 Sep 1946 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 246 (Friern Lodge). 5 Apr 1951. Application approved for demolition of Friern Lodge and adjoining cottage and erection of 48 flats (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & No 246. Sep 1951. Planning application for flats (Matthew James & Co, 24 Violet Road, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04133*)

No 246. 9 Oct 1951. House is nearing completion (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)  
No 246 - 256. This is Friern Court

No 246 - 256 (Friern Court). 7 Apr 2015. Planning application for the addition of five new electrical intake cupboards to the rear elevations of blocks 1-48 (*Barnet Council 15/02155/FUL*)

No 246 - 256 (Friern Court). 4 Feb 2008. One wing of Friern Court is covered with scaffolding and blue netting (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 246 – 256 (Friern Court). 31 Aug 2017. Planning application for demolition of 10 existing garages and erection of a four-storey building comprising 12 residential units with associated car parking, access, cycle storage, refuse storage and landscaping (*Barnet Council 17/5615/FUL*)

No 246 – 256 (Friern Court). 10 Sep 2019. Non-material amendments to planning permission ref 17/5615/FUL for “demolition of 10 existing garages and erection of a four-storey building comprising 12 residential units with associated car parking, access, cycle storage, refuse storage and landscaping. Amendments to include rewording of conditions 14 and 15 (*Barnet Council 19/4951/NMA*)

No 246 - 256 (Friern Court). 28 May 2020. Planning application for erection of a three-storey building plus accommodation in the roofspace, to accommodate 11 residential units with associated car parking, new access, cycle storage, refuse storage, and landscaping, following demolition of 10 existing garages ( (*Barnet Council 20/2339/FUL*)

No 246-256 (Friern Court). 13 Oct 2002. Planning application for Non-material amendment to planning permission 20/2339/FUL dated 28/09/20 for 'Erection of a three-storey building plus accommodation in the roofspace, to accommodate 11 no residential units with associated car parking, new access, cycle storage, refuse storage, and landscaping, following demolition of 13 existing garages.' Amendment to include changing the wording of condition 24 to read 'Notwithstanding the details shown in the drawings submitted and otherwise hereby approved, prior to the first occupation of the new dwellinghouse(s) (Use Class C3) permitted under this consent one unit at ground floor shall have been constructed to meet and achieve all the relevant criteria of Part M4(3) of Schedule 1 to the Building Regulations 2010 (or the equivalent standard in such measure of accessibility and adaptability for house design which may replace that scheme in future). All other units at ground floor level only shall all have been constructed to meet and achieve all the relevant criteria of Part M4(2) of Schedule 1 to the Building Regulations 2010, and all other units shall be constructed in accordance with M4(1) of the Building Regulations. The development shall be maintained as such in perpetuity thereafter' (*Barnet Council 20/4827/NMA*)

Nos 249. Mar 1904. Planning application for houses J Sweet, White Lodge, Oakleigh Park, agent) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00872*) & Nos ?? 21 Mar 1904. Application approved for 2 semi-detached houses (Mr J Sweet) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 249 (The Lilacs) 13 Nov 2008. The name of this house is Lilacs (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 249. 7 Dec 2009. Planning application for part single, part two storey rear extension (*Barnet Council B/04473/09*)

No 249. 31 Jul 2017. Planning application for single storey rear extension (Mr Femi Oye, 249 Friern Barnet Lane, N20 0ND, agent Mr Alan Brown, 99 Great North Road, AL9 5LP) (*Barnet Council 17/4924/HSE*)

No 251 (Clovelly). In 1929 there was a house called Clovelly (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1929*)

No 251. 13 Jan 1959 & 14 Jul 1959. Application approved for one block of 6 flats and 6 garages on land adjoining (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 253 - 255. Nov - Dec 1932 .Planning application for houses (F Riley, 101 Station Road, Church End, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03001*)

No 253. 7 Jun 1955. Application approved for conversion of existing house into 2 self-contained flats and erection of 1 detached house on land adjoining (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 253. 10 Oct 1986. Planning application for part single, part 2 storey side extension incorporating garage (*Barnet Council N/08444*)

No 253. 13 Jan 1987. Planning application for single garage (*Barnet Council N/01058/C*)

No 253. 29 Sep 1999. Planning application for part single, part 2 storey side extension (*Barnet Council N/08444/02*)

No 253. 23 Sep 2005. Planning application for alterations to roof to include extension of pitch roof across existing flat roof and rear dormer window to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council N/01140/D/05*)

No 253. 23 May 2008. New hardstanding in front (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 253. 10 Sep 2008. The outside is being rendered and a small porch is being constructed (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 256. 23 Oct 2003. A tiny cottage with red-brick hard standing in front garden (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

Nos 257. Mar 1904. Planning application for houses J Sweet, White Lodge, Oakleigh Park, agent) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00872*) & Nos ?? 21 Mar 1904. Application approved for 2 semi-detached houses (Mr J Sweet) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 257 - 283. Sep-Nov 1932. Planning application for houses and garages (W A Peake, owner, submitted by J Montague Gameson, Surveyor, Harwood a Nash, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/01/08025*)

No 258. 22 Aug 2017. Planning application for roof extension involving rear dormer window, 2 rear and 1 front rooflights (*Barnet Council 17/5421/HSE*)

No 259. 13 Nov 1952. Application approved for vehicular access to garage (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

Nos 259 - 261. 7 Jan 2004. Planning application to widen existing crossover (*Barnet Council N/03944/K/04*)

No 263. 5 Dec 2014. Planning application for hip to gable roof extension with enlargement of existing 1 rear dormer window and insertion of 2 additional front facing roof lights, increase height of existing parapet wall and replacement of roof lantern. Single storey rear outbuilding and associated landscaping (*Barnet Council 14/07762/FUL*)

No 264. 29 Sep 1999. Planning application for single storey side/rear extension and front canopy to garage projection (*Barnet Council N/12212*)

No 265. Mar 1933. Planning application for house (W A Peake, 12 Mill Hill Way, Mill submitted by H A Nash, Holme Lodge, Oakleigh Park South, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03021*)



No 265. 31 Aug 2021. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council 21/4743/HSE*)

No 265. 31 Jan 2022. Planning application for roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer window and 2 front facing rooflights (*Barnet Council 22/0416/192*)

Nos 266 - 270. These were built AD 1865 according to plaque on building (*David Berguer FB&DLHS May 2002*)

Nos 266 - 270. This terrace of three two-storey cottages has a datestone of 1865. In original dark brick, the cottages have string courses in contrasting red brick and other contrasting brick patterning. Windows are set within three original roof gables that have carved ornamental barge boards. Entrance doors are round arched, two at the front and one at the side, with projecting porches, which again are decorated with carved white barge boards. All of the cottages are in a good state of originality and intactness (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 267. A boundary marker is outside number 267 denoting the boundary between Finchley and Friern Barnet

No 267. Mrs Kershaw was Chairman of the Salvage Committee during the War (*The Front Line, Friern Barnet Civil Defence Magazine Mar 1941. Page 10*)

No 269. 9 Sep 1953. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 269. 8 May 2017. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 6 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 2.9 metres and maximum height of 3.7 metres (*Barnet Council 17/2975/PNH*)

No 271. Mar 1933. Planning application for house (W A Peake, 12 Mill Hill Way, Mill Hill, submitted by H A Nash, Holme Lodge, Oakleigh Park South, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives vLMA/4070/02/03021*)

No 271. 9 Oct 1962. Application approved for additional wc on ground floor (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 272. **Sherwood Street** is built on part of the old Finchley Common. The enclosure map of 1811 shows that a field called the Mead had been taken out and used for growing grass and hay. It was owned in 1841 by William Bass, who was a blacksmith and had a forge behind the Three Horseshoes pub. He would have used the field for his horse. The 1871 Ordnance Survey map shows **Rasper Road**, the Green (later **Green Road**) and what was to become Sherwood Street all existing but with only a few houses. Sherwood Street was developed between 1880 and 1890. The street was designed as an architectural whole and is symmetrical. The houses were originally let to rent at 106 6s a week – a higher than average price for the time for what was considered to be good class houses, having mains water and gas pipes built into the brickwork. The first occupant (in 1891) of number 8 of whom there is a record is Mrs Hill, followed by Arthur Crowsley in 1896. The first purpose-built infant school in the district was built at the junction of Sherwood Street and Friern Barnet Lane. The money was put up by John Miles. The first teacher in November 1859 was Marion Head aged 20 who had her 13- year old sister to help her. Their combined salary was £30 per year, with a house and coal provided free. In 1864 they were allowed free gas partly because the school teacher's house was attached to the school and did not have a separate supply. In 1883 it was decided to rent the school to St John's Church, who continued to use it until a new school was built in Britannia Road. It was used as a Parish Room until a new hall and social centre was built further along Friern Barnet Lane. The old school was demolished in the 1930s to be replaced by Thorne Printing Works (*John Heathfield FB&DLHS*)

Nos 272 - 276. Aug 1931 - Apr 1932. Planning application for garages and flats (Nugent & Sons, owners, agent C J Mander, 20 Clifton Avenue, Finchley, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/01/07702*)

No 272. 19 Feb 2003. Planning application for use of part of premises for jewellery manufacturing (Class B2) (*Barnet Council N/01210/E/03*)

No 272. 26 Nov 2003. The building (formerly Thorne Printing Works) has been refurbished on the outside (and presumably on the inside too). It is now called The House of Williams (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 272. 13 May 2009. Planning application for part change of use from ground floor office at front of building to jewellery shop. External alterations to include new elongated window to front elevation (Jewellery Cave) (*Barnet Council B/01658/09*)

No 272. 28 Jun 2011. Planning application for installation of two non-illuminated aluminium tray signs (*Barnet Council B/02650/11*)

No 272. 19 Dec 2014. Planning application for conversion of property to provide 5 self-contained units including creation of pitched roof and dormer windows and rooflights. Provision for amenity space and refuse with associated works (*Barnet Council 14/07847/FUL*)

No 272 - 276. 30 Mar 2015. Planning application for erection of new roof level to facilitate conversion into 5 self-contained flats including alterations to fenestration and hard/soft landscaping (*Barnet Council 15/02020/FUL*)

No 272 – 276. 29 Jun 2016. Planning application for demolition of existing building and erection of a three-storey building with room in roofspace to provide 6 self-contained flats with associated landscaping, refuse and cycle storage (*Barnet Council 16/3824/FUL*)

No 272 – 276. 4 Feb 2017. Planning application for demolition of existing building and erection of a three-storey building with room in roofspace to provide 6 self-contained flats with associated landscaping, refuse and cycle storage (*Barnet Council 17/0662/FUL*)

No 272. 17 Mar 2020. Submission of details of condition 3a (materials for external surfaces and hard surfaced areas), condition 5a (cycle parking spaces and storage facilities), condition 6a (demolition and construction management and logistics plan), condition 7a (refuse and recycling collection strategy) pursuant to planning permission 19/4412/FUL dated 25/02/2020 (*Barnet Council 17/1443/CON*)

No 272 – 276. 30 Nov 2020. Planning application for installation of black uPVC windows (*Barnet Council 20/5648/FUL*)

No 272 (Jewellers Apartments). Planning application for addition of render finish to the external walls (*Barnet Council 22/1097/FUL*)

No 273. 1 Mar 2000. Planning application for single storey rear extension following demolition of existing garage and single storey projection (*Barnet Council N/12362/00*)

No 273. 19 Aug 2002. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory (*Barnet Council N/13324/02*)

Nos 274 - 276. This was where Thorne Printers were (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 275. 13 Jul 1998. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/11835*)

No 275. 11 Aug 2011. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council B/03381/11*)

No 278. 10 Sep 2008. A new roof is being put on (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

Nos 278 - 280. These are Selina Cottages (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

Nos 282 – 286 (Friern House). This appears on Barnet Council's Buildings of Local Architectural or Historic Interest

Nos 282 - 286 (Friern House). 26 Nov 1823. Friern House, Middlesex and 74 acres of Freehold Land. To be sold by auction on Thursday 2d of April 1824 unless previously disposed of by private contract, that capital freehold Mansion House, called The Friery, situate in the parish of Friern Barnet, in the County of Middlesex, and 74 acres of rich meadow and arable land, immediately surrounding the same. This estate is free of land tax, exempt from tithes so long as it remains in the hands and manurance of the owner, and distant from London about 8 miles. Permission to view and further particulars may be had of J Bostock, solicitor, George-street, Mansion-house, London (*The Times 26 Nov 1823*)

Nos 282 - 286 (Friern House). 6 Mar 1916. For auction by executors of J W Croke, deceased. Friern House. First Floor: 5 bedrooms, fitted bathroom, Ground floor: Drawing Room, Dining Room, Morning Room, Kitchen, Scullery. Sparrow & Son (*Barnet Archives. Auction brochure*)

No 282 - 286 (Friern House). 8 Jul 2002 & 2 Dec 2003 & 18 Mar 2005. Planning application for rebuilding and erection of coach house to form residential property and erection of 2 semi-detached dwellings on land fronting Rasper Road, rear of Friern House (*Barnet Council N/12981/A/02*)

No 282 – 286 (Friern House). This two-storey house was built in an early Victorian classical style and is shown on the 1863-5 Ordnance Survey map. Its wide frontage faces the road and has a curved carriage drive with separate entrance and exit with original front boundary wall, copings and brick gate posts. A central stone porch with square pillars supports a dentilated entablature with blocking course above, protecting a slightly recessed front door with a semi-circular fanlight. The plain yellow-brick facade has a tripartite ground-floor sash window on each side of the central entrance, with moulded surrounds and a dentilated entablature above. Three smaller two-over-two pane first-floor sash windows. The slate roof is low-pitched and hipped (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 283. 11 May 1989. Planning application for 2 storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council N/00341/E*)

No 283. 23 Aug 2016. Planning application for erection of two storey dwelling with associated parking, amenity space, cycle storage and refuse store at rear (*Barnet Council 16/4381/FUL*)

No 283. 10 Mar 2017. Planning application for creation of new vehicular access following removal of existing front wall and metal gate (*Barnet Council 17/1292/HSE*)

No 283. 18 Jan 2019. Planning application for conversion of both 283 and 283a into 4 self-contained flats including part single, part two storey side and rear extension. Demolition of existing rear extension. Roof extension involving rear dormer window, 1 rear and 2 front facing rooflights and new front porch. Associated parking, cycle store, refuse and recycling and amenity space gate (*Barnet Council 17/7546/FUL*)

Nos 285 - 291. Jun-Jul 1932. Planning application for houses (Harwood A Nash, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/01/07939*)

No 285. 6 Jun 1961. Application approved for single storey extension at side (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 288 - 298. 16 May 2014. These are Friern Place and the date is AD 1865 (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 289. 17 Apr 2019. Planning application for single storey rear extension. Conversion of the existing garage into habitable room (*Barnet Council 19/2279/HSE*)

No 291. 18 Apr 2017. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 4 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 2.8 metres and maximum height of 2.8 metres (*Barnet Council 17/2522/PNH*)

No 296. 18 Mar 2005. Roof work is taking place (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

Nos 306 - 324. 11 Feb 1958. Application approved for vacant cottages to be converted into 3 Regency type houses and erect block of 4 maisonettes (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 306 - 324. 9 Jun 1959. Application approved for 4 maisonettes and 4 garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 306 - 324. 8 Mar 1960. Application approved for display and storage of garden and fencing (Lawsons) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 310 (Mountview Court). 13 Aug 1986. Planning application for 3 storey office block fronting High Road (nos 1140-1148) and 3- storey block of 10 flats fronting Friern Barnet Lane. Parking for 49 cars (*Barnet Council N7595C*)

No 310 (Mountview Court). 18 May 1994. Planning application to remove double parking system involving loss of 4 parking spaces and formation of paved ground level parking spaces (*Barnet Council N/07595/J*)

You've heard of the fastest milkman in the west? Well, now meet possibly the hardest-working milkie. He was Harry Broadbelt, nephew of the Copps family, which ran Floyds and Copps dairy, on the corner of Friern Barnet Lane, Whetstone. A former guardsman, he was one of the smartest looking milkmen in the district. When many of the small dairies were bought out by the big companies in the 1920s, Harry started work with United Dairies. Life was so hard that he only had one day off – and that was to get married. To celebrate, he and the new Mrs Broadbelt went to the pictures, at the New Bohemia cinema, at Church End, Finchley, where Harry promptly fell asleep. During a varied life, he was also train bearer to the Lord Chancellor of England, and attended many historic events like the wedding of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth, now the Queen Mother. Information about Mr Broadbelt were kindly supplied by Barnet Museum, 31 Wood Street, Barnet (*Article by Paul Bacon in Advertiser Series 16 Dec 1993*)

One day Jenny was walking along Buckingham Avenue when she met my former headmaster, Mr Patterson, who informed her that he was about to move from his nearby flat to Hyde Court, a new development in Friern Barnet Lane. These new flats were vastly superior to his current place, and he suggested that we would find them an improvement on Villiers Court. Jenny immediately made enquiries of the council, who had been responsible for the development although the properties were leased to the tenants. She found that the flats had already been taken but that a similar development was being completed at Barnet, and for this we put our names down. Then we had a stroke of luck. The occupants of a ground floor flat at Hyde Court, and one in such a desirable position that it had been used as a show flat, were being forced to vacate their flat because they had a cat to which they were very attached, and the rules did not permit animals. The council offered us the flat and we accepted it without hesitation. So, in June 1988, we moved to our new address, and we have been very happy in an ideal situation. (*No Sails on Huttoft Mill by J.O. Blake page 172*)

St John's Church Hall. Dec 1957 - Mar 1958. Planning application for church hall (G A C Dunbar, owner, submitted by John Harrison Ltd, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives Ltd LMA/4070/01/14631*)

St John's Church Hall. The foundation stone reads: Councillor George Reed, JP 26 April 1958

St John's Church Hall. 17 Sep 2016. North London Development Opportunity. St John's Church Hall, Friern Barnet Lane, Whetstone, London N20. Freehold development opportunity in the London Borough of Barnet. 0-11 hectare (0.28 acre) site currently occupied by single storey Church Hall and associated car parking. Situated approximately 600m south east of Totteridge & Whetstone London Underground Station. Potential for redevelopment to a range of uses, including residential, subject to the necessary consents. For sale freehold. Guide Price: Offers in excess of £2,250,000. Savills. (*advertisement in Estates Gazette 17 Sep 2016*)

St Johns Church Hall. 19 Dec 2019. Follow up meeting to 19/8451/QCC for - Proposed demolition of existing building and redevelopment with a 5-storey building involving 29 units with associated car parking, landscaping and communal amenity space (*Barnet Council 19/8577/QCM*)

St Johns Church Hall. 9 Sep 2020. Planning application for use as Health Clinic (Class E) (*Barnet Council 20/4180/191*)

St Johns Church Hall. 3 Sep 2020. Planning application for replacement of existing Class D1 building with a new mixed use development comprising a new Class D1 use and 9no self-contained residential dwelling units (Class C3), with car parking, cycle parking, bin storage and landscaping (*Barnet Council 20/4032/FUL*)

St Johns Church Hall. 4 Sep 2020. Planning application for use as Class E (Office) (*Barnet Council 20/4080/192*)

St John's Church Hall. 4 Dec 2020. Planning application for demolition of existing building and construction of a four-storey building comprising 26 self-contained residential dwelling units (Class C3), with car parking, cycle parking, bin storage and landscaping (*Barnet Council 20/5845/FUL*)

St John's Church Hall. 15 Dec 2020. Submission of details of conditions 3a (Materials), 4a (Levels), 6a (Tree Protection Plan), 10a (Demolition and Construction Management and Logistics Plan), 11 (Electric Vehicle Charging Points), 15a (Sound Insulation), 17a (Noise Mitigation Measures), 18 (Air Quality Neutral Assessment Report), 19a (Contaminated Land) and 20a (Detailed Parking Layout) pursuant to planning permission 20/4032/FUL dated 29/10/20 (*Barnet Council 20/6001/CON*)

9 Sep 1958. Application approved for new Police Station (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

**FRIERN BARNET ROAD, N11** Planning applications up to May 2022

**formerly Betstile Lane 1549-1785 (Victoria County History)**

**Southgate Lane in 1801 (Victoria County History)**

**High Road in 1879 (Victoria County History)**

**Asylum Road**

**Friern Barnet Road from 1889 (Victoria County History)**

**(see also ST JOHNS VILLAS)**

**Layout**

There are 145 properties (a mixture of shops, dwellings, churches and a school) of which 93 are on the north side and 52 on the south side

**History**

To the east a road led from Colney Hatch to Betstile, where it met roads to Enfield, Tottenham and Wood Green, East Barnet and the modern Oakleigh Road. It was known in turn as Betstile Lane between 1549 and 1785, Southgate Lane in 1801, High Road in 1879, and Friern Barnet Road from 1889. (*Victoria County History page 7*)

The houses on Friern Barnet Road were built between 1880 and 1900 and were nearly all built by local building firms, principally Brown and Sweetland, whose office at 1 Arthur Villas, Bellevue Road (*John Heathfield FB&DLHS*)

The White House and the Orange Tree inn stood on the north-west, a little below Brook House, the Priory on the north-east, with the Woodlands, Green bank, and Springfield further north, and the Hermitage and several cottages on the south-west by 1783. Until rebuilt c. 1923 the Orange Tree consisted of two red-brick buildings: that to the south was cramped and later disfigured by hoardings but the northern one remained an elegant 18<sup>th</sup> century building, of three storeys and two bays. Each had a large garden. There was very little change in the 19<sup>th</sup> century before the construction of the county lunatic asylum, and in 1882 Colney Hatch was described as a village which had sprung up to serve the staff. (*Victoria County History*)

At the eastern end of Friern Barnet Road was the hamlet of Betstile. Before 1815 most of the houses lay in Hertfordshire or Edmonton, apart from Betstile House on the corner of Friern Barnet Road and Oakleigh Roads, but by 1846 others stood north of the road, on the site of the former Friern great park, and the former Friern little park in Oakleigh Road had been divided into plots with cottages. Since the mid-19th century Betstile has been better known as New Southgate. (*Victoria County History*)

Between Bellevue Road and Carlton Road was another row of shops which consisted of a Wine Merchants (in those days referred to as an Off Licence), Pickering the printer, Woodings the greengrocers and a bakers owned by a German family who called daily at our Oakleigh Road, Whetstone home. Their name was Weiss and they had two or three children who were red heads. The boys were very good soccer players and their sister was a nice auburn-haired girl. During the Great War (1914-18) some of the locals got very indignant that this family should still be running their business and became very hostile by smashing the windows of the shop and looting the contents. Mr Weiss became so upset (he must have come to this country because of the political or religious atmosphere in Germany) that he hanged himself in the storeroom. Further along, on the right-hand side was another parade of shops, at the end of which was a cycle shop. The owner also dabbled in the odd motorcycle and this spelled doom for him. One lunchtime he was testing a very early machine and was riding up from Goldsmith Road to the top where it entered Friern Barnet Road at a T-junction. He went straight across the main road and hit the wall of the asylum and was killed instantly. The other side of the road was a large plot that was fenced all around and was called Waller's Corner. The County Library now occupies this land.....Next came Ramsden Road, where the first business was a branch of Barclays Bank into which the school fees were paid.....between the bank and the school was a cobbler's shop. Later this became the premises of a piano repairer. Next to the school was a plot of ground on which the Council stored ballast of all descriptions for road repairs etc. Next was Hartland Road and open ground where the garage and filling station now stands (*Memoirs of a Whetstonian 1907-2000 by Kenneth B Satchell. Page 9*)

In the 1960s Betstyle Circus was a very constricted five-ways junction. When Standard Telephones & Cables factory turned out at 5.30pm, the traffic poured down **Brunswick Park Road** and **Oakleigh Road South**, it took ages to get across the junction. Eventually the Council built a large roundabout to pull in Brunswick Park Road and Waterfall Road. A row of three-storey houses Victorian terraced houses on the corner of Oakleigh Road South and Friern Barnet Road was demolished to make way for the new roundabout, at the end of the terrace, on the corner, stood the premises of A K Lander. Landers moved down Brunswick Park Road, next to the cemetery 'back entrance'. On the wide corner of Friern Barnet Road and Bowes Road is a large development of Council flats which, apparently, stand on the site of houses demolished to make way for the roundabout (*John Donovan FB&DLHS 16*)

### **Infrastructure**

Friern Barnet Road A1003) is a Class I road and is .83 miles long, and the eastern part .08 miles long (*Urban District of Friern Barnet Year book 1950 - 51*)

In 1854 G.K. Smith was letting cottages in Carlisle Place and in 1864 Cornwall Terrace, Ely Place and Railway Cottages had been built on Oakleigh Road South and **Southgate Cottages** in Friern Barnet Road. (*Victoria County History*)

The Parade, Friern Barnet Road, pictured in 1906. The Parade, which is opposite Friern Hospital, was originally built in the 1890s but extended in the 1900s over the grounds of the defunct Friern Barnet High School for Girls to the corner with Carlton Road, shown here (*Finchley & Friern Barnet by Stewart Gillies and Pamela Taylor. Plate 117*)

22 Nov 1887. Inspection of plans for new bridge (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

19 Jun 1888 & 11 Mar 1889. Making up of Friern Barnet Road West £494 9s 0d and Friern Barnet Road West £442 17s 6d, both by F Adams (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

4 Oct 1892. Letter from Great Northern Railway dated 30 Sept 1892 declining to widen Railway Bridge (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

15 Nov 1892. The path between Stanford Road and the Orange Tree is to be made up (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

21 Mar 1893. Estimate for widening of the railway bridge (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

18 Apr 1893. Board agreed to pay Mr Johnson £2 pa for scavenging and watering road over the railway bridge and cleaning out gully pits (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

30 May 1893. Great Northern Railway to be asked if they would pay two-thirds of the cost of widening the bridge, with the Board paying the other one-third (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

31 Jul 1894. Loan for £736 applied for widening of Railway Bridge (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

9 Jun 1896. Improvements £798 8s 4d (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

22 Dec 1896. Road widening (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

9 Nov 1897. Kerbing and channelling footpath on south side (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

23 Nov 1897. Renumbering (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

7 Jun 1898. Application approved for extension of gas main (Colney Hatch Gas Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

12 Jul 1898. Kerbing and channelling of the road (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

1 Jan 1899. Application approved for gas main (Colney Hatch Gas Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

1900. A lot of good time was wasted at Westminster guildhall on Monday. The MCC application for an order for the construction of Light Railways came before the Commissioners. It was for the construction of a line from Station-rd, New Southgate along Friern Barnet-rd.....Mr Cripps opened the case for the promoters and incidentally mentioned the part of the County Council scheme in which we are interested. It is altogether opposed by Finchley, actuated, said Mr Cripps, by "disappointed ambition". With Southgate and Friern Barnet it was only a matter of road widening – Mr Cripps called it a "mania". Southgate's concern for a corner where there was a shop property and where road widening would be expensive. The minimum width for a double line under the Tramway Act was 32 ft; the minimum proposed in this scheme was 40 ft. But because others had got 48 ft a minimum that was "ample for all purposes" was not considered sufficient. However, this objection was only a matter of clauses. (*Sentinel 1900*)

27 Oct 1902. Mr Reason updated that the Tramways Co had obtained powers for the Compulsory acquisition of land for the widening of Friern Barnet Road and had undertaken to pave with wood blocks the whole of the road in front of the church. Reported that the Light Railway Commission had decided that roadway must be 50 feet and that it be widened on the north side (*Christ Church Minutes 27 Oct 1902 Pages 189-190*)

10 Nov 1902. Application approved for extension of Asylum wall (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

7 Feb 1908. Widening of Railway Bridge. Letter Middlesex County Council 20 December 1907 intimating that as regards light railways (*i.e trams*), the County council were prepared to contribute one-third of the cost of widening the bridge subject to a) To the Metropolitan Electric Tramways Ltd agreeing to the cost being treated as part of the capital expenditure of the County Council on which the Company have to pay interest b) To the Friern Barnet Urban District Council giving their consent to the paving of the light railway track with granite setts c) To the district Council withdrawing their objections of the County Council for an extension of time in which to complete the construction of the railways within the Urban District of Friern Barnet e) a satisfactory arrangement being come to between the County Council, the District Council and the lessee company as to the lighting of the light railway posts. And further, that the County Council would be prepared to allow the District Council to charge in their account for the maintenance of Friern Barnet Road, annual instalment of principal and interest on such a sum raised by loan not exceeding £1000, as shall represent one-sixth part of the cost of widening the bridge from thirty-six feet to fifty feet clear between the parapets of the bridge, provided that there be no obligation on the part of the Railway Company to carry out the widening. Also Memorandum by Clerk of the Council, dated 7th February 1908 re Light Railways. Moved by Councillor Barfield seconded by Mr Councillor Maxfield:- That the County Council be informed that this Council accepts the offer of the County Council, subject to item 'B' being settled by arbitration. Meantime the County Council to be asked to reconsider the application of the Friern Barnet Urban District Council as to wood paving. Voting for the motion: Crs Barfield, Bidgood, Maxfield, Wilton & Worrell. Against: Morgan. The Chairman did not vote. The motion was declared carried (*Friern Barnet Urban District Council minutes 7 February 1908. Pages 434 – 436*)

6 Mar 1908. Application approved for gas main (Southgate Gas Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

2 Oct 1908. Application approved for 8-inch gas main (Southgate Gas Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

2 Oct 1908. Application approved for 6-inch gas main (Barnet Gas & Water Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

2 Oct 1908. Application approved for cable route (MET) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

2 Dec 1908. Application approved for 8-inch water main (Barnet District Gas & Water Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

2 Dec 1908. Application approved for cable route over Great Northern Bridge (MET) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)



8 Jan 1909. Application approved for widening of Friern Barnet Road near The Priory (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

8 Jan 1909. Application approved for Light Railway poles on GNR bridge (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

8 Jan 1909. Application approved for high tension pipes over GNR bridge (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

11 Feb 1910. Widening of Friern Barnet Road near The Priory (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

7 Apr 1911. Paving of road £1067. 1s 3d (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

4 Aug 1911. Widening of railway bridge £5600 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

1 Dec 1911. Application approved for underground telegraph line (GPO) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

1 Mar 1912. The plans, sections and estimates submitted by the Engineer & Surveyor in connection with the widening of the road and Friern Lane at an estimated cost of £1398.6. 5. Be approved and that application be made to the Local Government Board for sanction to borrow the amount required to carry the works into effect (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes.1 March 1912. Page 47*)

3 Apr 1912. The Council is to contribute £5600 towards the widening of the railway bridge (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

2 Aug 1912. Application approved for water main at railway bridge (Barnet Water Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

1 Nov 1912. Application approved for temporary poles at railway bridge (MET) Water Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

7 Feb 1913. Application approved for underground wires at railway bridge (GPO) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

7 Mar 1913. Application approved for electric mains on south side of railway bridge (MET) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

1 Aug 1913. Application approved for new 4- inch main from railway bridge (Barnet District Gas & Water Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

8 Jan 1915. Application approved for underground and overground telegraph wires (GPO) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

17 Oct 1919. Application approved for underground telegraph line (GPO) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Jul 1922. Planning application for power station and store building at no 15 (Northmet) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01838*)

3 Nov 1922. Application approved for underground telegraph wire (Post Office Engineering Ltd) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Feb - May 1923. Planning application for electricity sub-station and power station (Northmet) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01898*)

2 Nov 1923. Application approved for feeder pillar at corner of Station Road (Northmet) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

8 May 1925. Foundations of the wood-paved sections of Friern Barnet-road having become defective, these are to be made good at the estimated cost of £600. The County Council and Ministry of Transport will bear the cost. £1,500 is being spent on improving Friern Barnet-road, near Bank Parade. There is to be an eight-inch concrete foundation and two inches of asphalt. Between Ramsden-road and Macdonald-road there is a sharp curve, where several accidents have occurred. The frontage of the Friern Barnet-road at this spot is to be set back for 100 yards. The cost of this improvement is estimated at £930, this sum including £580 for the acquisition of the land required (*Finchley Press 8 May 1925*)

31 Jul 1925. Widening of Friern Barnet Road at Southgate Villas £300 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

22 Jan 1926. Widening of Friern Barnet Road at corner of Colney Hach Lane (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

10 Jun 1927. Wood block paving repairs at Friern Barnet-road are to cost £632.10s (*Finchley Press 10 Jun 1927*)

17 Jun 1927. Widening of Friern Barnet Road to 50 feet is planned between High Road New Southgate and The Avenue (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

23 Apr 1926. Post Engineering Ltd were given approval for the laying of underground telegraph cables at Ramsden Road and then overhead cables (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

28 May 1926. Reconstruction of the south side of Friern Barnet Road by Associated Asphalt Co (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

16 Jun 1926. Post Engineering Ltd were given approval for the laying of underground telegraph cables on the west side of Friern Barnet Road (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

22 Oct 1926. Post Engineering Ltd were given approval for the laying of underground telegraph cable on south side of Friern Barnet Road (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

17 Dec 1926. Post Engineering Ltd were given approval for the laying of underground telegraph cable by Queens Parade (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

24 Jun 1927. Post Engineering Ltd were given approval for the laying of underground telegraph cables (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

The New Southgate branch of the Railway Mission was established c.1883. Between 1891 and 1899 it acquired a site north of Friern Barnet road beside the railway, where a tin chapel was erected. In 1903 there was an average attendance of 90 at morning service and 209 at evening service every Sunday. The mission hall was still open in 1939 but later was used by the G.P.O. and in 1975 as a builder's store. (*Victoria County History page 33*)

In Friern Barnet there are on the one hand the luxury flats in Princess Park Manor and an expensive private health club etc. On the other hand, there is numerous bed and breakfast accommodation and London Borough of Barnet homeless accommodation. Bed and breakfast in Friern Barnet Road, Nos 77, 125 and 129, 109 above shops: 66, 57 or 59 a & b all nearly single accommodation for individuals, couples and families. London Borough of Barnet hostels: 17, 19, 21 Friern Barnet Road. In Holly Park Road: 102 and 27 multi-occupied houses used by other boroughs - ? Camden and Haringey. In Bellevue and Beaconsfield Roads there are many housing association flats, most if not all short-term tenancies. All these places are occupied by local homeless of all kinds and refugees and asylum seekers of very different standards from anywhere on this globe. (*Memorandum dated 23 January 2002 from Joanna Knight, Health Visitor, Barnet Primary Care Trust, East Barnet Health Centre, to John Donovan, President FB&DLHS*)

As a small bit of (useless) historical background information, when I started there (Electricity Board corner of Friern Barnet Road & Oakleigh Road South – i.e. Lander's Corner) in Aug 1951 there was no facility for tea making so the labourer, who went by the unlikely but genuine name of Bill Zinzan, would take a galvanised bucket along the road to Mac's Café (later the Bookies shop) and

collect the am/pm tea covered with an evil-looking tea towel. Should you fail to rinse your cup after the afternoon session, by the following morning you had what appeared to be a thick coat of molasses. Health & safety eat your heart out! (*Eric & Joan (nee Perry) Lewin, who used to live in Holly Park Road. e-mail to John Donovan 7 July 2002*)

23 May 1930. Corner of Oakleigh Road South. Metropolitan Electric Tramways applied for permission to erect a Tramways sign at junction of Friern Barnet Road and Oakleigh Road South. NB Trams did not run down this part of Friern Barnet Road or down Oakleigh Road South (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

22 May 1931. Council is purchasing properties to facilitate widening between Ramsden Road and Macdonald Road (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)  
*Barnet UDC Minutes*)

11 Nov 1932. Widening of Friern Barnet Road between Macdonald Road and Ramsden Road will cost £28887. 13. 0d., including acquisition of land (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

5 Jan 1934. It is probable that the automatic traffic control signals at Friern Barnet Road, Woodhouse Road, Colney Hatch Road and Friern Barnet Lane cross-roads will be operating in a fortnights time. Substantial reconstruction of the highways in this rea is in progress, and the cost of the work will be approximately £7000. It is anticipated that the roadway will stand up to traffic for many years (*Finchley Press 5 Jan 1934*)

21 May 1937. A communication has been received from Friern Barnet Urban District Council stating that an amended scheme for the widening of Friern Barnet Road on which the County Library abuts has been prepared. The scheme has been altered to comply with the County Council's general policy of Town Planning for such roads, and provides for a service road to be constructed on the library side of the road....The County Architect reports that the library forecourt situate between the Town Planning widening line and the front wall of the building is about 104 feet in length and 11 feet in depth, the area being approx. 127 square yards and that the footpath of the service road will take the place of the forecourt. The District Valuer, acting as between the two authorities, is of the opinion that a sum of £265 should be paid by the County Council in consideration of the surrender of the land (*Finchley Press 21 May 1937. Page 2*)

16 Sep 1937. The road was widened between Ramsden Road and Macdonald Road (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

3 Dec 1937. Another notification from the County Council was in connection with the conversion of tramways to trolleybuses along route no 21. The County Council approved a turning point to be provided at the junction of Friern Barnet Road with Station Road at an estimated cost of £382 and agreed to meet the balance of the cost after deducting the Ministry of Transport's grant and a contribution of £50 from the London Passenger Transport Board (*Finchley Press 3 Dec 1937*)

13 Jan 1938. Widening between Ramsden and Macdonald Road. Work has been suspended on this widening scheme pending the conversion of trams to trolleybuses along the route. Work had started in November 1937 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

27 Jun 1966. At junction of Kennard Road Barnet Council let a site for an advertisement hoarding at £115 pa to G F Kruse Ltd (*Barnet Council Minutes*)

26 Sep 1969. A start is to be made on Monday week (October 6th) on the construction of the roundabout at Betstyle Circus, popularly known as Lander's Corner, New Southgate, which has been delayed pending the result of a public enquiry held last year. The roundabout is designed to make road conditions safer at this busy junction where five roads converge and there has been a disquieting accident rate. It is part of Enfield Borough Council's plan for rebuilding a huge area of New Southgate. This will involve the reshaping of the district to the south of Friern Barnet Road. The question at issue at the public enquiry was whether Enfield Council should be allowed to stop up a length of **High Road, New Southgate**, terminating at the junction with Friern Barnet Road, and a length of **Grove Road**, terminating at the junction with Bowes Road, thus wiping out the two junctions. This the minister has eventually granted them permission to do. His decision makes it

possible for the council to go ahead with the roundabout, but it will NOT, for the time being, mean that High Road and Grove Road will be stoppered. This action will not be taken until Enfield Council's building operations in the redevelopment scheme reach the point where it becomes necessary. What WILL happen on Monday week is that Friern Barnet Road will be closed between the junction with High Road and with **Oakleigh Road** for about six weeks while public services, such as water, electricity and telephone pipes and cables are relaid. Traffic at this point is to be temporarily routed around a one-way system. Vehicles coming from Friern Barnet towards Southgate will have to turn right into High Road, left into Grove Road, left into Bowes Road and right into Waterfall Road. Traffic coming in the opposite direction will have to turn left into Bowes Road, right into Cross Road, right into The Limes Avenue, right into High Road and left into Friern Barnet Road. To facilitate traffic flow, there will be one-way working in Cross Road between Bowes Road and The Limes Avenue and in The Limes Avenue between Cross Road and High Road and in Grove Road between High Road and Bowes Road. The roundabout, which will cost in the region of £80,000 and will take about nine months to complete, will have Bowes Road, Friern Barnet Road and Oakleigh Road South converging directly onto it., and **Brunswick Park Road** and **Waterfall Road** coming in lower down Waterfall Road, at the bottom of a long, narrow island. In the meantime, Enfield Council are proceeding with their housing scheme, which will eventually cover something like 70 acres/ They have begun operations on a block of 92 maisonettes in Palmers Road and will shortly be getting on with blocks of flats and maisonettes to the south of the new roundabout site. The minister's decision has enabled the council to finalise their plans for this part of the redevelopment area, where they hope eventually to provide a shopping precinct, more housing, an enlarged resited primary school, an old people's home and a children's home (*Barnet Press 26 Sep 1969*)

20 Nov 2001. Bus Stand, Halliwick Park. Planning application for installation of staff toilets (*Barnet Council C/14677/01*)

Jun 2002. Northern Side. New paving stones are being laid between Hartland Road and Kennard Road (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

Jun 2002. Work well under way on the huge yellow gas main that is being laid in a deep trench starting at Betstyle Circus (March 2002) and moving along Friern Barnet Road. By 21 April 2002 it had reached the shops (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

19 Sep 2002. Park alongside Town Hall (formerly site of iron calf statue) water repairs taking place 19 Sep 2002. This is shortly after the pavement having been relaid in July! (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

Sep 2002. Western side. Just south of the junction with Friary Road. A lamppost being scraped for repainting, by council workers using a hydraulic platform to reach the top. (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 38. 27 Aug 2002. Outside The Banker's Draft. 27 Aug 2002. Road up at the corner, possibly connected to the deep-trench pipe work being carried out in the area (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 38. 26 Sep 2002. Outside The Banker's Draft. Sets of pedestrian crossings and traffic lights have been installed on all the roads at the junction. On 26 Sept 2002 the lights had not been switched on, but they were in operation by 1 Oct 2002. First reactions – probably more organised than they roundabout they replaced, but the lights need an improved sequence, or Station Road should be given its own filter light for traffic heading south east (towards Wood Green) (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

Junction of Station Road. 6 Jan 2003. Planning application for erection of new freestanding, non-illuminated London Borough of Barnet signage and sponsorship panel (*Barnet Council N/13484/03*)

Junction with Station Road. 26 Jun 2003. Temporary traffic lights in operation, only months after the new traffic lights were installed (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

Junction Station Road 9 Jul 2003. It was noticed that the traffic lights at the junction with Station Road now have a filter phase for traffic turning right from eastbound Friern Barnet Road into Station Road (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

12 Mar 2004. 43 buses are now terminating at the new bus stand opposite Friern Barnet Library, rather than parking in Woodhouse Road outside the Co-op (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

24 Sep 2004. Application approved for resiting of telephone kiosk from outside no 22 to outside no 32 (*Barnet Council N/14404/04*)

1 Oct 2005. Friern Barnet Road resurfaced from Colney Hatch Lane to Friern Hospital 12 Sep. From Friern Hospital to Betstyle Circus resurfaced 22 – 31 Sep (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

15 Feb 2005. Resurfacing is taking place between Friern Barnet Lane and Hartland Road (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

11 Feb 2007. The telephone kiosk, north side of Friern Barnet Road, by the Town Hall is being removed. Note this is a Sunday, contractors at work (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

16 Apr 2007. Road works taking place outside the Town Hall in Friern Barnet Road – road is being widened a few feet to create a new bus stopping place (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

1 Mar 2009. The south pavement and kerbs on the south side, from Regal Drive to just opposite the Library have been renewed (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

12 Jan 2010. Opposite 24 Queen's Parade. Planning application for new green metal equipment cabinet (*Barnet Council B/00211/10*)

12 Jan 2010. Opposite no 59. Planning application for new green metal equipment cabinet (*Barnet Council B/00213/10*)

12 Jan 2010. Opposite no 61. Planning application for new green metal equipment cabinet (*Barnet Council B/00169/10*)

12 Jan 2010. Outside no 101 Parade. Planning application for new green metal equipment cabinet (*Barnet Council B/00418/10*)

12 Jan 2010. Outside no 33. Planning application for new green metal equipment cabinet (*Barnet Council B/00221/10*)

18 Feb 2010. Grass verge on south side of Friern Barnet Road between entrance to Martock Gardens and Shapwick Close. Planning application for installation of 12.5m high street furniture column supporting antennas 2 radio equipment cabinets and ancillary development (Vodafone UK Ltd, agent Mono Consultants Ltd, Unit 13, Third Avenue, Bletchley, MK1 1DR) (*Barnet Council B/00663.10*)

27 Feb 2015. Planning application for installation of 15m high streetworks style telecommunications monopole with internal antennas with installation of 3 equipment cabinets and associated works (James Lawson, Waldon Telecom Ltd, Phoenix House, Pyrford Road, West Byfleet, KT14 6RA) (*Barnet Council 15/01265/PNT*)

7 Jan 2016. Christ Church. Planning application for the installation of 8 antennas located behind replacement glass reinforced plastic (grp) louvers the installation of cabinets posited internal within the tower and ancillary development thereto (Vodafone & O2 c/o agent Rebecca Skerrett, GVA, Norfolk House, 7 Norfolk Street, Manchester M2 1DW) (*Barnet Council 16/0117/LIC*)

5 Jan 2016. Temporary traffic lights are working at the junction with Woodhouse Road, Friern Barnet Road and Friern Barnet Lane whilst Conway install new traffic lights (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

16 Oct 2018. Christ Church. Installation of 8 antennas to be located behind replica replacement glass reinforced plastic (GRP) louvres, the installation of equipment cabinets to be located internally within the first floor chamber, the installation of 1 GPS module located behind the parapet, and ancillary development thereto (Miss Victoria Parsons, GVA, 1 Norfolk House, Manchester M2 1DW) (*Barnet Council 18/6188/FUL*)

14 Jan 2019. Corner of Glenthorne Road. Planning application for new DSLAM (Openreach c/o Adam Kitchling, MJ Quinn Integrated Services Ltd, Oak House, Overbrook Lane, Knowsley Business Park, Liverpool, L34 9FB) (*Barnet Council 198/223/LIC*)

Nos 45 – 47. 18 Jan 2019. Planning application for replacement of existing 1 internally illuminated 48 sheet advertising display with 1 48 sheet digital LED advertising display (Primesight Ltd, The MET Building, 22 Percy Street, W1T 2BU) (*Barnet Council 19/0313ADV*)

17 Dec 2021.(Grass verge opp Friern Barnet Library). Planning application for proposed 16.0m Phase 8 Monopole C/W wrapround Cabinet at base and associated ancillary works (*Barnet Council 21/6624/PNT*)

28 Mar 2022. (Grass verge opp Friern Barnet Library. Planning application for proposed 15.0m Phase 9 super slimline Monopole and associated ancillary works (*Barnet Council 22/1593/PNT*)

### ***Individual properties***

No ? **Asylum Road.** 5 Aug 1884. Application approved for house (G Smith) (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

No ? **Asylum Road.** 25 May 1886. Application approved for 2 houses (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

No ?. (Cullen's shop) 30 Apr 1895. Nuisance from drains under butcher's shop (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ???. 17 Dec 1895. Application approved for 2 houses (W J Clarke) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ???. 17 Dec 1895. Application approved for 4 houses (J Newman) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ???. 4 Feb 1896. Application approved for 6 houses (J Newman) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ???. 18 Feb 1896. Application approved for 2 houses at the corner of Macdonald Road (J Newman) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ???. 20 Oct 1896. Application approved for 6 houses and shops (J Newman) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ???. Bank Parade. Apr – Jul 1899. Application for shops (W Holmes, The Limes, Palmerston Crescent, Palmers Green, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00564*)

Nos ?? 9 May 1889. Application approved for shops and houses (Mr W H Holmes) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos?? (Bank Parade). Apr 1899 - Jul 1900. Planning application for shops (W Holmes, The Limes, Palmerston Crescent, Palmers Green, builder, A Henley Attwater, 17 Southampton Street, architect and surveyor) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00564*)

Nos ???. 4 Jul 1899. Application approved for stables and stores rear of shops (J Newman) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ???. 21 Nov 1899. Application approved for 2 shops (J Newman) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ???. 6 Mar 1900. Application approved for 2 houses (J Newman) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 3 Apr 1900. Application approved for tables, rear of shops (Mr Holmes) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. (No 1 The Parade). 28 Jan 1902. Application approved for shed at rear (W Brown) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ?? . Jan - Aug 1907. Planning application for shops (C F Day, 21 Regents Parade, North Finchley) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01033*)

Nos ?? . 3 Apr 1907. Application approved for road, sewers and 13 houses (C F Day) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? . 1 Nov 1907. Application approved for house (Mr A Collins) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ?? . 6 Dec 1907. Application approved for 12 houses (Mr Day) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ?? . 7 Feb 1908. Application approved for 2 shops and bakehouse (Mr Day) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ?? Apr 1908. Planning application for shops and houses (C F Day , Regents Park Road, North Finchley, submitted by Coleman & Holmes, Archway Road, architects) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01105*)

Nos ?? . 6 Mar 1909. Application approved for 5 houses (C F Day) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ?? . 23 Apr 1909. Application approved for 8 houses (C F Day) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? . 7 May 1909. Application approved for house on the corner of Hollyfield Avenue (C F Day) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? (Lavant). 2 Apr 1909. Application approved for shed at rear (Mr A C Kean) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? . Jan - Feb 1911. Planning application for cinematograph theatre (A G Ross, 20 Estelle Road, Hampstead, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01375*)

Nos ?? . 18 Apr 1910. Application approved for 10 houses and shops (C F Day) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ?? . 4 Nov 1910. Application approved for 10 houses and shops (C F Day) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ?? . Nov 1930 - Jan 1931. Planning application for shops & flats (J L Newman, 10 The Ridgeway, N11 owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02860*)

No ? . 22 Oct 1931. Application approved for amended houses and shops (C F Day) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? (Bective). 14 Apr 1949. Application approved for asbestos garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? . corner of Stanford Road. Mar 1952. Planning application for house and garage (E Hummerstone, 2 Dunger Villas, owner) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04238*)

Nos 1 - 11. 26 Jan 1970. To be included in Slum Clearance Area Scheme (*Barnet Council Minutes*)

No 5. Jul - Sep 1924. Planning application for electricity meter workshops (North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company, Manor House, Offices, Seven Sisters Road, Finsbury Park) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02095*)

No 5. 12 Feb 1948. Application approved for use for watch repairs (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 5. 7 Jun 1955. Application approved for light industrial workshop at rear (Mirco the Camera Repairers) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 5. 10 Nov 1959. Application approved for use of front living room as an office (Mirco Ltd) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 5. 16 Sept 2004. Pile of gravel and sand – turning rear garden into hardstanding (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 6. 4 July 2005. This long-derelict shop has been turned into flats (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

Nos 8 - 18. Jul - Aug 1923. Planning application for houses (A J Vaughan, 14 Carlton Road, Stroud Green, owner, agent J J Copplestone, 10 Foxbourne Road, Upper tooting, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02.01952*)

No 9. 11 Sep 1947. Application approved for additional bathroom and alterations to dormer window and roof (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 11 - 23. 10 Oct 1963. Widening of frontage of Friern Barnet Road (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 11. 26 Feb 2007. Application approved for conversion of garage into habitable room involving external alterations (*Barnet Council N/15489/07*)

Nos 13 - 15. Feb 1936 - Feb 1937. Planning application for offices (Northmet) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03381*)

Nos 13 - 15. Planning application for network boxes and scrap metal stores (North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company, Manor House Offices, Finsbury Park, owner and builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03449*)

Nos 13 - 21. Aug 1949. Planning application for servicing bays for Motor Repair Depot. (Eastern Electricity Board, Northmet House, Southgate) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03965*)

No 13. 31 Oct 2006. Application approved for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/06808/06*)

Nos 13 - 21. 8 Sep 1949. Application approved for servicing bay to motor repair depot (Eastern Electricity) (*Friern Barnet CUDC Minutes*)

Nos 13 - 15. Feb 1936 - Feb 1937. Planning application for offices (Meter Repair Department, North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company, Northmet House, Cannon Hill, Southgate) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/0203381*)

Nos 13 - 15. Sep 1937 - Feb 1938. Planning application for network boxes & scrap metal stores (Northmet) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03449*)

Nos 13 - 21. Aug 1949. Planning application for motor repair depot service bays (Eastern Electricity, Northmet House, Southgate) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03965*)

Nos 13 - 21. Aug 1949. Planning application for meter stores (Eastern Electricity, Northmet House, Southgate) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03996*)

No 15. 3 Jun 1921. Application approved for shed and store (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)



No 15. Jul 1922. Planning application for power station and store buildings (North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company, Manor House Offices, Finsbury Park, owner and builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01838*)

No 15. 7 Jul 1922 & 6 Oct 1922. Application approved for store and substation (North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & No 15. Aug-Oct 1922. Planning application for electric substation and offices (Northmet) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01851*)

No 15. Aug - Oct 1922. Planning application for electricity sub station and offices (North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company, Manor House Offices, Finsbury Park, owner and builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01838*)

No 15. 6 Apr 1923. Application approved for store at rear (North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 15. 18 Sep 1925. Application approved for garage at rear (North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 15. Feb – Apr. Electric Power Supply Company, Manor House Offices, N4) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02539*)

No 15. Feb - Apr 1927. Planning application for extension to electric meter workshop (Northmet) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02539*)

No 15. 21 May 1931. Application approved for new shop front (North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 15. 27 Jul 1939. J F Milne, ARP Warden at Post no 15 lived here (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 15. 19 Nov 1980. Planning application for demolition of Meter Testing Station and replacement with new storage building (*Barnet Council N808L/HQ867C*)

No 15. 31 Aug 2007. Application approved for single storey side extension following demolition of existing garage (*Barnet Council N/00808/Z/07*)

No 15. 3 Sep 2020. Planning application for change of use from Class C3 (Dwelling house) to Class C2 (Assisted care/supported living). Single storey front extension & first and second floor side and rear extension. Roof extension including rear dormer windows and 3no front facing rooflights (*Barnet Council 20/3981/FUL*)

Nos 17 - 21. 28 Oct 1981. Planning application for use as a hostel by Barnet Council (*Barnet Council N808H/HQ867D*)

No 17. 10 Mar 1936. Application approved for conversion into flats (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 19 - 20. 12 Dec 1929. Application approved for garage and room over between nos 19-20 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 19. 17 Dec 1931. Application approved for steel staircase and wc (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 19. 21 Sep 2020. Planning application for installation of boundary fencing to the front of the blocks with key fob gates to enhance the security of the blocks (*Barnet Council 20/4162/FUL*)

No 20. 20 Sept 2004. VB Off Licence, into which a bus crashed, still to be repaired (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 22. 24 Aug 2002. Now an Oriental Star, it is a takeaway providing a variety of Chinese, Indian and Thai dishes. (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 22. 2 May 2010. This has now changed to Paya Chinese takeaway (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 22. 1 Feb 2017. Planning application for use of premises (first, second and third floors) as a house in multiple occupation for up to 9 individuals (*Enfield Council 16/05429/CEU*)

No 24. 1 July 2003. VB Off Licence. A single decker bus crashed into the shop front. Photograph in local papers (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 25. 9 Apr 2003. Application approved for continued use of shop as café/restaurant (A3) (*Barnet Council N/13662/03*)

No 26. 30 May 2017. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 4.5 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 2.7 metres and maximum height of 3 metres (*Barnet Council 17/3516/PNH*)

No 27b. 16 Oct 2003. Sabor Latino appears to have closed down (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 28. 13 Oct 2015. Planning application for first floor rear extension with pitched roof (Mr v Gulajani, 28 Friern Barnet Lane, N11 3LX, agent Mr s Baig, Town & country)

No 29 (Braybrooks General Draper). Jul - Aug 1898. Planning application for shopfitting works (Mr Braybrook, submitted by F Sage & Company, 58 - 62 Grays Inn Road, shopfitters) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00499*)

No 29. 7 Jun 1960 & 13 Sep 1960. Application approved for demolition of existing outbuildings and erection of single storey stock and showroom at rear (F W Johnson & Son) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 29. 6 Jun 1961. Application approved for bathroom and wc on ground floor rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 29. 27 Jan 2004. Planning application for change of use from Retail (A1) to Financial & Professional Services (A2) (*Barnet Council N/13988/04*)

No 29. Former Mini Spares Centre has now reopened as Eduzone (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 29. 24 Apr 2009. Planning application for change of use from A1 shop to Metropolitan Police Safer Neighbourhood Unit at ground and basement level (*Barnet Council B/01262/09*)

No 29. 29 May 2009. Planning application for external alterations including installation of new shopfront and 2 condenser units on rear elevation (Met Police Property Services) (*Barnet Council B/01795/09*)

No 29. 29 May 2009. Planning application for new fascia including internally illuminated identity sign, LED light strip, LCD information screen and door sign (*Barnet Council B/01796*)

No 29. 27 Apr 2009. Planning application for change of use of A1 shop to B1 Metropolitan Police Safer Neighbourhood Unit at ground and basement level (*Enfield Council OA/09/0007*)

Nos 29 - 31. 10 Apr 2002. Planning application approved for conversion of first and second floor offices into self-contained flats, alteration to shop front to provide separate access to flat (*Barnet Council N/00384/G/02*)

Nos 29 & 31. 4 Sep 2017. Planning application for two-storey rear extension including alteration and extension to roof to extend the existing flats at first and second floor levels. First floor rear extension over existing garages to provide two self-contained flats with associated refuse/recycling storage, cycle store and amenity space (*Barnet Council 17/4838/FUL*)

Nos 29 – 31. 28 Apr 2021. Planning application for Internal alterations to flats at first and second floor. Second floor rear extension. First floor rear extension over existing garages to provide 2 self-contained flats (*Barnet Council 21/2273/FUL*)

No 30. 23 Nov 1928. Application approved for 2 garages at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 31. 17 Jun 1927. Application approved for workshop at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 31. 20 Sep 1945. Application approved for workshop at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 31. 10 Jul 1947. Application approved for use as builder's yard, office and workshop (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 31. 8 Feb 1955 & 8 Mar 1955. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 31. 26 Jan 1966. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council Minutes 26 Jan 1966 BN 523*)

No 31. 3 Jun 2015. Planning application for extension and alteration to existing two flats at first and second floor. Three-storey rear extension over existing garages to provide 3 self-contained flats (*Barnet Council 15/03164/FUL*)

No 32. Oct 1910. Planning application for alteration to shop (C F Day) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01344*)

No 32. Oct 1910. Planning application for alteration to shop (C F Day) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01344*)

No 33. 13 Jun 1919. Slaughterhouse licence granted for 1 year (*Barnet Council N/14404/04*)

Nos 33 - 35. 14 Oct 1943. Application approved for change of use from shop to offices and builders depot (Dickinson & Clarke) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 33 - 39. 10 Dec 1957. Application approved for use of premises as depot for storage and distribution of fruit and veg for wholesale and retail trade and garaging of 8 vans at rear of nos 33-39 (F J Ryall) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 33. 18 May 2012. This shop, Betsytle Plaice (Fish & Chips) closed recently after only opening on 6 Dec 2011 (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 34a. 26 Nov 2014. Planning application for use of single family dwelling house as a House in Multiple Occupation for up to 11 residents living together as a single household with shared facilities (*Enfield Council 14/04627CEU*)

No 35. 15 Nov 1945. Application approved for use as a stationery shop (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 35 - 37. 21 Oct 2004. Application approved for single storey rear extension and new shopfront (*Barnet Council N/09955/B/04*)

Nos 35 - 37. 26 Nov 2015. Theresa Villiers, MP for Chipping Barnet, was delighted to formally open the new Spice Gate restaurant in Friern Barnet Road at the weekend. Spice Gate is situated on the site of the Arjun Tandoori restaurant, which had been left empty and derelict for two years. The new business will create 14 jobs. The restaurant is owned by local entrepreneur Misbah Sadath, who came to the country 18 years ago from Bangladesh. When he came to London he worked in the restaurant industry for two years before moving on to a business in the legal world. The new Spice Gate is the third restaurant he has set up joining Spice Station in Chingford and Spice Village in Kings Langley (*Theresa Villiers website*)

Nos 36 - 38. 15 Aug 2016. Planning application for erection of 3 storey side/rear extension facing Station Road on the existing car park to provide 6 flats (3x studios and 3x1 beds) with associated amenity spaces at the rear and cycle and refuse storage to the front (*Enfield Council 16/03581/FUL*)

No 37. 3 Apr 1912. Application approved for new shop front (H Clarke) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & No 37. Feb-Mar 1912. Planning application for shopfitting works (Mattock Bros, Winkfield Road, Wood Green, builders) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01473*)

No 38. 17 Aug 1892. Application approved for London & Provincial Bank and shop (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 38. May - Aug 1896. Planning application for bank (Bourchier & Galsworthy, 32 Great George Street, Westminster, architects) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00349*)

No 38. Dec 1896 – Aug 1897. Planning application for bank (Bourchier & Galsworthy, 32 Great George Street, Westminster, architects) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00410*)

No 38. 12 Mar 1901. Application approved for Bank premises (Barclay & Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 38. John Donovan has a photograph dated June 1991 of Barclays Bank closed and boarded up (*no JD00084*)

No 38. 11 Jan 2005. "The Banker's Draft" has been renamed "The Banker" (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 39. 6 Jul 1911. A postcard with this date was addressed to Miss Elsie Hockey at 39 Friern Barnet Road, New Southgate, N

No 39. 3 May 1912. Application approved for shop front (R Hockey) (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*)

No 39. 9 Sep 1943. Listed as a dangerous structure due to war damage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 39. 12 Feb 1986. Planning application for single storey rear extension, new shopfront hardstanding at rear (*Barnet Council N08235*)

No 39. 27 Apr 1990. Planning application for change of use of ground floor from Class A1 retail shop to dental surgery (*Barnet Council N/08235A*)

No 39. 28 Jun 1996. Planning application for continued use of premises as a café/restaurant (Class A3) (*Barnet Council N8235B*)

No 41. 5 May 1903. Application approved for extension of hair dressing salon at rear of shop (Mr Verveau?) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 41a. 11 Feb 1958. Application approved for use of premises as timber and firewood merchants (Hubbard & Winks) (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*)

No 43 (Railway Hotel) 14 May 1901. Inspector of Nuisances to enter premises, cause the ground to be opened and examine the drains (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 43 (Railway Hotel). Nov - Dec 1914. Planning application for alterations to hotel (Barclay Perkins & Co, The Brewery, Park Street, Southwark) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01648*)

No 43 (Railway Hotel). Jun - Jul 1915. Planning application for alterations (Barclay, Perkins & Company, Park Street, Southwark, submitted by Lavington Ltd, Lansdown Works, Clapham Road, builders) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA 4070/02/01668*)

No 43. (The Railway Hotel (lately The Turrets) had tea dances upstairs pre-World War II (*John Donovan 20 May 2001*)

No 43. (The Railway Hotel). Sep - Oct 1925. Planning application for garden shelter, conservatory & store (Barclay Perkins Company Ltd, Park street, Southwark, owners, submitted by F G Newnham, Park street, Southwark, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02283*)

No 43. (The Railway Hotel). 17 Jun 1927. Application approved for glazed lean-to (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 43. (The Railway Hotel). 20 Nov 1951. The name Railway Hotel is still in use (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 43. (The Turrets pub). 10 Jun 1958. Application approved for continued use of office to rear as mini-cab office from 06.00-24.00 (*Barnet Council N/00076/K/00*)

No 43 (Railway Hotel). Feb - Oct 1961. Planning application for alteration to pub (Courage and Barclay Ltd, Anchor Brewhouse, Horselydown, SE1) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/05475*)

No 43. (The Turrets pub). 15 Mar 2001. Application approved for erection of 2 storey ground and first floor rear extension, installation of external staircase to side elevation and alteration to front elevation and provision of on-site parking (*Barnet Council N/00076/L.01*)

No 43. (The Turrets pub). 17 June 2003. The plaster "badge" high on the wall, below the gable once read "AD 1887 WW" has now lost its "7" and part of the second "W" – the plaster has broken off (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 43 (The Turrets pub). 13 Oct 2005. Planning application **refused** for mixed use development, comprising use of ground floor as Class A1/A2/A3 and D1 and 40 residential self-contained flats on upper levels, together with associated car parking and changes to landscaping (*Barnet Council N00076/N/05*)

No 43 (The Turrets pub). 5 Mar 2007. Planning application **refused** for mixed use development, comprising use of ground floor as Class A1/A2/A3 and D1 and 40 residential self-contained flats on upper levels, together with associated car parking and changes to landscaping (*Barnet Council N00076/Q/07*)

No 43. (The Turrets pub). 14 Apr 2007. The Turrets has been acquired for re-development (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 43 (The Turrets pub). 11 Dec 2009. Planning application **withdrawn** for demolition of former Turrets public house and erection of part 3, part 4 and part 5 storey building comprising 36 self-contained flats (13 one bedroom, 26 2- bedroom and 3 3 bedroom flats) and 537 sq m of Class A1/A2/A3 and D1 at ground floor level (*Barnet Council B/04541/09*)

No 43 (The Turrets pub). 26 Aug 2010. Planning application for demolition of former Turrets public house and erection of a part three, part 4 and part 5 storey building comprising of a total of 36 self-contained flats to upper levels (13 one bedroom flats, 20 two bedroom flats, 3 three bedroom flats) and 377 sq m of use Class A1/A2/A3 and D1 at ground floor. Lower ground and mezzanine level car park providing 28 car spaces including 4 disabled parking spaces and 36 cycle spaces. Associated landscaping, refuse storage and basement plant room (Excelsior Properties Ltd, 1 Albert Place, N3 1QB) (*Barnet Council B/03481/10*)

No 43 (The Turrets pub). 24 Sep 2010. Planning application for extension to time limit for implementing appeal decision APP/N5090/A/07/2045677 dated 25/9/207 for "Demolition of former Turrets PH and erection of part three, part four and part five storey mixed use development, comprising use of ground floor as Class A1/A2/A3/D1 and a total of 40 residential self-contained flats on the upper levels, together with associated basement car-parking and changes to

*landscaping" (Mrs P Scampion, 7 Europa Studios, Victoria Road, NW10 6ND) (Barnet Council B/04090/10)*

No 43 (The Turrets). 19 Jun 2013. Variation to planning permission B/03481 dated 24/11/10 for "Demolition of former Turrets Public House and erection of a part three, part four and part 5 storey building comprising of a total of 36 self-contained flats to upper levels (13 one bedroom flats, 20 two bedroom flats, 3 three bedroom flats) and 377.00 sq m of use Class A1/A2/A3 and D1 at ground floor. Lower ground and mezzanine level car park providing 28 car spaces and 36 cycle spaces. Associated landscaping, refuse storage and basement plant room". Variations to include rearrangement of layout and unit size mix, alterations to fenestrations, materials and addition of cycle store for 14 bikes to main building side elevation (Winardon Ltd, 7 Europa Studios, Victoria Road, NW10 6ND) (*Barnet Council B/02501/13*)

No 43 (The Turrets). 2 Oct 2014. Planning application for submission of details of Condition 4 (External Lighting) pursuant to planning permission B/02501/13 dated 14 Feb 2014 (*Barnet Council B/04891/14*)

No 43. 1 Dec 2014. Planning application for retention of non-illuminated artwork sign painted onto the wall of the building at front elevation (The Co-operative Food Group Ltd) (*Barnet Council 14/07694/NMA*)

No 43. 18 Mar 2015. Planning application for non-material amendment to planning permission B/02501/13 dated 14/2/2014 for "Variation to planning permission B/03481/10 dated 24/11/10 for demolition of former Turrets Public House and erection of a part three, part 4 and part 5 storey building comprising a total of 36 self-contained flats to upper levels (13 one bedroom flats, 20 two bedroom flats, 3 3 bedroom flats) and 377 sq m of use class A1/A2/A3 and D1 at ground floor. Lower ground and mezzanine level car park providing 28 car spaces including 4 disabled parking spaces and 36 cycle spaces. Associated landscaping, refuse storage and basement plant room" Variations to include rearrangement of internal layout, alterations to fenestration, materials, additional cycle store for 14 bikes, removal of privacy screens, repositioning of cycle store to provide turning for delivery vehicles within site and omission of layby. Amendments to include alterations to glazing above a side door on western elevation, erection of two brick piers to be located as follows: one on western elevation and the other on southern elevation, reduction in glazing to the south-eastern corner elevation at ground floor level (*Barnet Council 15/01769/NMA*)

No 43. 9 Oct 2015. Submission of details for condition 21 (Method statement) pursuant to planning permission B/03481/10 dated 24/11/10 (*Barnet Council 15/06257/CON*)

No 43. 9 Oct 2015. Submission of details for condition 19 (Sustainable homes) pursuant to planning permission B/02501/13 dated 14/2/14) (*Barnet Council 15/06257/CON*)

No 43 (Co-op Food). 19 Jul 2016. Planning application for installation of 2 internally illuminated and 9 non-illuminated fascia signs, 1 internally illuminated projecting sign, 1 non-illuminated wall mounted sign and window graphics (*Barnet Council 16/4762/ADV*)

No 45 (Railway Mission Hall). The Mission Hall was built on land leased from the Great Northern Railway in 1919, but the branch will probably have been in existence for some years before the decision to have its own meeting place. The most complete list of branches dates from 1928 and the New Southgate branch is listed with an address given as Friern Barnet Road. I suspect that the type of building was an iron church or 'tin tabernacle' which appears to be indicated by the as they foundations. These were the preferred type of building on railway company property as they could be dismantled and relocated. There was often a clause in the tenancy agreement that required the tenants to be able to quit the site at three month's notice. The branch appears to have closed in 1936 or 1937 as the Mission's General Committee were in negotiation with the Old Baptist Union for the transfer of the lease to them subject to the approval of the LNER. There will doubtless be other references in the Mission's journal, The Railway Signal and possibly the minute books. Much of the RM archive was lost and often information on branches has to be gleaned from local sources such as newspapers. Only a limited number of branches are illustrated in The Railway Signal so it is unlikely that I can provide you with a photograph. Branches that closed before most people's living memory are usually the most difficult to investigate (*Dudley Clark, The Railway Mission (Charity number 1128024) www.nrcs-uk.org.uk/Railway Mission. May 2013*)

No 45 (Railway Mission Hall). 17 May 1898. Application approved for Railway Mission Hall (A Pantry) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 45. 5 Jun 1914. Application approved for licence for storing petrol (Lovell & Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 45. 30 Jun 1916. Application approved for temporary motor shed (Mr J Dominy) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 45. 9 May 1919. Petrol licence granted for Motor Repairs and lighting Co (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 45. 4 Jun 1920. Application approved for motor garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 45. 13 Oct 1936. Application approved for workshop and covered yard (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 45. 8 Jul 1937. Application approved for extensive alterations to the yard involving the removal of buildings and the erection of new repair shops (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 45 - 47. 9 Mar 1954. Application approved for use of premises as showroom, offices and maintenance workshop (A R Bilderbeck) (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*)

Nos 45 - 47. 7 Jun 1955. Application approved for staff toilet accommodation and making flat habitable (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*)

Nos 45 - 47. 7 Jun 1955. Application approved for use of showroom for purposes of artistic decoration of glassware (F R & E Lockwood) (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*)

Nos 45 - 47. 30 Sep 2004. Application approved for demolition of existing building and redevelopment to form new dental laboratory (B1). Outline Planning Application (*Barnet Council N/06347/C/04*)

No 45 – 47 .6 Jan 2020. Planning application for demolition of the existing building and redevelopment of the site to provide up to 5-storey block comprising 22 residential units and 168sqm (GIA) of employment space (B1 use class), 13 car parking spaces, 50 cycle parking spaces, shared communal garden, hard and soft landscaping and associated refuse provision (*Barnet Council 19/6786/FUL*)

Nos 45 – 47. 14 Feb 2022. Planning application for demolition of existing building and redevelopment of the site to provide a five-storey building comprising of 32. self-contained residential units with car and cycle parking, refuse storage and associated amenity space, landscaping and access (*Barnet Council 22/6002/FUL*)

Nos 47 - 63. 11 Feb 2006. A notice from Barnet Council affixed to a lamp post says that they are introducing No Waiting at Any Time restrictions opposite Nos 47-63

No 47. 9 Jun 2017. Planning application for part single, part two-storey side and rear extensions. Roof extension involving new crown roof and rear dormer window (*Barnet Council 17/3697/HSE*)

No 49. 7 Feb 2003. Application approved for conversion of first and second floor to 2 self-contained units (*Barnet Council N/07483/C/03*)

No 49. 7 Feb 2003. Application approved for single storey rear extension to shop (*Barnet Council N/07483/B/03*)

No 51. 5 Jun 1952. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

**No 52 see Friern Hospital and Princess Park Manor**

No 53. 18 Dec 1941. There are stables at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 53. 15 July 2003. Krishna Vision and Post Office shuttered (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 53. 8 Aug 2014. Planning application for change of use of existing A1 Opticians (Haria Opticians) to a joint use as A1 Opticians and D1 Dentists Practice (*Barnet Council B/04295/14*)

No 55. 9 Feb 1960. Application approved for new shopfront (E Davies) (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*)

No 55. 14 Nov 2003. Application approved for change of use from Retail (A1) to Food and drink (A3) including extractor ducting at rear (*Barnet Council N/01830/F/03*)

No 55. 2 Sep 2004. Application approved for new shopfront (*Barnet Council N/01830/H/04*)

No 56. 8 Sep 1949. Application approved for new pedestrian access to Friern Hospital (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*)

No 57. 11 Jan 1938. Application approved for brick garage (E Davies) (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*)

No 57. 22 Jun 2005. Daybourne Ltd looks to be closed (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 57. Jul 2006. Under Offer (*Harry Gluck FB&DLHS*)

No 57. 7 Feb 2007. Application approved for change of basement/ground floor from A1 (shop) to A3 (restaurant/hot for takeaway) and addition of ducting at rear (*Barnet Council N/00683/C/07*)

No 57a. 17 Feb 2014. Planning application for conversion of house into 3 self- contained units following first floor rear extension. Extension to roof including rear dormer window to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council B/00362/14*)

No 57a. 6 Oct 2014. Planning application for conversion of existing dwelling into 2 self-contained flats including new front bike store; second floor rear extension and extension to roof including rear dormer and 3 front rooflights to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council B/05479/14*)

No 59. 25 May 2007. Planning application for ground, first and second floor rear extension and conversion of existing dwelling above A1 retail outlet to 1 1-bed unit and 1 2-bed unit (*Barnet Council N/00683/C/07*)

No 59. 17 Jun 2008. Work is taking place behind the Noble Wines shop. The back garden is surrounded by boards and a sign says Lakshmi Construction (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 61 20 Jun 1889. Application approved extending Becketts shop (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 61. Mar-Jun 1899. Planning application for shopfitting works (H K Beckett, submitted by F E and G Maund, 336 Old Street, EC) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00545*)

No 61. 5 Aug 1910. Application approved for store shed at rear (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*)

No 61. 10 Dec 1935 & 5 Mar 1936. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*)

No 61. 14 Mar 1946 & 13 Mar 1947. Application approved for use of Anderson shelter as a shed (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*)

No 61. 11 Nov 1948. Application approved for internal alterations (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*)

No 61. 6 May 2010. Planning application for erection of two storey detached dwelling including basement and parking space (*Barnet Council B/01723/10*)



No 61. 19 Dec 2014. Planning application for creation of new self-contained unit following single storey side/rear extension and single-storey rear extension, creation of basement level and insertion of two light wells (*Barnet Council 14/07846/FUL*)

No 61. 8 Jun 2015. Planning application for single storey rear extensions, construction of new basement level with 2 lightwells, provision of amenity space and refuse, following the demolition of the existing garage (*Barnet Council 14/03288/FUL*)

No 61. 11 Jul 2016. Planning application for change of use from A1 (retail) to A3 (restaurant/café) (retrospective application) (*Barnet Council 16/3993/CRU*)

No 61. 20 Mar 2019. Planning application for single storey rear extensions, construction of new basement level with 2 lightwells, provision of amenity space, refuse storage and cycle store following the demolition of the existing garage to create a self-contained flat (*Barnet Council 19/1386/FUL*)

No 63. 12 Jun 1962. Application approved for conversion of first floor bedroom into bathroom (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*)

No 73. (The Mirror Laundry). 16 Jan 1930. Application approved for shop front (Mirror Laundry) (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*) & Jan-Feb 1930. Planning application for shop front (Mirror Laundry, submitted by C W Reeves Son & Rason, 3 Gray's Inn Square, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02775*)

No 73. 21 Apr 2007. Barnet Watch Repairs has now been replaced. It is now Lotus Springs Beauty and Wellbeing 020 8361 333 (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 75. 3 Dec 1911. Application approved for motor shed at rear (Mr Bunn) (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*)

No 75. Nov 1934 - Jan 1935. Planning application for alteration to shop (J E Watt, submitted by Owen Ward, 598 Green Lanes, Palmers Green, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03165*)

No 75. May 1940. Fire reported due to enemy action (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 75. 10 Jun 1958. Application approved for single storey building at rear (C J Hunt & Co) (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*)

No 75. 10 Jun 1958. Application approved for change of use of rear store building to nursery/day centre including alterations to elevation (*Barnet Council N/00656/P/00*)

No 75. 16 Oct 2006. Planning application for change of use of rear store building to nursery/day centre including alterations to elevation and associated parking space (*Barnet Council N/00656/U/07*)

No 75. 17 Dec 2007. Planning application for installation of ATM machine at shopfront (*Barnet Council N/00656/T/06*)

No 75. 29 Jul 2009. Planning application for single storey front extension consisting of aluminium frame and roller shutters for display of fruit and vegetables (*Friern B/02695/09/00656/T/06*)

No 75. 4 Nov 2009. Planning application for single storey front extension consisting of aluminium frame and roller shutters for the display of fruit and vegetables (*Friern Barnet Supermarket Ltd*) (*Barnet Council B/04026/09*)

No 75. 29 Jan 2010. Planning application for retention of alteration from pitched to flat roof including insertion of windows to both sides of roof. Amendments to external finishes of building and parking layout. Provision of new play area (*Barnet Council B/00426/10*)

No 75. 1 May 2013. Planning application for alterations to the front including new ramp, aluminium posts and glazed panels to facilitate wheelchair access (*Barnet Council B/01742/13*)

No 75. 27 Dec 2017. Planning application for installation of 1 externally illuminated fascia sign (*Barnet Council 17/8169/ADV*)

No 75. 2 Jan 2018. Planning application for change of use from Class A1 to Class A3 use (restaurant). New shopfront with awning. Installation of ducting to rear. Alterations to side entrance to provide disabled access (*Barnet Council 17/8168/FUL*)

No 75. 19 Nov 2019. Planning application for single storey front extension with installation of new shutters (Retrospective Application) (*Barnet Council 19/6153/RCU*)

No 75. 30 Jul 2020. Planning application for reduction of existing front extension canopy and glazing (*Barnet Council 20/3494/FUL*)

No 79. 27 Feb 2007. Planning application for change of use to dwelling house (*Barnet Council N/06312/K/07*)

No 81. 1895. Percy George Rawlings, Private, 1st Battalion, South Staffordshire Regiment, died of wounds 27 October 1918, aged 23, buried in Giavera British Cemetery, Arcade, Italy (casualties from the battle of passage of the River Piave 23 October to 4 November). Percy was born in 1895 in Friern Barnet, eldest of three children of Henry, attendant at Colney Hatch Asylum, and Dorothy Rawlings. He had a younger brother and sister. He was baptised in St James's 4 August 1895. At the time of his birth the family was living at 7 Glenthorne Road. By 1911 they had moved to 81 Friern Barnet Road. By then Henry had been pensioned from the asylum and Percy was working for a tailor (*Parish of Friern Barnet Graves and Memorials of the First World War. Page 20*)

No 81. 14 Jul 1959. Application approved for 2 lock-up garages at rear (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*)

No 83. 10 Jul 1952. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UFC Minutes*)

No 83. 7 Sep 2001. Application approved for single storey side extension, for use as storage for private motor vehicle (*Barnet Council N/07360/D/01*)

No 83. 23 Feb 2002. Application approved for 1 bed chalet style house to replace existing garage (*Barnet Council N/07360/E/02*)

No 83. 20 Oct 2006. Planning application for 1 bed chalet style house at rear of garden in place of existing garage (*Barnet Council N/07360/H/06*)

No 83c. 13 Feb 2007. Planning application for single storey side extension and erection of new mansard roof to facilitate rooms in roofspace (*Barnet Council N/07360/HK/07*)

No 83. 3 Sept 2007. A high concrete wall has been built along the front of this property, fronting on Friern Barnet Road (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 83. 6 Oct 2020. Planning application for replacement of existing fence (*Barnet Council 20/4376/FUL*)

Nos 85, 91, 93 and 97. 3 Apr 1909. The County Council of Middlesex have disposed of 85, 91, 93 and 97 Friern Barnet Road (*Barnet Press 3 Apr 1909*)

Nos 85, 87, 89, 91 and 93 Friern Barnet Road are named Cleavedon Villa, Melrose Villa, Linden Villa, Lennox Villa and The Hollies respectively. The names are incised in the lintels over the front doors (*David Berguer FB&DLHS Aug 2004*)

No 85. 30 Sep 2015. Planning application for single storey rear extension with skylight to provide wet room facility (*Barnet Council 15/06016/HSE*)

No 89 (Linden Villa). Aug 2004. Application approved for conversion into 2 flats (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 91 (Lennox Villa). 14 June 2003. Full frontal scaffolding (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 93 Asylum Road (The Hollies) 27 May 1884. Application approved for addition (Mr Nash) (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

No 93. Christ Church United Reformed church stands at the corner of Friern Barnet and Bellevue roads. The original Congregationalist lecture hall of 1883 - 84 is a red-brick building with stone dressings in an early English style. It contained committee rooms, a common room, and a hall for 300, which was used for services and had an average Sunday congregation of 225 in 1903. A permanent church was built in front in 1910 to the design of George Baines & Co. on a north-south axis. Also of red-brick with stone dressings, it is square with an east transept and a low south-west tower and spire. It has a capacity of 600. The first minister, Benjamin Waugh, 1883-7, was founder of the N.S.P.C.C. (*Victoria County History*)

No 93 Asylum Road (The Hollies) 27 May 1884. Application approved for addition (Mr Nash) (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

No 93. 1902. Christ Church. Mr Reason updated that the Tramways Co had obtained powers for the Compulsory acquisition of land for the widening of Friern Barnet Road and had undertaken to pave with wood blocks the whole of the road in front of the church. Reported that the Light Railway Commission had decided that roadway must be 50 feet and that it be widened on the north side (*Christ Church, New Southgate Minutes 27 Oct 1902. Pages 189-190*)

No 93. Christ Church. 29 Sep 1903. The question of painting of the railings enclosing the church ground was adjourned pending enquiry as to the date when a portion of the land would be required for the coming of the trams (*Christ Church, New Southgate Minutes 29 Sep 1903. Page 225*)

No 93. Christ Church. 29 Nov 1903. It was decided not to proceed with the painting of the outside railings in view of the road having shortly to be widened (*Christ Church, New Southgate Minutes 29 Nov 1903. Page 235*)

No 93. Congregational Church. Planning application for church (George Baines & Son, 5 Clements Inn, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01204*)

No 95. Jul 2002. Formerly a fish shop, For Cod's Sake, is now a Chinese takeaway (which also sells fish & chips) called Jade Bamboo (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 95. 13 Oct 2003. Planning application for 2-storey Class B1 office with glazed roof and entrance canopy in Bellevue Mews at rear on no 95 (*Barnet Council N/04960/F/03*)

No 95. 4 Jan 2008. This is now Shanghai Way selling seafood and Chinese take away (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 95 (rear of no 95 in Bellevue Mews) 16 Mar 2009. Planning application for change of use of building under construction (B1 office) to 1-bed residential unit including raised roof height (Barnet Council B/00908/09)

No 97. 13 May 1948. Application approved for use of business as signwriters (Mac Signs Ltd) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 97. 22 Jun 2004. Is now The Raj Indian take away (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 99. 4 Sep 2003. Planning application for 2- storey extension at rear of Bellevue Mews and use as office space (*Barnet Council N/03667/D/03*)

No 99. 22 Jun 2004. Is now Londis News Extra (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 101. 13 Oct 1949. Application approved for new shopfront (T Wooding) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 101. 11 Sep 2003. Ambra, a new Italian deli and café open until 1pm 7 days a week (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 101. 22 Jun 2004. Is now Yummies, selling ice cream, coffee, tea, drinks etc let (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 101. 6 May 2008. Planning application for alterations to existing Mews accommodation to form self-contained office and secure covered parking (*Barnet Council N/00765/08*)

No 103. 22 Jun 2004. Sams Designs is now closed; the shop is to let (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 103. 1 Sep 2010. Planning application for change of use from Class B1 to Class A2 (Estate Agent) at ground floor front and Class D1 (Training Centre) at ground floor and first floor rear and basement level (*Barnet Council B/02211/10*)

No 105. 12 Feb 1964. Application approved for resiting of existing wc (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 129. May 2010. Planning application for first and second floor rear extensions (*Barnet Council B/02082/10*)

No 129. 10 Aug 2011. Planning application for change of use of residential property top class C2 (Supported Housing for adults with Learning Difficulties) and retention of outbuildings to be used as a recreation building in conjunction with C2 use of the main property (*Barnet Council B/03359/11*)

No 133. This was built in 1889 (date on outside) (*David Berguer FB&DLHS 25 Mar 2002*)

No 133. 27 May 2010. Planning application for two storey rear extension, part single, part two storey side extension and single storey side extension. Rear bay windows feature and alterations to fenestration (*Barnet Council B/02023/10*)

No 133. 28 Oct 2010. Planning application for single storey side/two storey rear extension. Bay window to first floor (*Barnet Council B/04303/10*)

No 137 (Clovelly). 1914. Henry Ernest Baggs, 2nd Lieutenant 43rd Battalion, Machine Gun Corps, died of wounds as a prisoner of war, 29 June 1918, age 36 at Cassel, Germany. Buried in Niederzwehren Cemetery, Germany. Son of Charles, a solicitors' managing clerk, and Louisa Baggs, of Clovelly, 137 Friern Barnet Road. Henry was born in 1882 in Islington and baptised at St Anne's Islington. He was the fourth of six children, four boys and two girls. Before the war he worked as an insurance clerk (*Parish of Friern Barnet Graves and Memorials of the First World War. Page 8*)

No 139. 5 Mar 1936. The house has been adapted for use by 2 families (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 141, 143, 145. 27 Feb 1909. "Your committee beg to report that the sales of the following properties have been completed and the purchase money has been paid over to the County Council – 141 Friern Barnet Road, 143 Friern Barnet Road and 145 Friern Barnet Road." (*Barnet Press 27 Feb 1909*)

No 141. 17 Oct 1919. Application approved for alterations (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 143, 145, 147. 6 March 1909. The Middlesex County Council have sold 30 Station Road, New Southgate, and 141, 143 and 145 Friern Barnet Road. These are premises bought for county purposes, viz., the widening of the road for trams (*Barnet Press 6 March 1909*)

No 143. 11 Jul 1919. Application approved for verandah (Mr G Harris) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Stanford Court. 30 Oct 2018. Planning application for additional storey at third floor level to provide 4no self-contained flats (*Barnet Council 18/6019/FUL*)

No 147. 11 Oct 1955 & 8 Nov 1955. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 147. 11 Feb 1964. Application approved for conversion of house into two self-contained flats (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 147. 12 Jul 1955. Application approved for double garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 147. 25 Jan 2000. Planning application for conversion of house into 3 self-contained flats (*Barnet Council C/01988/G/00*)

No 185. 7 Nov 1961. Application approved for conservatory (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 197. 1 Dec 1965. Planning application for crossover to highway (Mrs & Miss Flowers) (*Barnet Council Minutes 1 Dec 1965 N 224*)

No 107. The closing years of World War Two gave rise, in Friern Barnet and elsewhere, to thoughts about the possible long-term effects of the war on teenagers. St James's Church in Friern Barnet Lane, through its Rector McCloud and curate Rev. Peter Bradey felt strongly about the need for a boys' social club to complement the existing and well-established organisations such as Scouts, Guides and Cadet Forces. Such a club, McCloud argued should encourage boys to work out for themselves what they wanted to do rather than take part in organised programmes. It could, moreover, be open to teenage boys irrespective of their religion, colour or any other background. In 1943 such a club was opened in the Scout hut on the path between Goldsmith Road and Glenthorne Road. It was a modest start with about twenty members meeting on a Monday evening and activities centered round a supply of tea, coffee and cake. McCloud, however, had greater ambitions for his project and, thanks to a sympathetic member of his parish, new premises were found – a disused shop at 107 Friern Barnet Road opposite the gates of Colney Hatch. The building had been badly damaged in an air raid with its windows blown out and boarded up the interior was in terrible condition. The repair team who made it habitable included several members of the club and on 1 January 1945, Friern Barnet Church Boys' Club was opened by the Bishop of Willesden and the club affiliated to both the London and National Federation of Boys' Clubs. The club comprised a front room with a snooker table and an upstairs room with a woodwork bench, table tennis table and a piano which had come from the Scout hut. A small kitchen at the back included a catering counter (built by member George Guy) and the leader's office. A fundraising dance at the Town Hall provided money for cups and saucers and a gas stove came from a bombed house. It was against such a modest background that the Club survived and prospered. Its football team was popular in its strip of blue and white shirts which had to be handed in after each game because clothes rationing made them impossible to replace. Other activities included talks from a local doctor, live music evenings, camping holidays, sports days and LFBC activities. The Club had friendly relations with the Girls' club run by Elsie Chamberlain. At the heart of this story, however, is the achievement of one of Friern Barnet's unsung heroes, Hubert Matthews, who became leader of the Club and had an enormous influence on so many of its young people in the immediate post-war years. He was born in Muswell Hill in 1918 and before being involved in youth work was employed in the Book Department of Harrods. In a recorded interview in 1988 he described how he had originally been a volunteer helper in youth work with people such as Rector McCloud and Eric Bassett, the Scoutmaster of 199 North London Troop. The Rector obtained a grant from the Ministry of Education which provided a salary for a fulltime youth leader running a 5-day a week club. He took the post. The old Club, like the war years in which it took shape, is now part of history. Even the ancient parish church which founded it has changed profoundly, probably reflecting the huge ethnic changes to Friern Barnet. What has survived, however, is the memory of inspirational people such as Hubert Matthews and Pastor McCleod who dedicated their lives to making Friern Barnet a better place in which to live (*Friern Barnet Newsletter No 63 Sep 2015*)

No 109. 13 Nov 2015. A Greek restaurant in Friern Barnet could have its licence reviewed over a series of breaches. Police say they have "no faith" in The Greedy Greek's management, after the

restaurant failed to operate CCTV and continued to sell alcohol –even when told not to. The owners were granted an alcohol licence last October, after they were refused one in December 2013 because of a history of criminal activity at the venue. But the restaurant has had no designated premises supervisor – which everywhere selling alcohol must have – since June, yet has continued to sell alcohol, according to Barnet Council’s licensing team. The authority’s licensing sub-committee will decide whether to grant a review on Monday (16 November) in Hendon Town Hall. In a letter to the Council, PC Vicky Wilcock said police have “no faith” in the ability of the management to run the restaurant. She said: “Police are primarily concerned about the number of times in which this premises has come to their attention for their inability to adhere to the licence conditions set out by the licensing sub-committee when the licence was granted in October 2014. Specific conditions were placed on the licence to help prevent crime and disorder as addressed in the objections made to the application. The MPs has no faith in the ability of the management to operate the premises in accordance with the licence or take on board advice and direction given by the licensing authorities.” During a visit in August, police also found no one was able to operate the CCTV system. The sons of the licence holders are also prohibited from helping run the restaurant or visit it during opening hours – yet officers say they have been seen numerous times. The council’s licensing team says it is “satisfied” the restaurant has breached its licence and believe that allowing it to continue to trade will “undermine” the prevention of crime and disorder. When contacted by The Times Series yesterday, a staff member at the restaurant said “There is nothing really to say, apart from the fact that the place is under new management (*Barnet Times 13 Nov 2015*)

No 111. 1 Jun 1950. Application approved for minor internal alterations (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 111a. 8 Mar 2018. Planning application for conversion of existing dwelling into 2no self-contained flats. First floor rear extension (*Barnet Council 18/1208/FUL*)

No 113. 20 Oct 1902. Application approved for workshop at rear (H G Pickering) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 113. 14 Jul 1959. Application approved for use of existing premises car hire and driving school in addition to existing newsagent (Mrs A Stebbings) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 113. 13 Dec 2001. I visited the shop which has a vertical line of beautiful ceramic tiles embossed with the picture of a stag. The shop is now Rett Syndrome charity who took it over from Contone Printing whose owner, Les Hinckley, has now taken over the premises that were once Thorne Printing in Friern Barnet Lane. Back in 1989 this shop was HI International Hair Design (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 113. 15 Jan 2008. Planning application for conversion of first and second floor flat into 2 self-contained units (*Barnet Council N/00628/F/07*)

No 113. 14 Feb 2008. Planning application for single storey rear extension to provide light industrial/office space (*Barnet Council N/00628/G/08*)

No 113. 12 Feb 2015. Planning application for extension to ground floor at rear to create a two-bed self-contained flat including provision of vehicle access., parking, amenity space and refuse collection areas) (*Barnet Council 15/00678/FUL*)

No 113. 28 Apr 2015. Planning application for extension to existing rear projection with roof lights to both front and rear elevations to extend existing ground floor flat. Demolition of a single storey rear projection to create courtyard/amenity space and refuse collection areas (*Barnet Council 15/02071/FUL*)

No 113. 24 Jul 2015. Planning application for single storey rear extension to existing dry cleaning laundry business (*Barnet Council 15/04339/FUL*)

No 113. 24 May 2016. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council 15/3344/FUL*)

No 115 (The Firs) 3 Jul 1894. Application approved for 2 wc's (Rev F Hall) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 115 - 115a. (The Firs). Jun 1901. Application for shops (G Lethbridge, 7 Draper Gardens, Throgmorton Avenue submitted by E J Reynolds, surveyor) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00704*) & No ? (The Firs). 4 Jun 1901. Application approved for conversion into shops (Mr Haydon) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 115a. 6 Jul 1966. Planning application for illuminated sign (The Friern Stores Ltd) (*Barnet Council Minutes N597*)

Nos 115 - 115a. 15 Nov 2012. Planning application for new shopfront (*Barnet Council B/04243/12*)

Nos 115 - 115a. 7 Nov 2012. Planning application for new installation of externally illuminated fascia sign and internally illuminated projecting sign (*Barnet Council B/04244/12*)

No 115a. 16 Dec 2002. Application approved for formation of 1-bed residential unit at rear of shop (*Barnet Council N/06597/D/02*)

No 115a. 1 Apr 2003. The Italian Delicatessen (Sidoli) has closed down (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 115a. 16 Jun 2003. Planning application for change of use from A1 (Retail) to Food & Drink (A3) (*Barnet Council N/00597/E/03*)

No 116. 13 Oct 1959. Application approved for use of ground floor as surgery and waiting room (Dr M J O'Sullivan) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 117. 13 Oct 1959. Application approved for conversion of house into 3 self-contained 1-bed maisonettes and 2 garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 119. 5 Oct 1923. Application approved for temporary motor cycle shed (Mr Harman) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 119. 9 Jul 1957. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 119. 23 Jul 2002. Planning application approved for conversion into 2 self-contained flats (*Barnet Council N/13289/02*)

No 119. 4 May 2016. Planning application for extension to roof including one rear dormer window and 2 front dormer windows to extension to existing first floor flat (*Barnet Council 16/2831/FUL*)

No 119. 22 Feb 2017. Planning application for roof extension involving front and rear dormer window. Enlargement of first floor rear window (*Barnet Council 17/1034/FUL*)

No 119. 21 Sep 2016. Planning application for extension to roof including front and rear dormer window and 1 rooflight to front elevation (*Barnet Council 16/5853/FUL*)

No 119. 31 Aug 2018. Planning application for Non-material amendment to planning permission 16/5853/FUL dated 14/11/16 for `Extension to roof including front and rear dormer window and 1no rooflight to front elevation` Amendments include omission of the front dormer and replacement with 3no front rooflights, removal of front chimney and addition of rear dormer window with Juliette balcony (*Barnet Council 18/5344/NMA*)

No 119. 10 Oct 2018. Planning application for roof extension involving rear dormer, window and 3no front rooflights (*Barnet Council 18/5985/FUL*)

No 121. 30 Nov 2007. Planning application approved for conversion into 2 self-contained flats (*Barnet Council N/02524/C/07*)

No 125 was built in 1882 (date on outside) (*David Berguer 25 Mar 2002*)

No 125. 1911. Horace Chares Irwin, 2nd Lieutenant, 10th Battalion, Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders, MM, killed in action 20 July 1918, aged 27, buried in Marfaux British cemetery. Marfaux had been captured by the Germans May 1918 and was retaken after severe fighting 23 July 1918 by the 51st highland Division and the 62nd Division. Horace embarked for France 1 August 1915. He was awarded the Military Medal in January 1917 when a lance-corporal, promoted to corporal and then commissioned. The Friern Barnet parish magazine of January 1917 congratulated him on the award of the MM, then, in February 1917, reported that he had been recommended for a commission, and in September 1918 that he had been "killed in action in the present offensive.....buried at dawn on 21 August in the Bois de Courtin. Horace was born 1891 in Barnet, fourth of the nine children (seven boys, two girls) of Alexander and Lilian Irwin. The three eldest children were born in Clapham, but by the time of Horace's birth the family had moved to Friern Barnet. He was baptised in St James's 16 July 1893, together with his younger brother Sydney. His sister Irene was baptised there in 1895 and brothers Cyril and Arthur and sister Kathleen in 1901. In 1891 the family was living at 2 Bellevue Road, in 1901 at Woodstock Villa, Hartland Road and by 1911 had moved to 125 Friern Barnet Road, where Lilian continued to live until her death in 1945. Horace worked as a railway clerk, as did his father and three of his brothers. His father died in 1912. Five of Horace's brothers served in the war: Alexander, the eldest, who had emigrated to Canada, with the Canadian Scottish; Ernest, Leicestershire Regiment; Douglas, Royal Garrison artillery; Sydney, County of London Yeomanry, Machine Gun Corps; Cyril, the destroyer HMS Nerissa, which took part in the Battle of Jutland (the youngest, Arthur, was too young) (*Parish of Friern Barnet Graves and Memorials of the First World War. Page 17*)

No 125. 22 Jan 1952. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 125. 14 Feb 2005. Planning application approved for alterations to roof including rear dormer window to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council N/07941/G/05*)

No 125. 18 Apr 2012. Planning application for first floor rear extension. Roof extension involving rear dormer window and rooflights to the front and conversion of basement including associated lightwells to front and rear to create 4 additional rooms to existing HMO (*Barnet Council B/01314/12*)

No 125. 20 Nov 2012. Planning application for first floor rear extension. roof extension involving rear dormer windows and rooflights to the front to create 2 additional rooms to existing HMO (*Barnet Council B/04238./12*)

No 125.1 Nov 2021. Planning application for change of use from HMO to C3 for use as a residential childrens home (*Barnet Council 21/5471/192*)

No 131. 3 Aug 2020. Planning application for conversion of property into 3 self-contained units. Part single, part two storey side and rear extension. Alterations and extension to existing roof. Associated refuse/recycling area and cycle store (*Barnet Council 20/3541/FUL*)

No 131. 2 Dec 2020. Planning application for erection of a two-storey dwelling with rooms in the roofspace following demolition of the existing garage. Associated off street parking, cycle store, refuse and recycling and amenity space (*Barnet Council 20/5766/FUL*)

No 131. 18 Feb 2021. Planning application for conversion of the existing dwelling into 3 self-contained flats including part single, part two storey side and rear extension. Associated refuse/recycle area and cycle store (*Barnet Council 21/0891/FUL*)

No 131. 23 Nov 2022. Planning application for erection of a two-storey dwelling with basement level and rooms in the roofspace following demolition of the existing garage. Associated outbuilding, car parking, cycle/refuse and recycling storage (*Barnet Council 22/5635/FUL*)

No 133. Two-storey detached house with distinctive tower feature, and front facing gable end. Yellow brick with stone detailing to windows. Bay windows to front elevation and side entrance porch (*Barnet Council Local List*)



Nos 201 - 203. Jun - Jul 1908. Planning application for houses (J Reynolds, 128 High Street, North Finchley, agent H G Waters, Fallow Court Avenue) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01123*)

The Broadway. Sep-Oct 1896. Planning application for shops (Joseph Newman, Macdonald Road. New Southgate) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00372*)

No 1 The Broadway. 7 Sep 1950 & 1 Feb 1951. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 1 The Broadway. Jun 2002. Venus the off licence on the corner of Macdonald Road and Friern Barnet Road has had its graffiti bedecked shutters closed down for months. Perhaps it has gone out of business? At the other end of that parade of shops is a shop that always had an opaque front window; the shop never seemed to be open to the general public. In the 1960s it was Earmans, a commercial stationer. Some months ago there must have been a fire there (smoke marks on the window) and the business has been closed ever since. Indeed, the chap to the east of the shop, who sells plants from the yard next to his bungalow (which is, in turn, on the corner of Stanford Road) puts whole racks of plants outside the burnt shop, so he obviously thinks the latter is closed for good (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 1 The Broadway. 1953 - 54. According to a Ration Book for 1953 - 54 belonging to Mrs A Barton of 133 Friern Barnet Road, her grocer was A Jobson of 1 The Broadway (*FB&DLHS Archives: Paper Ephemera no PE275*)

No 1 The Broadway. 12 May 2005. Scaffolding to roof and protective plastic sheeting (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 2 The Broadway. 17 Oct 1919. Petrol licence granted for 1 year (A N Chalkley) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 2 The Broadway. 5 Mar 1926. On Monday a fire broke out at the premises of Mr Oliver George Holmes, motor garage proprietor. A magneto fell from a bench in the workshop at the back of the shop to the floor and sparked, and apparently caused some petrol in a tray to ignite. The fire spread to the showrooms in front of the premises. An employee raised the alarm and the Fire Brigade attended. Considerable damage was caused (*Finchley Press 5 Mar 1926*)

No 2 The Broadway. 31 Jan 2006. R&T is closed. A paper notice in the door states that the proprietor, Bob, has died on Monday 16 Jan, funeral to be on Tuesday 24 Jan (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 2 The Broadway. 13 Aug 2012. Planning application for conversion of existing building to form 5 flats with alterations to ground floor fenestration including light well, new windows and door to front and new window to rear elevation. Extension to roof including rear dormer window and roof lights to front elevation to extend existing loft conversion (*Barnet Council B/02752/12*)

No 2 The Broadway. 9 Jun 2015. Planning application for retention of 5 self-contained flats and 1 A2 unit to ground floor level (*Barnet Council 15/02429/FUL*)

No 2a The Broadway. 12 May 2003. Planning application for conversion of existing apartment into 3 residential units (*Barnet Council N/13711/03*)

No 2a The Broadway. 11 Aug 2016. Planning application for rear dormer third floor flat with 2 Juliette balconies (*Barnet Council 16/5060/FUL*)

No 2 The Broadway. 16 Dec 2020. Planning application for part change of ground floor use former A1 (Retail) and A2 (unit) use to Class C3 (Residential) 1 unit (*Barnet Council 20/6068/PNR*)

No 3 The Broadway. This was once a butcher's shop and had ceramic tiles on the walls that featured farmyard animals. Apparently, the tiles are still there, behind the wooden cladding (*Donovan's Diary 2 Jul 2002*)

No 3 The Broadway. 15 Jan 1928. There was a fire on the premises (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 3 The Broadway. 22 Jan 1952. Application approved for use of shop as aquarists and naturalists (W T Jeffries) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 3b The Broadway, 5 Jun 2018. Planning application for change of use of the first, second and third floor residential units to a house of multiple occupancy for 7 people (*Barnet Council 18/3361/FUL*)

No 3b The Broadway. 12 Feb 2019. Planning application for roof extension involving rear dormer window and 2 front facing rooflights (*Barnet Council 19/0741/FUL*)

No 4 The Broadway. 2 Apr 1909. Application approved for conversion of stable into dairy (Friern Manor Dairy Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & Feb-Apr 1909. Planning application for converting stable into dairy (Friern Manor Dairy Co submitted by J F Wetherill, 7 Rosemont Mansions, Lithos Road, NW) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01191*)

No 4 The Broadway. 10 Feb 1959. Application approved for car showroom vehicular access (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 4 The Broadway. 11 Oct 1960. Application approved for change of use from car sales to dental laboratory on ground floor (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 4 The Broadway. 14 Mar 2019. Planning application for change of use from storage or distribution centre (Class B8) to dwelling house (Class C3) (*Barnet Council 19/1345/PNP*)

No 4 The Broadway. 17 Mar 2020. Planning application for prior approval change of use of ground floor and basement Class A2 use to residential (*Barnet Council 20/1442/PNJ*)

No 6 The Broadway. This was once Easman's, a commercial stationers. I believe one of our members once told me that it was also, earlier, a fish shop, and the proprietor sold it and opened another nearly opposite Palmville Garage in Colney Hatch Lane (*Donovan's Diary 2 Jul 2002*)

No 6 The Broadway. 7 Dec 1999. Planning application for change of use from retail (A1) to professional and financial services (A2) (*Barnet Council N/00982/C/99*)

No 6 The Broadway. 24 Sept 2005. Scaffolding up to roof level front and back. Small chipboard lean to hut built from shop front out onto pavement (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 6 The Broadway. 7 Jan 2005. Scaffolding gone. Chipboard hut extended to edge of forecourt. Notice attached: Adams Chartered Surveyors Project Management 020 8360 9984 (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 6 The Broadway. 30 Jan 2005. Chipboard hut removed. New front to ground floor of building, new bricks, 2 UPVC sash windows. Net curtains up, looks almost residential except the Surveyors board is still in the window (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 6 The Broadway. 13 Apr 2005. Iron paling fence with double gates built out at front to area the chipboard hut used to cover. Railings painted terracotta. Gardeners Paradise using it as an extension to their showing area, especially for taller plants (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 6 The Broadway. 10 Mar 2006. This former empty shop has now been bricked up at the front and appears to have been turned into a home (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 8 The Broadway. 5 Mar 2005. Little Garden Centre reopened for the summer. Proper sign now in place: Gardeners Paradise (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 8 The Broadway. 4 Mar 2006. Gardeners Paradise reopened with Spring planting and accessories (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 8 The Broadway. 17 Oct 2006. Temporary firework store opened on forecourt of Gardeners Paradise (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 8 The Broadway. 2 Dec 2006. The firework store has gone and the usual Christmas trees, holly, mistletoe and wreathes are on sale until 24 Dec (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

Friern Barnet Library The existing library in Friern Barnet Road was built in 1933-34. (*Victoria County History page 29*)

Friern Barnet Library. 24 May 1930. We understand there is a possibility of a piece of land in Friern Barnet-road being acquired for a public library and reading room. No financial assistance towards the purchase of the land is expected from the County Council. A number of influential and wealthy local residents are backing the scheme and it is possible the District Council may make a substantial contribution. There are three public libraries in the district, but there is no reading room attached to any of them and it is felt that a reading room would be a much appreciated acquisition to the amenities of the district. One of the reasons given by a man for appealing against his assessment was that there was no reading room available locally. The library committee have received notice from the District Council that the library room at The Priory will shortly be required for Council purposes (*Barnet Press 24 May 1930*)

Friern Barnet Library was officially opened on Friday 23 March 1934 at 5.30pm. It was designed by the Middlesex County Architect W T Curtis and it cost £3782 to build. The Carnegie trust donated £1140 towards the cost. The very first library ticket was issued to Councillor A C Henry who performed the opening ceremony (*Friern Barnet Newsletter Sep 2001 Page 9*)

Friern Barnet Library. Apr - Jun 1964. Planning application for extension to library (MCC, 1 Queen Anne's Gate Buildings, Dartmouth Street) (*Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/05984*)

Friern Barnet Library. Apr 2003. Library closed for a week for refurbishment – children's department had new shelving (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

Friern Barnet Library. 26 May 2011. Much Cherished by Alex Hayes. Families joined together on Saturday to support a library threatened with closure. Around 400 book-lovers gathered at Friern Barnet Library, in Friern Barnet Road, and took part in a silent reading protest against Barnet Council's plans to combine the library with North Finchley Library, at the artsdepot, In Nether Street, North Finchley. More than 540 people have also signed an online petition on the council's website. Tamar Andruiser said: "Our children love Friern Barnet Library. They started coming to story time with the librarian when they were two, arriving in their double buggy. Many homework topics have been researched there and now they visit independently four times a week to borrow books, always chatting to school friends and neighbours while they're there. Friern Barnet Library is not just a friendly, peaceful place to discover books or to use the computers, it is also an important and much-cherished centre for the community." Martin Russo, who is helping to co-ordinate the campaign said: "It was a great success and I hope it has the impact we want. There's also a group looking at whether we can launch a bid for the village green status for land next to the library. It's been used by a lot of people for a long time and we don't want to lose it to developers." (*Barnet & Potters Bar Times 26 May 2011 Page 4*)

Friern Barnet Library. 4 Feb 2013. The keys to the library were handed over to the Committee by the squatters at a ceremony held at the library at which press and TV were present (*David Berger FB&DLHS*)

Friern Barnet Community Library. A single storey neo-Tudor building in multi-red brick with stone dressings (painted) and clay tiled roof. The main elevation is symmetrical with a central arch-headed panelled oak double door flanked by fluted stone pilasters and entablature above; three equal gables with raised verges and stone finials, the centre gable has a clock in a stone frame. Transomed and mullioned windows with 9- and 12 -pane leaded lights. Built in 1934 by Middlesex

County Council, the library contained a lending section, a reference section, reading room and librarian's room. There is a now one large common space which includes a children's area and computer area, and separate kitchen and bathroom facilities. Closed by Barnet Council in 2011 and subsequently re-opened as a Community Library run by local volunteers (*Barnet Council Local List*)

5 St John's Buildings. Mar 1901-Aug 1903. Application for bank (J Beaumont Tansley, Northanger Road, Streatham, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00686*)

20 Nov 2001. Planning application for installation of staff toilet at bus stand *Barnet Council C14677/01*)

Grammar School. Aug - Oct 1955. Planning application for school (John Phillips, 117 Ashurst Road, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04673*)

Woodside Park School. Aug 2002. Bright tallow/gold heavy-duty plastic sheeting inside the railings block views of the playground from passers-by, now replaced by similar royal blue plastic sheeting. Also the short flagpoles along the top of the library and classroom block parallel to the road have been removed (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

Woodside Park School (aka Friern Barnet International School, formerly the Grammar School). Aug 2002. Work being done inside, but strong, bright yellow plastic sheeting fixed along length of railings, blocking out the view of the school and, more particularly, the pupils in the playground. A sign of the times in child protection (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

Woodside Park International School. 19 Jul 2005. Planning application for new entrance foyer to improve security and access (*Barnet Council N/01603/H/05*)

St John's Villas appear for the first time in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet' for the first time in 1911

No 1 St John's Villas. May 2003. At last this seems to be finished, including painting of the whole of the tall rear chimney stack brilliant white (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 1. 20 Nov 2017. Roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer window, 3 rooflights to front and new gable window to side elevation to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council 17/7304/192*)

No 2 St John's Villas. 10 Jul 2003. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/13666/A/03*)

No 2 St John's Villas. 15 Sep 2004. Huge pile of sand delivered next to skip and bricks. Whole family arrived from grandparents to grandchildren and worked removing all manner of rubbish, bushes, wood and pipes into a lorry, possibly prior to bricking over whole rear garden. 18 Sep. More bricks and sand arrived. 21 Sep 2004. Speculation over – it's a single storey rear extension (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 2 St John's Villas. 21 Mar 2012. Planning application for proposed access ramp with handrails to front of property and raised hardstanding with handrails to rear of property (*Barnet Council B/01039/12*)

No 2 St Johns Villas. 18 Jun 2014. Planning application for formation of hardstanding and associated vehicular access (Miss J Chandaria, 2 St Johns Villas, Friern Barnet Road, N11 3BU) (*Barnet Council B/03321/14*)

No 3 St John's Villas. 1 Dec 1911. Application approved for store shed at rear (Mr H Cook) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 3 St John's Villas. 7 Jan 2015. Planning application for roof extension including 1 rear dormer window and 2 front facing roof lights to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council 15/00042/192*)

No 3 St John's Villas. 7 Jan 2015. Planning application part single, part two storey rear extension (*Barnet Council 15/00064/HSE*)

No 3 St John's Villas. 7 Jan 2015. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 6 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 3 metres and maximum height of 4 metres (*Barnet Council 15/00070/PNH*)

No 3 St John's Villas. 7 Jan 2015. Planning application for roof extension including 1 rear dormer window and 2 front facing roof lights to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council 15/00042/192*)

No 4 St John's Villas. 12 Sep 2004. The back garden is being cut back hard. Lorry load of bricks delivered (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 5 St John's Villas. 19 Mar 1952. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 5 St John's Villas. 21 Apr 1965. Planning application approved for extension to kitchen (*Barnet Council Minutes 21 Apr 1965*)

No 5 St John's Villas. 16 Jun 2005. Planning application for conversion into 2 self-contained flats, single storey rear extension and alterations to roof including rear dormer window to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council N/14714/05*)

No 5 St John's Villas. 10 Jul 2005. Sold at last – 18 months on the market (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 5 St John's Villas. 23 Sep 2005. Concrete mixer and equipment delivered. Approx 2doz bags of sand and cement delivered and stacked on edge of pavement

No 5 St Johns Villas. 20 Oct 2005. Front garden piled high with rubble and wood. Looks like the inner lath and plaster walls (houses on this estate built 1907 and have several lath and plaster walls). Also bags of cement piled in porch. Interior completely gutted by the looks of it (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 5 St John's Villas. 4 Nov 2005. Men moving rubbish from front garden. New white UPVC windows being fitted front and back matching those of surrounding houses. Appearance of sash, bottom plain, top half Georgian bars 3 x 2 horizontally. New wooden, half glazed front door matching originals as far as poss (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 5 St John's Villas. 22 Nov 2005. Original stone 3inch thick x 8 feet wide window sills removed (these were the same as ours, which I measured). Downstairs ones replaced by slightly thinner stone ones. Upstairs not replaced (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 5 St John's Villas. 12 Dec 2005. Front garden cleared. Men talking to a "Rubbish Cleared" lorry driver, but no deal struck as he just drove off. Work continuing on the interior by the lights. It is supposed to be being made into two self-contained flats (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 5 St John's Villas. 18 Jan 2006. Huge pile of rubbish and rubble removed from rear and two large bags of top soil delivered (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 5 St John's Villas. 27 Jan 2006. Garage removed and scaffolding removed (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 5 St John's Villas. 8 Feb 2006. (All external pipework from bathroom and kitchen removed, with the exception of the stack pipe (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*))

No 5 St John's Villas. Mar 2006. Grab lorry removing more debris from rear. To Let board gone up at front (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 5 St John's Villas. 30 Apr 2006. People moved in upstairs and down. Still some rubbish at back (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 6 St John's Villas. 1 Dec 1965. Planning application for garage (*Barnet Council Minutes 1 Dec 1965 BN 362*)

No 8 St John's Villas. 5 Oct 1923. Application approved for temporary garage (Dr Shepherd) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 8 St John's Villas. 21 May 1931. Application approved for addition (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 8 St John's Villas. 10 Mar 1936. Application approved for addition to new surgery and waiting room (Dr V Crameri) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 8 & 8a St John's Villas. 29 Apr 2009. Planning application for replacement of existing windows and door with UPVC window and door (*Barnet Council B/01405/09*)

No 9 St John's Villas. 28 Oct 1944. Weekly rent quoted as 15s 3d (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 9 St John's Villas. 9 May 1946. Application for requisition to be lifted (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 10 St John's Villas. 22 Mar 2006. Skip delivered to rear. Large RSJ delivered. Going past the front of the house after dark that evening, lights on, no curtains, they appear to be making although-room downstairs, hence rubble appearing to fill pot holes along the service road, alongside no 2 (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 11 St John's Villas. 7 Apr 2006. New wooden units in front garden – could be kitchen or bedroom. Carpenter working on units and other wood in front garden (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

Nos 11-12 St John's Villas. Dec 2002. New featherboard fence now painted pale blue (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

12 St John's Villas. 1909. Bernard Hardie, Private, The Buffs, killed in action 3 May 1917, aged 31, commemorated on the Arras Memorial, Pas de Calais. Bernard was born in 1886 in Finsbury Park, fifth of seven children, three girls and four boys, of Thomas, a solicitor's clerk, and Mary Hardie. Thomas died in 19066. By 1909 the family had moved to Coniston Road, Muswell Hill. Bernard was married 4 September that year, at St Andrew's Alexandra Park, to Elsie Lever. The couple lived at 12 St John's Villas. Bernard worked as an insurance clerk. A daughter, Ruth, was born in 1910 (*Parish of Friern Barnet Graves and Memorials of the First World War. Page 15*)

No 12 St John's Villas. 18 Jun 1931. Application approved for bay window (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 13 St John's Villas. 14 Nov 1946. Application for requisition to be lifted (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 13 St John's Villas. 20 Sep 2004. New UPVC replacement windows installed (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 15 St John's Villas. 16 Jun 2005. Planning application for change of use from residential terraced house to GPs surgery as an extension to current established surgery in adjoining premises (*Barnet Council N/02805/08*)

No 15 St John's Villas. 10 Feb 2011. Friern Barnet Medical Centre was officially opened after a revamp by its oldest and youngest patient last Thursday. Around 60 people gathered at the clinic in St John's Villas as 103- year old Lilian Goodwin and the parents of two weeks old Charlotte Borg cut a red ribbon at the entrance to the building. The centre was established in 1944 in a semi-detached three-bedroom house and the refurbishment began in November 2009 after owners Doctor Sneha Patel and Doctor Hitesh Shah purchased the house next door. As well as being twice as big, the centre has new equipment from chairs and beds to computers and stethoscopes. ....Manager Bridie Mangan said: "We currently have around 5000 patients but the extension will

mean we can handle more. It's a fantastic centre and we would like people in the community to make the most of it." (*Barnet & Potters Bar Times 10 Feb 2011. Page 7*)

No 13 St John's Villas. 4 Apr 2006. Bath and accessories in front garden (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 13 St John's Villas. 8 May 2006. New UPVC windows being installed – small, square panes (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 14 St John's Villas. 1 Mar 1951. Application approved for temporary garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 15 St John's Villas. 12 Jan 2005. Roofers – looks like repairs to valley gutters (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 15 St John's Villas. 21 Sep 2005. Pulley, scaffolding and a cover-all tarpaulin up to roof level at the back of the house (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

Nos 15-16 St John's Villas. 1 Apr 2009. Planning application for new entrance porch to surgery (no 16) and adjoining residential unit (no 15) (Friern Barnet Medical Centre) (*Barnet Council B/00932/09*)

No 16 St John's Villas. 19 Dec 1919. Application approved for temporary wooden motor shed (Mr J Davies) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 17 St John's Villas. 6 Jun 1961. Application approved for conversion of house into 2 flats (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 17 St John's Villas. Feb 2003. Rear chimney stack taken down to roof level and roof reinstated over hole with matching slate tiles. The scaffolding was up for a month before work began and nearly two months after it was completed (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 17 St John's Villas. 30 Dec 2005. For Sale board gone up (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 18 St John's Villas. 6 Jun 1961. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 19 St John's Villas. 10 Nov 1959. Application approved for lock-up garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 19 St John's Villas. 16 Nov 2004. Large builder's carrier bags of sand etc delivered to back gate in service road by B&Q (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 20 St John's Villas. 1 Mar 1951. Application approved garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 21 St John's Villas. Apr-May 1909. Planning application for house (C F Day, agent Coleman & Holmes, Highgate, architects and surveyors) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01211*)

No 21 St John's Villas. 19 Jul 2007. A new roof is being put on (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

Queens Parade was built in 1910 (sign on corner of Friern Barnet Lane and Colney Hatch Lane)

QUEEN'S PARADE: A REMINISCENCE by *Pamela Ellis*. The horizons of childhood are very limited. Growing up in Friern Barnet in the 1950s and early 60s, I knew 'the shops', 'the library' and 'the park' – respectively Queen's Parade, Friern Barnet Library and, of course, Friary Park. Any other shops, library or park had to be specified, event the shops just beyond the junction on Woodhouse Road. Living as I did in Hollyfield Avenue, the shops on Queen's Parade were very local indeed; even if not 'going to the shops', I would pass them every day on my way to and from the bus that took me to school in North Finchley. At a distance of more than forty years I can recall most of the quite clearly. Usually referred to as 'the corner shop' for obvious reasons, Madame

Flora's stood on the corner of my street and Friern Barnet Road. It was a glorious emporium of a shop, the dark interior a cornucopia of women's and children's clothes, shoes, underwear and haberdashery. Here I was bought lace-up shoes in winter and sandals in summer, in a tiny back room crammed from floor to ceiling with shoe boxes. Dresses and other garments hung from the shadowy ceiling in the main shop, and there was a glass-topped counter displaying ribbons, braid, hair-slides, buttons and other 'notions'. In the window there was often an intriguing (to a child) display of complicated-looking pink corsetry. Next to Madame Flora's was a shop that seemed to change a lot – I can remember it selling wools at one time and mirrors at another. Then there was Etties the newsagents, where we also bought sweets, ice-cream, my parents' cigarettes, stationery and, in season, fireworks, laid out individually on an open table for all to handle: jumping jacks, Roman candles, Catherine wheels – a health and safety nightmare! It was Etties that gave me my first job, aged 13, as a paper girl, delivering the papers before breakfast seven days a week for the princely sum of 9/- (45p), later raised to 10/- (50p). This was not as mean as it sounds, as with 10/- I could have bought twenty Mars bars, had I wished. Beyond the newsagents was the grocer's shop, Goble's. In the early days it still sold groceries out of sacks and boxes: biscuits came in big square tins, rice, flour and other dry goods in sacks and butter and cheese in huge slabs that were cut to the customer's requirements. Bacon and ham were cut on a machine with a fearsome-looking rotating blade. Shopping here was a slow business, with each customer being served individually and each item weighed or measured by the shop assistant. I had plenty of time to explore the contents of the sacks and boxes while my mother went through her shopping list! For some reason we rarely used Wooding's greengrocery next door, my mother preferring the greengrocer's on Halliwick Court Parade. The nearby 'oil shop', as we knew it, was another fascinating shop, an ironmonger's, selling utensils, nails, screws, household and garden tools and paraffin (hence the name). A bit further along was a baker's shop, the name of which I can't remember, but which sold wonderful crusty rolls, squishy millefeuille cakes, sticky buns and, my favourites, chocolate truffles. Next to that at one time was Shamrock Linens, a fabric shop that later moved to one of the double shops further down the Parade. I remember this because the owner lived in our street and my mother worked there for a while. Then there was a shoemender's that also sold leather goods and had a distinctive smell, next to the butcher's with sawdust on the floor, carcasses hanging by hooks from a rail and a scarred and bloodstained wooden block on which the butcher cut the joints to order with a huge meat cleaver. I stood outside this shop every school morning waiting for the 521/621 trolleybus, and later the 221 Routemaster, to take me to school. The sweetshop was where my mother replenished the sweetie tin each week. It was also where I acquired my first pet, a ginger kitten that I named, appropriately, Candy. Further down, the toyshop was another attraction, and I remember laboriously saving my pocket and birthday money to buy a grey rabbit glove puppet; I think it cost 7/6 (37½p) and I called it Tut after a rabbit character in a book I was fond of. The shop also sold books, and in the days before children's paperbacks the cheapest editions were from The Children's Press with their distinctive blue dustjackets. Several of these found their way on to my bookshelves. Next to this, I think, was the chemist's, where we took our prescriptions to be dispensed and films to be processed, and where women bought face powder and lipstick. Near the end of the Parade was Express Dairies where we bought eggs, loose in a paper bag and almost always white. The occasional brown one was the cause of mild excitement. My first taste of yoghurt, a novelty at the time, was from small glass pots bought here. On the corner of Colney Hatch Lane was the florist's, where I sometimes bought my mother small bunches of anemones, all I could afford. I have not attempted to describe all the shops on Queen's Parade, as they were in the years between 1949 and 1965. Some I have undoubtedly forgotten, but others, such as the jeweller's and the tailor's, were shops I as a child would rarely if ever have entered and therefore I have no particular memories associated with them. It would be great if someone could fill in the gaps left by my less-than-perfect memory! (Footnote by David Berguer. According to *Kelly's Post Office London Directory* of 1960 the shops in Queen's Parade were: No 20 Flora (Draper); 21 P J Stephens (Radio & TV); 22 F T Carter (Newsagents); 23 John Goble (Grocer); 24 F Wooding (Fruiterer); 25 Freemans (Baker); 26 Swilson (Gents Outfitter); 27b F H Eldridge (Shoe Repairs); 27a Goodman Bros (Butchers); 28a A R Barnett (Hardware); 28b Winifred Meyer (Confectioner); 28 Percy Smedley (Watchmaker); 29 F J Leaver (Draper); 30b Morgans (Tobacconist); 20 Wm Sayer (Chemist); 31 Express Dairy; 32 H Doyle (Florist); 33 David Low (Tailor); 33a (G F Dickinson (Restaurant) and 36 (Friern Barnet Garage).

No 6 Queens Parade. 3 Jul 1908. Application approved for additions (C J Day) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)



No 20 Queens Parade. 7 Jun 1912. Application approved for bakehouse at rear (C J Day) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 20 Queens Parade. 9 Sep 1953. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 20 Queens Parade. 4 Dec 2001. Planning application for new shopfront involving change from timber to aluminium frame (*Barnet Council C05099K/01*)

No 20 Queens Parade. 24 Oct 2018. Planning application for conversion of existing empty offices Class B1(a) into residential accommodation C3 consisting of 2 self-contained apartments (*Barnet Council 18/6329/FUL*)

No 21 Queens Parade. 6 Sep 1972. Planning application for change of use to fish & chip shop (*Barnet Council C3834A*)

No 21 Queens Parade. 17 Sep 2002. Planning application for demolition of existing single storey rear extension and erection of new single storey rear extension as storeroom of shop (*Barnet Council N/03634/B/02*)

No 21 Queens Parade. 23 Sep 2013. Planning application for conversion of upper floors into 3 self-contained units (Stuart Henley & Partners, 8 Wrotham Business Park, Barnet EN5 4SB) (*Barnet Council B/04280/13*)

No 21 Queens Parade. 5 Feb 2014. Planning application for installation of 1 internally illuminated fascia sign and 1 internally illuminated projecting sign (*Barnet Council B/00317/14*)

Nos 21a, 21b & 21c Queens Parade. 28 Jan 2015. Submission of details of Condition 4 (Sound insulation test certificate) pursuant to planning permission B/04820/13 of 16/5/2014 (*Barnet Council 15/004409/CON*)

No 22 Queens Parade. 15 Jan 1953. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 22 Queens Parade. 14 Oct 2005. Planning application for 2 storey rear extension with garage at ground floor and office space to rear of first floor (*Barnet Council N/14850/05*)

No 22 Queens Parade. 28 Jun 2021. Planning application for Conversion of existing commercial space into 1 self-contained flat (*Barnet Council 21/3432/FUL*)

No 22 Queens Parade. 21 Sep 2012. Planning application for change of use of existing newsagents to Beauty and Tanning Salon ( (*Barnet Council B/03264/12*)

No 22 Queens Parade. 28 Jun 2021. Planning application for conversion of existing commercial space into 1 self-contained flat (*Barnet Council 21/3432/FUL*)

No 22a Queens Parade. 28 Jun 2021. Planning application for conversion of existing self-contained flat into 2 no self-contained flats (*Barnet Council 21/34333/FUL*)

No 22a Queens Parade. Planning application for conversion of existing self-contained flat into 2 self-contained flats and creation of new window openings to first floor rear elevation (*Barnet Council 22/1015/FUL*)

No 23 Queens Parade. 4 Dec 1908. Application approved for additions (C F day) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 23 Queens Parade. 12 Jul 1955. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 23 Queens Parade. 12 Sep 1961. Application approved for 1 storey food store (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 23 Queens Parade. 4 Apr 2003. Merit Supermarket looks closed (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 23 Queens Parade. 14 Oct 2005. Planning application for 2 storey rear extension with garage at ground floor and office space to rear of first floor (*Barnet Council N/14717/K/05*)

No 24 Queens Parade. 3 Nov 1922. Application approved for steel garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 24 Queens Parade. 7 Dec 1923. Application approved for garage (R Melville–Brown) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 24 Queens Parade. 22 May 1930. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 24 Queens Parade. 31 Jan 2003. Planning application for garage at rear, use of forecourt for vehicle repairs (*Barnet Council N/03634/B/02*)

No 24 Queens Parade. 4 Apr 2003. Formerly Original Pizza, now Flame Pizza looks closed or undergoing refurbishment. No notes visible (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 24 Queens Parade. The premises in Friern Barnet Road, formerly Flame Pizza, looked about to reopen as Friern Barnet Kebab Pizza and had a paper notice saying Under New Management (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 25 Queens Parade. 8 Nov 1938. Application approved for bakehouse and garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 25 Queens Parade. Sep 2002. Blue Shack has now become Café Blue and has smart new fascia and sign. (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 25 Queens Parade. 23 Sep 2003. Planning application for single storey rear extension to (*Barnet Council N/13662/A/03*)

No 26 Queens Parade. 10 Jul 1962. Application approved for single storey extension at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 26 Queens Parade. May 2003. The Telephone Store seems to have closed, the shutters have been down for several days and there is a Shop to Let sign on the window above it (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 26 Queens Parade. 15 Nov 2006. What was the telephone shop has now reopened as Friern Barnet Household store. Oh, for Young's the proper hardware shop to return! For the delicious smell of nails en masses, hard scrubbing soap and paraffin when you walked in! (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 26 Queens Parade. 29 Dec 2009. Planning application for change of use from A1 (shop) to mixed use A3/A4/A5 (restaurant) (*Barnet Council B/04488/09*)

No 26 Queens Parade. 5 Mar 2014. Planning application for change of use from Class A1 (Retail) to mix use Catering Premises, Restaurant/Bar and Take-Away, including installation of new extraction/ventilation system to rear elevation (*Barnet Council B/00179/14*)

No 26. 27 May 2014. Planning application for proposed change of use from Class A1 to Class A3 (*Barnet Council B/02828/14*)

No 26 Queens Parade. 23 Dec 2016. Planning application for change of use from A1 to A3, A4, A5 use

No 26 Queens Parade. 13 Apr 2017. Planning application for change of use from Use Class A1 to Use Class A3 for temporary period of 2 years starting 30 May 2017 and ending 29 May 2019 (*Barnet Council 17/2580/FUN*)

Nos 27 - 36 Queens Parade. Mar - Apr 1910. Planning application for houses and shops (C F Day, submitted by Coleman & Holmes) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01290*)

No 27 Queens Parade. 1989. From a photograph in Dec 1989 this was part of Friern Electrical Services; it was used mainly as a storeroom for white goods. They also had the shop on the corner of Colney Hatch Lane (no 32 Queens Parade). Interestingly we have a November 1975 receipt from the FES that gives the address as 323 Queens Parade, N11 3DA (!) (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 27a Queens Parade. 21 Oct 1987. Planning application for change of use of ground floor from retail shop to take-away snack bar (*Barnet Council C09639*)

No 27a Queens Parade. From a photograph in Dec 1989 this was Taka A Break Café (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 27a Queens Parade. 16 Jul 2007. The Chinese restaurant is reopening under new management on 17 July. It was renamed China Court and has a new sign and fascia (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 27b Queens Parade. From a photograph in Dec 1989 this was Bert's Show repairs (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 27 Queens Parade. 16 Jan 2020. Planning application for construction of an additional storey at second floor level plus accommodation at loft level including 3 rear dormer windows, part single, part two storey rear extension to provide offices and ground floor level and 7 self-contained flats. Associated refuse and cycle storage (*Barnet Council 20/0082/FUL*)

No 27 Queens Parade. 12 May 2020. Submission of details of condition 4 (Demolition and Construction Management and Logistics Plan) pursuant to planning permission 20/0082/FUL dated 26/03/2020 (*Barnet Council 20/2136/CON*)

No 27 Queens Parade. 25 Nov 2020. Planning application for change of use from Class A1 (Retail) to Class C3 (Residential) 2 units (*Barnet Council 20/5648/PNR*)

No 28 Queens Parade. I had occasion to visit Barries. the jewellers at 28 Queens Parade on 12 Oct. Under interrogation he revealed that he took over the shop in 1985. Earlier, from about 1920 until 1975, when the owner died, it had been a jeweller called Smedley. Believed to be father and son. Between 1975 and 1985 it was owned by some Asians from Kenya but details of their trading activities are unknown. (*John Holtham FB&DLHS, 15 October 2002*)

No 28 Queens Parade. 9 Jun 1959. Application approved for alterations to shopfront (P Smedley) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 28 Queens Parade. 9 Jun 1959. Application approved for installation of new shopfront (P Smedley) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 28 Queens Parade. 11 Sep 2006. Barries Jewellers has "Closing Down" notice in window. On 22 Sep "Overalls Lingerie & accessories" is now open (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 28a Queens Parade. 27 Jan 2015. Planning application for Change of Use from D1 (Non-residential Institutions – Dental Surgery) to A1 (Shops – Retail) (*Barnet Council 15/00323/FUL*)

No 28. 27 Apr 2022 (Planning application for Installation of . externally illuminated fascia sign (*Barnet Council 22/1793/ADV*)

No 29 Queens Parade. 5 May 2003. Montana's Supermarket is now closed and all interior fittings have been removed (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

29 Queens Parade. 9 Mar 2004. The Montana's Supermarket sign has been removed from the fascia, to reveal a previous name: Vintner's (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 29 Queens Parade. 7 Mar 2004. Planning application for single storey rear extension to (*Barnet Council N/13998/A/04*)

29 Queens Parade. 18 Jun 2004. The shop "Vintners" is still being refurbished, the front is now clad in scaffolding. Inquiries at Barries the jewellers indicated that it was an insurance office (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

29 Queens Parade. 4 Oct 2004. Crystal Insurance Brokers has a new shiny silver fascia; it is back lit with blue at night (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 29 Queens Parade. 1 Jun 2006. Planning application for 2 storey rear extension above existing garage to rear of no 29 for use as office space (*Barnet Council N/13998/B/06*)

No 30 Queens Parade. 5 May 1911. Application approved for shed at rear (Mr Edwards) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 30 Queens Parade. 25 Sep 2003. Da Franco Restaurant has acquired a new white shopfront. Sadly, Mr Franco Snr died late in 2003; his son continues the business (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 30 Queens Parade. 19 Jun 2006. Ristorante di Franco seems to be having a new fascia fitted. The old, illuminated tube one has been removed (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 30 Queens Parade. 6 Aug 2007. Planning application for single storey rear extension and adaption of existing storage area (*Barnet Council N/00042/C/07*)

No 31 Queens Parade. 4 Mar 1921. Application approved for temporary garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 31 Queens Parade. (Express Dairy) Sep 1928 - Oct 1945. Planning application for alteration to garage (Express Dairy, agent Horatio Holmes, 5 Rosemont Terrace, North Finchley, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02661*)

No 31 Queens Parade. (Express Dairy) May - 1935. Planning application for roof (Express Dairy, 26-30 Tavistock Place, WC1) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02661*)

No 31 Queens Parade. 8 Mar 1962. Application approved for single storey extension at rear (Express Dairy Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 31 Queens Parade, May 2003. Zebedees café is under new management and has had a minor refurbishment with the counter moved from near the door to the back and a new menu with increased prices (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 31 Queens Parade. Jun 2002. Zebedee's has recently had a major interior redecoration and a new shopfront fitted (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 31 Queens Parade. 10 Jul 2005. Zebedee's café being refurbished (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 31 Queens Parade. 8 Aug 2005. Zebedee's appears to have changed hands. New blue signs have gone up "Sphinx Café Bar". Opened today (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 31 Queens Parade. 8 Jun 2010. This shop, formerly Sphinx Restaurant, is now vacant (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 31 Queens Parade. 10 Oct 2010. This is now Santino restaurant (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 32 Queens Parade. Aug 2002. The shop that wraps itself round the corner of Queens Parade and which was, for many years, an electrical supplier, and until recently sold pine furniture, has apparently closed down (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 32 Queens Parade. Nov 2002. This has now closed down. (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 32 Queens Parade. 23 Jan 2005. A new shop has opened – Van Easy Transport Hire (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 31 (Express Dairy). Sep 1928 - Oct 1945. Planning application for alteration to garage (submitted by Horatio Holmes, 5 Rosemont Terrace, High Road, North Finchley, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02661*)

No 32 Queens Parade. 26 Jun 2006. Van Easy seems to have closed. Paper notice advertising shop with short lease (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 32 Queens Parade. 16 Oct 2006. The corner shop has opened as “Kids Stuff” (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 32 Queens Parade. 3 Dec 2006. This is now “Kids Corner. Kids Clothes” and has a smart new fascia (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 32a Queens Parade. 2 Apr 2006. This is now X Catalogue power point 0203 2324042. Hi fid and electrical goods, not opened yet (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 32b Queens Parade. 14 Oct 2006. This shop, which has been empty for some time, is now “Glamourpuss”, a nail bar and spa establishment with a posh illuminated fascia (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 33 Queens Parade. From a photograph in Dec 1989 this was Fleet Photos (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

No 34. Queens Parade. 4 Jul 2005. This shop, formerly Ronald Sax tailor, has been refurbished and has a fascia “Pro Coif Unisex Hairdresser”. Paper notice in the window says it will open soon. The Ronald Sax fascia was removed on 1 July (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 34 Queens Parade. 22 May 2006. The half of the shop next to pro-coif is now Karpel Property Services (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 34 Queens Parade. 4 Sep 2008. The left-hand half of this shop is now an Internet Café, the right hand is still Pro-Coif hairdressers (*David Berguer*)

No 34 Queens Parade. 8 Jun 2010. The whole shop is now Pro-Co ladies’ hairdressers and a new fascia has been put in (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 34 Queens Parade. 1 Nov 2013. Planning application for installation of new aluminium glass shop front to replace existing timber glass shop front (*Barnet Council B/04760/13*)

Nos 34 - 36 Queens Parade. 28 Sep 2010. Planning application for construction of a new first floor to provide 2 self contained flats above no 36 and a storage area above no 34 (*Barnet Council B/03689/10*)

Nos 34 - 36. Queens Parade. 17 Sep 2013. Planning application for creation of first and second floor to provide 3 2 bedroom and 1 one-bedroom self-contained units (*Barnet Council B/03677/13*)

Nos 34 - 36 Queens Parade. 8 Sep 2016. Planning application for construct first floor and mansard roof to provide 4 self-contained flats (outline application) (*Barnet Council 16/5780/OUT*)

Nos 34 - 36 Queens Parade. 7 Sep 2017. Planning application for first floor extension with mansard roof to form 4 self-contained flat. Part change of use of ground floor to provide 1 self-contained flat

(outline application, considering matters of appearance, layout and scale (*Barnet Council 16/5593/OUT*))

Nos 34 – 36 Queens Parade. 26 Nov 2018. Planning application for two-storey extension including rooms in roofspace to provide 4 self-contained units. Part change of use from restaurant to provide parking. Matching elevations and floors at 34 Queens Parade. Associated refuse and recycling and amenity space (Outline application) ( *Barnet Council 16/6664/OUT* )

Nos 34 – 36 Queens Parade. 26 Nov 2018. Planning application for first floor rear extension to provide 2 self-contained flats. New side entrance. Part change of use from restaurant to provide parking. Matching elevations and floors at 34 Queens Parade Associated refuse and recycling storage (*Barnet Council 19/1273/FUL*)

Nos 34 – 36 Queens Parade. 8 Mar 2019. Planning application for first floor rear extension to provide 2 self-contained flats. New side entrance. Part change of use from restaurant to provide parking. Matching elevations and floors at 34 Queens Parade. Associated refuse and recycling storage (*Barnet Council 19/1273/FUL*)

No 36 Queens Parade. Jun - Jul 1959. Planning application for showroom and offices (L H Spring & Co, agent Brunson Ltd, 4 Swains Lane, Highgate, builders) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/05155*)

No 36 Queens Parade. 26 Jun 2003. Exterior being completely repainted (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

No 36 Queens Parade. 17 Oct 2005. A removal van was outside today and furniture from The Duck pub was being loaded. The following day the windows were protected by metal grills (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 36 Queens Parade. 18 May 2007. The former Duck pub has workmen inside, so presumably it is being converted into something (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 36 Queens Parade. 1 Nov 2007. The former Duck pub has now just reopened as an Italian Restaurant "36" (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 36. 24 Nov 2009. Planning application for construction of new first floor to provide a total of 2 self-contained flats (Mr P Sabatella, 36 Queen's Parade, N11 3DA, agent Mr G Knott, 3 Ashurst Road, N12 9AU) (*Barnet Council B/04232/09*)

No 36 (Quinto/Quarto). 3 Feb 2019. Enjoy an evening out on Valentine's Day at Quinto/Quarto (N11 3DA) with our romantic menu "Penne lobster, strawberries and cherry tomatoes, Scallops mango and leaves, Spicy chocolate mousse £27.50 each guest. 1 free bottle of Prosecco. Every booking x two if made by Sunday 10<sup>th</sup>. You can phone 020 8361 1411 or email to [info@quintoquarto.co.uk](mailto:info@quintoquarto.co.uk) (*Adalberto Battaglia. Nextdoor South Whetstone*)

No 36 (Quinto/Quarto). 12 Feb 2019. We would like to tell all our friends and customers that due to reasons beyond our control, we are not trading anymore in the Friern Barnet premises from today; and that we will possibly be relocating 'soon' so that we hope to keep in touch with all of you, through the net, or if you wish to receive our newsletters pls subscribe to our mailing list. Many thanks for your support so far (*Adalberto Battaglia. Nextdoor South Whetstone*)

Fina plc, Friern Barnet Service Station 8 Sep 2014. Planning application for erection of front, side and rear projecting canopies to ground floor elevation of nursery school (Childcare Plus Ltd, 6 Turnpike Lane, N8, agent Christopher Wickham Associates, 35 Highgate High Street, N6 5JT) (*Barnet Council B/04407/14*)

Kennard Mansions appear in Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet for the first time in 1931

No 2 Kennard Mansions. 5 Apr 1955. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Adjoining No 8 Kennard Mansions, Corner Hartland Road. 4 Aug 2004. Total petrol station closed. Sludge pump lorry on forecourt pumping out the underground tanks (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

Adjoining No 8 Kennard Mansions, Corner Hartland Road. 15 Sep 2004. Men working on forecourt with pneumatic drills – never seen again (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

Adjoining No 8 Kennard Mansions, Corner Hartland Road. 13 Jul 2005. JCBs in forecourt, dismantling the canopy of the Total petrol station and breaking up concrete (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

Adjoining No 8 Kennard Mansions, Corner Hartland Road. 8 Aug 2005. Work continuing. Large piles of earth and broken concrete. Removing the underground storage tanks. Shop still intact. (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

Adjoining No 8 Kennard Mansions, Corner Hartland Road. 14 Oct 2006. The former garage site is for sale by auction on 1 Nov 2006 (*John Holtham FB&DLHS*)

Adjoining No 8 Kennard Mansions, Corner Hartland Road. 25 Jun 2010. There is a sign indicating that the site of the former Hartland Garage has been sold (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

Adjoining No 8 Kennard Mansions, Corner Hartland Road. 25 Nov 2010. Planning application for demolition of the existing filling station kiosk and erection of a two-storey building including basement and rooms in loftspace to be used as a children's day nursery. Associated play areas, off street parking and alterations to landscape (Childcare Plus Ltd,) (*Barnet Council, B/04750/10*)

Adjoining No 8 Kennard Mansions, Corner Hartland Road. 11 Jul 2011. Planning application for amendment to B/04750/10 for allow enlargement to the approved basement and to allow the incorporation of solar heat panels to front elevation (Childcare Plus Ltd), (*Barnet Council, B/04750/10*)

Land adjacent to No 8 Kennard Mansions, formerly Friern Barnet Service Station 3 Dec 2014. Planning application for submission of details of condition 16 (Travel Plan) pursuant to planning permission reference B/02910/11 dated 19/10/2011 (*Barnet Council 14/07607/CON*)

Land adjacent to No 8 Kennard Mansions, formerly Friern Barnet Service Station 20 Aug 2015. Planning application for submission of details of condition 16 (Travel Plan) pursuant to planning permission reference B/02910/11 dated 19/10/2011 (*Barnet Council 14/05279/CON*)

Corner Kennard Road. 29 Nov 1980 & 8 Feb 1982. Planning application for erection of block comprising 12 sheltered units of accommodation, formation of access road and provision of 6 car parking spaces and replacement of amenity space on land at junction with Kennard Road and Friern Barnet Road (*Barnet Council*)

**FRIERN BARNET SCHOOL, HEMINGTON AVENUE, N11**

**(see also FRIERN BARNET COUNTY SCHOOL)**

Friern Barnet School is a comprehensive school with approximately 800 students. The school is situated at the end of Hemington Avenue in Friern Barnet, North London. It is a short distance from the former Friern Barnet Town Hall, and 2 other local schools The Compton School and Wren Academy

24 Sep 2020. Friern Barnet School. 24 Sep 2020. Planning application for erection of a single storey modular building (*Barnet Council 20/4493/FUL*)

21 Jan 2021. Submission of details of condition 5 (Levels) 6 (Tree protection) 7 (Landscaping) pursuant to planning permission 20/4493/FUL dated 19/11/2020 (*Barnet Council 21/03*)



**FRIERN BARNET SEWAGE WORKS, N10**  
see under CROMWELL ROAD *Infrastructure*

## **FRIERN BARNET TOWN HALL**

The old Friern Barnet Town Hall and fire station stood on ancient lands. At a special Manorial Court held at St Paul's on Thursday 13 April 1797 "We grant an absolute surrender from Abraham Roberts and William Row-Darling Goad and William Thomas Goad to Thomas Lermite of St Botolph, Aldgate all that cottage near the Common in Colney Hatch late in the occupation of John Law or Lane and all that parcel of land 43 feet by 34 feet east upon a field formerly of John Marsh and part of the estate. NB Part of the estate is unsold and in possession of Mr Allen at a rent of £35 as Mr Allen sold. Fine £75. 0. 0. paid by Lermite. Court charges: - Search 6s 8d; Drawing Surrender – fair copy and stamp duty £2. 2s. 0d; Special Court £3. 3s 0d; Receiving the surrender £1. 8s 0d; Admission copy and entry £1. 1s 0d; Hire of 2 court rooms 14s 0d; Stamps 15s 0d; Fealty 3s 6d; Surrender to will and entry 14s 0d; Clerk 10s 0d; Cryer 1s 0d. (Fealty ids the feudal tenant's acknowledgement of the rights of Lord of the Manor (*John Heathfield FB&DLHS*))

11 Mar 1902 (The Priory). Application approved for redrainage (A Bush, contractor) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

29 May 1905. Council agreed to purchase The Priory Estate for £4100 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

3 Nov 1905. The Clerk having reported on the holding of the Inquiry as to the proposed loan it was moved by Mr Councillor Barfield seconded by Mr Councillor Elliott and resolved, Mr Councillor Swetland dissenting. The Local Government Board be informed 1) That the Council would utilize The Priory Building for the time being for Public Offices, subject to an expenditure not exceeding £500 for repair and alterations 2) That the land is required, not only for Public Offices, but for the erection of a Public Hall, Fire Engine Station, Stables and Van sheds and other public purposes 3) That the ground not otherwise required would be used as a Recreation Ground, for the present 4) That it is not proposed to build a Public Hall at the present time 5) That the Surveyor present a Report to the Clerk showing the necessary apportionments as required by the Local Government Board, and that the necessary information be forwarded to that Board (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Building the Town Hall started in 1938 and finished in 1942. Main building cost £30,731, layout £1,500 the engineers yard and administrative buildings £7,000; some public conveniences £1,400, and then some extras to do with Air Raid Precautions about £3,000. Furniture cost £1,250 and the whole came to around £50,000. When the President of the Ratepayers Association became a councillor, he and another sent a card to every ratepayer in the district asking: Are you in favour of spending £50,000 on a public building? 12,000 said "No", 117 said "Yes", and we were quite certain that the 117 were right, so we went ahead with it, but we left out the Assembly Hall (*from an account by Mr J Pickering, a former Councillor and JP*)

28 Jun 1938. 17 tenders were received. Raglan was the cheapest at £47,837.11s 3d. The most expensive was £53,009.14s 4d (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

"There was no traffic. I can distinctly remember coal carts being pulled up the road to the top where the Orange Tree was, and the poor horses straining to pull them up, and I was dying to give them a hand. There was a horse trough outside The Priory." (*from an interview with Mrs Olive Lamont by John Donovan 27 Jan2001*)

The foundation stone reads "This stone was laid by Councillor Pickering JP Chairman Friern Barnet Urban District Council 16th September 1939"

The first Council meeting was held on 17 April 1941 (*Friern Barnet Council Minutes*)

25 Apr 1941. "A monument to the determination and fortitude of the people of Friern Barnet". This was a description given of the new Council Offices at Friern Barnet, in which members of the Urban District Council met for the first time for the annual meeting on Thursday last week. At present only part of the buildings are in operation, chiefly the Council Chamber, Committee Room and a Members' Room. A number of residents of Friern Barnet connected with the official and social life of the district assembled and prior to the meeting formally met members of the Council in the commodious Committee Room and later watched and heard the proceedings at the annual meeting. A cluster of hydrangeas had been arranged on each side of the entrance of the Council chamber, which is on the first floor and is reached from a corridor running the width of the building on this floor by a short flight of steps and is reached from the ground floor by two upward flights of steps. A feature is the straight tubular lighting. The spacious Council Chamber is panelled for several feet up from the floor, and the walls are in the form of light coloured slabs. The chairs of the Chairman, Vice Chairman and chief officials are on the dais straight across the width of the Chamber with, at a lower level, the members' seats situated around a series of tables forming half an oval. Built into the Chamber is a public gallery. Behind the Chairman's seat is a large panel to the ceiling, plain wood at present. It is to bear the names of chairmen of the Council and the district's coat of arms. It had been hoped this would have been finished by the annual meeting, but the designs had been destroyed elsewhere in a "blitz". Present at the meeting, which was opened by prayer by the Rev S Garnett Birt, were Cr J E Pickering, Cr G H Constable, Cr J Foley, Cr A S Wood, Cr A C Meynell, Cr G A Sparks, Cr E W Mason, Cr F H Stables, Cr Cr C F Simmons, Cr A C Harvey and Cr G E J Mead. The Clerk (Mr G T Fletcher) called for propositions for the post of Chairman. A xxxxx came from Cr Mason, who put forward the name of Cr Pickering, who had been chairman for three previous years. "I know of no more responsible task that this Council has had to face up to during several months that the consideration and selection of chairman and there is no more important function than that of stewardship during wartime", he said. "It caused us a good deal of anxiety. At an unofficial members' meeting a fortnight ago the matter was thoroughly discussed from this aspect, and in view of the tremendous responsibility and enormous amount of work the chairmanship involves, and in view of the imperative need for continuity during wartime we came to the unanimous decision that Cr Pickering should be asked to take this position of the First Citizen of the district. We have every confidence in our recommendation if he will accept it. He has served us very well, not without criticism, fair and unfair, but nevertheless, he has served us remarkably well in the past." Cr Sparks seconded, saying that he felt the present was not an opportune time to change chairmen. Cr Pickering had been chairman for three years and had made a top job of it, and he did not know of a better chairman. He thought the election would be in the best interests of the district as a whole. Having been elected, Cr Pickering said this annual election of chairman remained a right and privilege of democracy. Year by year the Chairman must be elected by a majority of his colleagues. The tempo of the war had quickened and without any doubt before the next annual meeting one of the most vital pages in our history will have been turned. "We had every confidence in our cause and in the ultimate outcome of the struggle," he continued "but it would be idle to deny that part of this page will cause great trial; to us. We are not altogether unprepared and with the help of my colleagues, the staff indoor and outdoor, and all branches of the Civil Defence Service, the future can be faced with confidence." Hr added that he would do all he could to coordinate the services and to maintain a high degree of efficiency. The office of Vice Chairman went to Cr Constable, whose name was proposed by Cr Foley. Seconding, Cr Wood said that as Committee Chairman Cr Constable had showed he was capable of filling the post with credit to the Council. In vacating the Vice Chair to Cr Constable, Cr Foley shook hands with him and said: "I congratulate you and wish you every success to you it would be his endeavour to do his best whatever the duties were given him by the Council or the Chairman. Chairmen of committees were appointed as follows: Civil Defence Cr Wood, General Purposes Cr Simmons, Finance Cr Meynell, Public Health

Cr Henry, Rating and Valuation Cr Sparks, Allotments Cr Constable, Town Planning and Housing Cr Constable, Parks Cr Mead, Highways Cr Stables, Rest Cr Simmonds. On the completion of the Council's business the Chairman said that at the annual general meeting he had to confine his remarks, for although he was always pleased to see members of the public present he was afraid that in normal circumstances the media was not much seen nor heard. He suggested that there were two questions uppermost in the minds of the members of the public present. Was that the official opening of the new building? If he referred to it as the town hall there did not lie in it a threat or a promise that the Council intended to seek charter powers. The population and rateable value of the district gave it a standing as a town but they remained well content as an urban district. No, it was not the official opening of the new town hall. Secondly, why an official gathering in a building obviously in an unfinished state? There would be no official opening until the building was completed, the old Priory demolished and the forecourt laid out and many other odd jobs completed. With the shortage of labour it was not possible to say how long that would take and the time was not appropriate to invite a high percentage of representatives of other authorities and a lot of other people to join in such a ceremony. An official opening ceremony would form a fitting victory celebration for Friern Barnet. He referred to the new buildings as the outward explanation of the people's determination to carry on and of their confidence for the future. It had seemed particularly appropriate to the Council that the first meeting of the year should be held in the building and though difficulties arose to prevent complete occupation, sufficient progress had been made to enable them to meet. It was fitting that members of the Council should have enjoyed that evening with people representing various organisations in the district. It was ironical that the Council should have entered into occupation before the staff, as the main reason for the erection of the building was to provide better accommodation for the staff. The condition under which the staff had worked for years had been such that they would not have been tolerated by any self-respecting business firm, and he felt that the improved surroundings which would be provided for the staff, brighter and more airy offices, would be reflected in the greater efficiency of their work. They would all remember the report by Mr Boustred concerning The Priory. In it he said the building was definitely in an unsafe condition. He would not debate on all the pros and cons which were discussed at the public enquiry, the Council's case then being led by Cr Farley, at that time Chairman of the Council, and Cr Farley must be a proud man in finding in the sturdy framework the ultimate fullness of the beauty of the building which had come about as a result of his efforts. The Council had to face up to the problem of proceeding or stopping work when the war came and wisely, he thought, decided to carry on. They decided to continue in spite of Hitler and he thought it was token of the people's spirit that when so much was being knocked down that they could meet and start a new building. The cost would closely approximate to the original estimate bearing in mind such necessary extras as had been incurred during the war. In view of the enormous number of people who were being taken for the war, we could only visualise the cost and difficulties that would have to have been faced had they tackled the scheme after the war, and he thought the Council had chosen wisely in deciding to proceed. He continued that there was an obligation on local authorities and those who had the power to build new buildings and that was to build buildings that would be a credit to the people. A part of the heritage of the people of this country lay in the wonderful buildings erected in past years and it was up to local authorities and other such people building for the people that they erect something worthy. The building had been designed to give the maximum utility with the minimum of upkeep and the building was modern but not bizarre, and when the time came for those present and others to have a full inspection he was sure they would be satisfied with the Council's efforts. Cr A C Henry said it was a far cry back to 18 Beaconsfield Road, where the Council once met. Thirty-five years ago the district had not developed, Friern Barnet Lane was a real country lane, and those living in the district then would agree that Woodhouse Road was a very pleasant road leading to North Finchley. There used to be mulberry trees and the boys used to gather the leaves for their silk worms. It was the rural state of

Friern Barnet which first attracted him to it. Changes had taken place, development had taken place, but, nevertheless he thought they could say with truth that in choosing Ruris Amator, they chose an apt motto for they still had more open space for their size than any other district in North London. The old Councils, he continued, had quiet meetings, the Clerk used to attend at Alexandra Palace, and he had noticed that a horse brougham was provided to bring him to the Council meetings at 18 Beaconsfield Road. The surveyor used to go about in a pony and trap and an item of 4d for oats appeared in the old agendas. The Priory followed as a home for the Council in 1906 and was provided out of a loan for 10 years only. That was the expression at that time as to the length of time the building would stand. That Council staff had had to put up with that building and even its dangers for 36 years spoke well for their fortitude and resolution. The Priory council chamber was never a place of beauty and perhaps the only thing of beauty was the Adam's fireplace. One parted with the old buildings with a certain amount of regret, but that was tempered with the additional amenities given to the councillors which would make for efficiency and better enable them to do their duty, but the great point was that the staff would be better housed and the staff better able to work efficiently. He trusted that when their successors thought of the new buildings they would consider that the Councils of 1938-41 had done well in erecting buildings which were for the betterment of public work and to the advantage of ratepayers who had to foot the bills. Cr Wood mentioned that there were three Councillors – Cr Mead, Stables and himself – who claimed parenthood of the Council. For 22 years they had sat together. He recalled how they were among about 30 candidates up for election and were invited to a ratepayers' meeting. Numbers were drawn for the order of speaking. He was 13th on the list. By the time he was due to speak all his points had been exhausted, also the patience of the ratepayers. He said it was nice to have with them friends to give them a good send off. Cr Mason followed in lighter vein, of the Priory Council Chamber with the cigarettes, pipes and cigars. Friern Barnet had a population of 222,000, of whom one-eight were certified lunatics. In lighter vein, he said he never had been an apologist in going on with the new building, and he thought the ratepayers would trust them. The councillors would not take it easy, but would continue to do their duties in the way expected of them. Cr Mead recalled how he stood for election in South Ward with Cr Stables and two others and they described themselves as "the four live men." Cty Cr Farley said that as former parent of the scheme he could say it was a beautiful child and he thought it only right that he should be invited to the christening. In the original scheme he wanted to include a hall, and that would have justified the term Town Hall. The new buildings would not only give better atmosphere to the Council and organisations behind them, but also a civic pride to the district. The scheme was a monument to the determination and fortitude of the people of Friern Barnet. He found that the biggest critics of public service, paid and unpaid, were those who did nothing for themselves or other people. Those who gave hours and hours to public service deserved a maximum of xxxx and he congratulated the Council on at last having something worthy of the district. There were few embellishments about the building, and having looked around he found no complaints on the ground of extravagance. Major Henson, representative of the architects, spoke of happy associations in the erection of the building and said it was a tonic to visit to visit a place where something was being erected instead of pulled down. Mr Walsh, representative of the building contractors, said it was a beautiful building and he hoped that many beautiful things would come out of Friern Barnet. The Chairman: We hope it will not be long before the building is complete and we have a proper opening as a peace celebration (*Finchley Press 25 Mar 1941*)

29 May 1941. The Committee recommended that the building be known as "The Town Hall" (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

5 Jun 1941. The Engineer & Surveyor reported that arrangements had now been made whereby the staff would move into the new Town Hall on 16 June 1941 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

18 Sep 1941. Council rooms were approved for letting and each application would be dealt with on its merits (*Friern Barnet Council Minutes 18 Sept 1941*)

Friern Barnet Town Hall was built between 1939 and 1941 with the basement housing a purpose-built Civil Defence Control Centre. The bunker was reactivated in 1954 As Barnet UDC Control, remaining in use until 1965 when the new Borough of Barnet was formed. Control then moved to the former WW2 decontamination station at Dawes Lane, Mill Hill. The bunker was demoted to a Sector Post, remaining in use until 1968. The main entrance is via a flight of stairs within the Town Hall, but there are two emergency escape shafts that emerge in the Town Hall car park (*Secret Underground London by Nick Catford. Folly Books 2013*)

24 Feb 1944. The Clerk reported receipt of an application from the local Company Officer of the NFS for facilities for a fireman to use the roof of this building as a fire watching post for incendiary attacks during "alerts" as the tower erected in the yard did not give the same clear vision in all directions as from the town hall. The committee authorised the necessary facilities be given (*Friern Barnet Council Minutes*)

19 Apr 1945. It was resolved that the Engineer & surveyor be instructed to arrange for the decoration of the front of the Town Hall with flags on Victory Day. The chairman stated that he had been in communication with representatives of all local churches, clubs and other organisations as to whether there was a general desire for a Service of Thanksgiving to be held in the forecourt of the Town Hall on V-Day Plus 1 and the suggestion had been heartily welcomed. Accordingly, the Committee recommended that the chairman be requested to make all the necessary arrangements for such a service (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

17 May 1945. Thanksgiving service. With reference to Minute No 5 of the Special Meeting of the Civil Defence Committee on 10 May 1945 the action taken in connection with the provision of a band for the combined Thanksgiving Service and stand-down of Civil Defence Services held on Sunday 13 May 1945 was approved (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

21 Feb 1946. With reference to minute number 13(b) of this Committee on 24 Jan 1946 the Committee recommended that the Engineer & Surveyor be directed to arrange for the words Friern Barnet Town Hall in lettering 4" high in bronze Roman characters to be fixed on the stone surround immediately above the main entrance at a cost of £7.0.0. (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

The shelter in the basement of the main offices cost £879. 6. 4 excluding ventilation and filter equipment (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

A pleasant accommodating piece of design, modern but with such traditional features as a porch on attenuated piers and a cupola. The façade is concave to embrace the side of a circus at the crossing of the two main streets of the Borough. (*Buildings of England: Middlesex by Nikolaus Pevsner. Page 57*)

The centre at Friern Barnet town hall, planned during the building of the new town hall in 1938, was not finished until 1943 – the final bills for the whole building were not paid until 1945 (*The Days of Darkness by Percy Reboul and John Heathfield page 10*)

My mother and father were living in Friern Barnet, my father being in charge of the ARP in that area in the cellar of the new town hall. He was aided by Miss Askey – Arthur's sister (Cyril Fletcher) (*The Days of Darkness by Percy Reboul and John Heathfield page 97*)

22 Feb 1991. Planning application for erection of public conveniences on pavement outside (*Barnet Council 09904*)

4 Feb 2003. A For Sale sign has been erected in the grounds adjacent to Friern Barnet Road. The agent is P.D. Savill (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

19 Jun 2003. Planning application for erection of 2 illuminated free standing advertisement panels (*Barnet Council N/03087/C/03*)

5 Apr 2004 & 1 Jun, 25 Jun, 15 Jul, 2 Aug, 4 Oct, 15 Dec 2004 & 24 May 2005. Planning application for Listed Building Consent. Refurbishment and conversion of former Town Hall to provide a total of 33 self-contained flats and gym at basement level with provision of public access to form 2<sup>nd</sup> World war civil defence nerve centre. Refurbishment and conversion of adjacent fire station building to provide 5 self-contained flats. Erect detached 2- storey block (and rooms in roof space) to provide 6 self-contained flats and further detached 2- storey block (plus room sin roof space) to provide 5 self-contained flats. Associated provision of off-street parking, landscaping, cycle storage and refuse storage (*Barnet Council N/03057/04*)

2 Aug 2004. Tall wooden posts going up round perimeter of Town Hall forecourt (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

4 Aug 2004. Panels attached to posts shutting off forecourt from view (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

12 Aug 2004. Scaffolding structure in Town Hall forecourt visible above the panels. Adverts on panel state the conversion of the Grade II listed building consisting of 1 and 2-bedroom apartments will be known as The Chambers (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

23 Aug 2004. Scaffolding was for a building in the forecourt, the flat roof of which is showing above the panelling (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

10 Dec 2004. Scaffolding up to front and sides of building (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

March 2005. Scaffolding up to the roof. Heavy plastic sheeting to make a false roof during work (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

May 2005. Plastic sheeting and scaffolding down. Interior work being done. Some of the small blocks at the rear of the development (on the old fire station practise ground) look nearly finished (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

26 May 2005. Sales Office and Show Flat built in the forecourt has been demolished. Sales Office moved to a Portakabin in front of the Old People's Day Centre (former Fire Station) in Friern Barnet Lane (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

30 May 2005. The brick clad Marketing Suite for Barratts which was in front of the Town Hall is now being demolished (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

13 June 2005. Scaffolding is being removed from the front of the building, revealing that the brickwork has been cleaned (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

18 June 2005. Large advertisement hoardings round the front of the site have been removed and iron railings put up, painted black with gold points (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

6 July 2005. The hoarding around the building has been removed and the gardens are now visible. The old Fire Station is surrounded with scaffolding. Dormer windows have been installed at the rear of the old Town Hall (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

30 Jul 2005. First residents in by the appearance of lights on, blinds/curtains and flowers or ornaments on the window sills (*Sylvia Gossett FB&DLHS*)

I started working at Friern Barnet Town Hall as a temp in the summer of 2000 in the Special Educational Needs (Assessment and Monitoring) team and returned as a semi-permanent member of staff the following year. We were based on the ground floor, on the right-hand side as you entered the building. We had the rooms on the right-hand side, at the front, even though they were a little cramped, as well as a little room at the side, just off the Sports and Leisure section, with the window onto Friern Barnet Road. (A friend of mine now lives in the front offices, a very off thought). There was no room for the photocopiers – or even a printer at that point – so we had to walk down to the mail room at the back of the building to photocopy. The back office was known as the Horse Box, as it always had a funny smell (probably it was underneath the toilets), but at least we could open the windows, unlike at the North London Business Park! It was a very friendly building to work in – Chris Kisson was our receptionist, she knew everyone by name, and would always greet you with a smile. Helen and Janet worked in the mail room and could help you out with photocopying or enquiries. The first floor was meeting and conference rooms, as well as a few offices. These offices had huge oak-style doors which were very intimidating at first, particularly when I first stated and had to go to get my timesheets signed – you got the feeling that anyone in those offices must have been very impressive! We had a few leaving dos in there, and when the World Cup was on in 2002, they put a television in there to show the matches (we had to work back the time spent watching football, of course!). Old files were stored in the basement, which was cold and damp and dirty. A few of us spent weeks down there sorting out the archiving, an unpleasant job, but which made our lives a lot simpler (until we left the building anyway!). I never found the old bomb shelter that was supposedly there – some people said it dated from the Second World War, others from the Cold War – and that it had enough food to keep the local councillors happy for some time. (*Jo Lingley FB&DLHS 22 Feb 2008*)



**FRIERN BRIDGE RETAIL PARK, PEGASUS WAY N11** Planning applications up to May 2021

### **History**

Feb 1997. Just as quickly as homes and flats are replacing the former Friern Hospital and its grounds, another development is springing up at the rear of the grounds. And in a year's time the new Friern Bridge Retail Park will be open to the public. With work due to be completed on 9 March 1998, electrical and home furnishing stores Tempo, Carpet Right, Currys, Allied Carpets, Furniture Village, Halfords, MFI and Kingsbury will be able to open their doors just weeks later. A consortium of Try and Tarmac construction companies will build the 10- unit development, lay out an area around it as a public park and landscape an area at the top of the site, just to the side of the Victorian former hospital building, for the construction of a new primary school by Barnet Council, which should meet education needs in the next century (*Advertiser Series 20 February 1997*)

Agreement was reached between the Regional Health Authority and Haslemere Estates, a subsidiary of Rodamco, a Dutch investment group for the sale of 31 acres for £4,000,000. A consortium of Try Construction Ltd and Tarmac Construction Ltd were responsible for the construction. Work started in July 1996 and the first task was to clear the land which was overgrown with low-value scrub, particularly bramble, goat willow and the invasive Japanese Knotweed. Access to the retail park was via a new slip road (Atlas Road) on the northern side of the A406 and egress was via a newly constructed bridge over the North Circular and thence via a slip road (Orion Road) to the south. The work was completed in March 1998 and the first occupants moved in soon after. The retailers were Tempo electrical store, Carpet Right, Curry's electrical store, Allied Carpets, Furniture Village, Halfords, JJB Sports, Harveys Linens, Comet electrical and MFI furniture.

### **Infrastructure**

31 Jan 1994. Planning application for details of acoustic fencing and mounding, adjacent to North Circular Road, at Larch Close, Silver Birch Close, Laburnum Close, Pert Close, Stroud Close as required by Condition 07 on planning permission C03069BX for the construction of access road and bridges in connection with proposed development of Friern Hospital 3.9.93 (*Barnet Council C03069DC*)

12 Apr 2007. A mound of earth and rubbish two-and-a-half metres high has been erected at a notorious rubbish-dumping hotspot in a clampdown against fly-tippers. Barnet Council has constructed the pile of earth behind strengthened wooden hoardings at the Friern Bridge Retail Park roundabout as part of its action plan to stop fly-tippers using the remote site to dump their trash. A mobile CCTV unit will also be deployed regularly to deter wannabee fly-tippers from abusing the site, located just off the North Circular Road. It is the latest move by the council after the fences and hoardings at the roundabout were repeatedly broken down by fly-tippers during the past five years. Barnet is regarded as one of the most effective councils in tackling fly-tipping, being used as a case study during an investigation by the Jill Dando Institute of Crime Science into the causes and solutions of fly-tipping. Most recently the council was invited to host a workshop on tackling fly-tipping at a national environmental conference. Councillor Matthew Offord, cabinet member for environment and transport, said: "The roundabout at Friern Bridge Retail Park has for a long time been a favourite dumping spot for fly-tippers – but that is going to stop. We have had enough of these anti-social rubbish dumpers making life a misery for residents and visitors and we are doing everything we can to stop it from continuing. The building of this mound, along with extra CCTV footage, will be an effective weapon against potential fly-tippers. (*Barnet Press 12 Apr 2007*)

28 Jul 2010. planning application for erection of two sprinkler tanks and pump house, provision of new concrete plinth on land at rear of Unit 3 (Legal and General

Assurance, c/o Burnett Planning & Development, Golden Cross House, 8 Duncannon Street, WC2N 4JF) (*Barnet Council B/03069/10*)

### ***Individual properties***

Unit A. 20 Dec 2001. Planning application for installation of second new display window to existing façade (Sports Soccer) (*Barnet Council C03069NS/01*)

Unit A. 20 Dec 2001. Planning application for insertion of a mezzanine floor level to provide staff and storage facilities (139sq m) for the existing retail unit (Sports Soccer) (*Barnet Council C03069NR/01*)

Unit A. 20 Dec 2001. Planning application for new shop signage (Sports Soccer) (*Barnet Council C03069NT/01*)

Unit A. 20 May 2009. Planning application for new plant compound and air conditioning condenser units at rear of retail unit following removal of existing (Sports World) (*Barnet Council B/01743/09*)

Unit A (Sports Direct). 9 Apr 2015. Planning application for submission of details for condition 6 (Extraction and ventilation) pursuant to B/03253/13 dated 04/10/13 SGM Management & Design Ltd, 104 High Street, Thame OX9 3DZ) (*Barnet Council 15/02229/CON*)

Unit B. 14 Mar 2012. Planning application for non- material amendment to planning permission Ref B/03165/10 dated 6/10/2011 for “Enclosure of 582m<sup>2</sup> of existing rear service yard with a fence and formation of a new hardstanding to form secure service yard and storage area. Erection of a canopy over 273m<sup>2</sup> of the proposed secure service yard and storage area. Provision of a 4m high acoustic fence adjacent to the service yard security fence and provision of a further 4m high acoustic fence to enclose the wider service area at the rear of units 3,4, and 5. Installation of 143m<sup>2</sup> internal first floor staff amenity area and 29.5m<sup>2</sup> internal first floor staff office. External alterations to units 3, 4, and 5 including insertion of new windows, doors, roller shutter access. Removal of existing doors and roller shutter access”. Amendments to include: Internal staff office/management block location at the front of the building altered – flipped to left hand side (external door omitted as a result); Internal amenity block layout at rear adjusted slightly to incorporate small ramp for lift access; single leaf access/fire exit door added next to roller shutter at rear; service vehicle gate into service yard repositioned; Armco barrier added to protect acoustic fence at rear; re-positioning of approved rooflight and smoke vent positions at roof level; swing doors installed in side screens of store main entrance lobby rather than bi-parting doors at the front of the lobby; confirmation of colours of capping and doors to be RAL 2009 – traffic orange; new entrance lobby to trade entrance (unit 3); grey water recycling storage tanks (hidden behind acoustic fence line within storage area and under the canopy at rear; sun pipes/tubes at roof level (hidden by parapet); thermal heating panel on roof for solar hot water (hidden by parapet)”. (*Barnet Council B/01010/12*)

Unit B. 14 May 2015. Planning application for installation of 2 air conditioning units (*Barnet Council 15/02733/FUL*)

Units C & D & G. 20 Mar 2012. These units are now empty and, together with Unit B (Carpet Right) they will be converted into a 50,000sq feet B&Q store, due to open in November 2012. Carpet Right will move into Unit G (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

Unit C. 17 Jul 2012. Planning application for installation of an internally illuminated fascia sign to the front elevation (Dixons Retail) (*Barnet Council B/02554/12*)

Unit D. 19 Sep 2009. A new shop Litecraft (lighting) opened today. It replaces Allied Carpets (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

Unit G. 20 May 2008. This unit (formerly JJB sports) is now empty (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

Unit G. 8 Mar 2010. Planning application for erection of 595sq m mezzanine floor for storage only and subdivision of existing unit into 2 units with associated external alterations to front entrance, rear roller shutters and fire exit doors (*Barnet Council B/00956/10*)

Unit G. 9 Feb 2012. The interior has been gutted (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

Unit H/ 20 May 2008. This unit (formerly Harveys Linen) is now Smyths Toys (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

Unit J. 20 May 2009. Planning application for new plant compound and air conditioning condenser units at rear of retail unit following removal of existing (*Barnet Council B/01743/09*)

Unit J. 24 Dec 2012. Planning application for installation of 1 internally illuminated fascia sign, 1 non-illuminated fascia sign, 1 non-illuminated glazing vinyl sign, 4 non-illuminated poster signs, 1 non-illuminated deliveries panel, 2 no-illuminated totem poles (Pets at Home) (*Barnet Council B/04803/12*)

Unit 1. 10 May 2016. Planning application for replacement of existing signage with 4 bridge signs, 1 flagpole sign, 2 totem signs. 10 flagpole signs, 2 entrance fascia signs and 2 tower signs (*Barnet Council 16/3075/ADV*)

Unit 1. 6 Jun 2017. Planning application for refurbishment of existing restaurant with alterations to existing roof including installation of "folding roof". Construction of minor extensions totalling 8.1 sqm including installation of an additional 'drive thru' booth. Reconfiguration of existing 'drive thru' lane and car park with associated works to the site. Installation of 2 customer order displays with associated overhead canopies and height restrictor (McDonalds)) (*Barnet Council 17/3506/FUL*)

Unit 1. 6 Jun 2017. Planning application for installation of new fascia signage to replace existing. The new suite comprises 3 white McDonalds text fascia signs, 4 new yellow 'Golden Arch' symbols and 1 wall mounted 'Good Times' sign (McDonalds) (*Barnet Council 17/3507/ADV*)

Unit 1. 6 Jun 2017. Planning application for installation of 7 internally illuminated freestanding signs, 1 non-internally illuminated banner sign and 1 internally illuminated directional sign (McDonalds) , (*Barnet Council 17/37331ADV*)

Unit 1. 6 Jun 2017. Planning application for installation of pole sign with 2 internally illuminated signs (McDonalds) (*Barnet Council 17/3651/ADV*)

Unit 1. 3 Aug 2017. Submission of details of condition 7 (Refuse), 8 (Delivery and service plan) pursuant to planning permission 17/3506/FUL dated 31/7/17) (McDonalds) (*Barnet Council 17/5065/CON*)

Unit 1.3 Aug 2017. Submission of details of condition 5 (Cycling), pursuant to planning permission 17/3506/FUL dated 31/7/17) (McDonalds) (*Barnet Council 17/5099/CON*)

Unit 1.13 Jan 2020. Planning application for Installation of 5 freestanding internally illuminated digital signs and 1 internally illuminated 15" digital booth screen (McDonalds) (*Barnet Council 20/0155/ADV*)

Unit 2. 5 Apr 2017. Planning application for erection of 241 sqm (2592 sq ft)

Unit 2. 5 Apr 2017. Planning application for erection of 241 sqm (2592 sq ft) extension on the western elevation for A1) retail use, together with the installation of 241 sqm (2592 sqft) mezzanine floorspace for flexible retail (Use Class D2). Alteration to access (*Barnet Council 17/2122/FUL*)

Unit 2. 3 Apr 2020. Submission of condition 4 (Demolition and Construction Method Statement) pursuant to planning permission 17/2122/FUL dated 31/05/2017 (*Barnet Council 1691/CON*)

Unit 2. 5 Apr 2017. Planning application for installation of new shopfront and entrance doors. New fire exit to rear. Relocation of bin store and plant zones ( (*Barnet Council 17/2123/FUL*)

Unit 2. 5 Apr 2017. Planning application for installation of 1394 sqm (15,000 sq ft) of mezzanine floorspace for flexible retail (Class A1)/gym (Class D2) use (*Barnet Council 17/2126/FUL*)

Units 5 & 6. 13 Jul 2010. Planning application for change of use of 906m<sup>2</sup> of the existing rear service area to shop use (use Class A1) to create an external garden centre, formation of new hard standing and erection of fence to provide a means of enclosure to the garden centre. External alterations to Unit 5 to remove existing roller shutter door and fire exit and create a new door to provide access between Unit 5 and the proposed garden centre. Relocation of 25 existing car parking spaces and the provision of a new enclosed waste and recycling storage area ( (*Barnet Council B/02928/10*)

Units 5 & 6. 19 Mar 2011. Planning application for non- material amendment for planning permission ref B/02928/10 dated 6/10/2011 for 'Change of use of 906m<sup>2</sup> of the existing rear service area to a shop use (Class A1) to create an external garden centre, formation of new hard standing and erection of a fence to provide means of enclosure to the garden centre. External alterations to Unit 5 to remove existing roller shutter door and fire exit and create new door to provide access between Unit 5 and the proposed garden centre. Relocation of 25 existing car parking spaces and the provision of a new enclosed waste and recycling storage area'. Amendments to include repositioning of access doors the south by one structural bay. External draught lobby added (with garden centre), screened by fence enclosure. Repositioning of vehicle gate access and installation of barrier to protect garden centre fence line (*Barnet Council B/01067/12*)

Unit 7. 16 Jul 2014. Planning application for installation of new 808sq m mezzanine level (*Barnet Council B/03456/14*)

Unit 7 (Halfords). 22 Dec 2016. Planning application for installation of 1 internally illuminated and 2 non- illuminated fascia signs, 2 non illuminated panels to canopy on cycle parking unit, poster frames and polycarbonate panels (*Barnet Council 16/8142/ADV*)

Unit 8B. 19 Aug 2014. Planning application for installation of 656sq m (7060 sq feet) of mezzanine floorspace (*Barnet Council B/04548/14*)

Unit 8B. 18 Jan 2016. Planning application for installation of 656sq m (7060 sq feet) of mezzanine floorspace (*Barnet Council B/04548/14*)

Unit 8B. 20 Apr 2016. Planning application for installation of 1 internally illuminated hoarding 2 internally illuminated fascia signs, 1 non-illuminated fascia sign and other associated signs (Pets at Home) (*Barnet Council 16/2397 ADV*)

Unit K. 4 Oct 2010. Planning application for installation of mezzanine floor space at Unit 8B for Class A1 retail use with ancillary vet care facility. Alterations to elevations including new a/c condenser units (*Barnet Council 16/0280/FUL*)

Unit K (Currys PC World). 24 Feb 2011. This is now a Currys PC World outlet. The Curry's store at Unit C is now vacant (*David Berquer FB&DLHS*)

Unit R. (Macdonalds Restaurant). 9 Mar 2011. Planning application for single storey side extension (*Appt Corporation Ltd, Iron Bridge, Hanwell, UB1 3EG*)

Unit R. (Macdonalds Restaurant). 15 Jun 2011. Planning application for installation of freestanding internally illuminated pole sign (*Barnet Council B/02579/11*)

Unit R (Macdonalds Restaurant). 4 Jan 2013. Planning application for single storey extension, alterations to patio area and car park layouts (McDonalds Restaurants Ltd) (*Barnet Council B/00024/13*)

Unit R (Macdonalds Restaurant). 4 Jan 2013. Planning application for relocation of existing fascia signs ( *Barnet Council B/00026/13*)

Unit R (Macdonalds Restaurant). 1 Aug 2013. Planning application for variation of Condition No 3 (Approved Plans), pursuant to planning permission reference B/00024/2103 dated 08/02/2013 dir "Single storey extension, alterations to patio area and car park layouts." Variation to include: the reconfiguration of the car park, with the inclusion of a new space to the north of the store (*Barnet Council B/01968/13*)

Unit R. (Macdonalds Restaurant). 22 May 2014. Planning application for variation of condition 5 (permitted Use of Units 12a and 12b) pursuant to planning permission B/05869/13 dated 12/12/13 for additional goods ranges to permitted for sale in unit 12b. Variation to include alterations to allow for flexibility in permitted range of goods for Unit 12b to meet the requirements of an identified end user (*Barnet Council B/02542/14*)

Unit 10. 18 Jan 2016. Planning application for installation of mezzanine floor space including coffee shop in Unit 10. External alterations including changes to windows and doors (*Barnet Council 16/0279/FUL*)

Unit 10. 26 Jul 2016. Planning application for external works involving installation of new fire exit doors to the front and rear elevations, rear access ramp, relocation of rear roller shutter door and new window at first floor level on the rear elevation (*Barnet Council 16/4704/FUL*)

Unit 10. 26 Jul 2016. Planning application for the installation of 1672 sq m (17,997 sq ft) of mezzanine floorspace for Class A1 retail use with an ancillary cafe ( *Barnet Council 16/4705/FUL*)

Unit 10. 25 Aug 2016. Planning application for installation of 3 internally illuminated fascia signs and 1 set of 4 poster frames (*Barnet Council 16/5625/ADV*)

Unit 11. 25 May 2021. Planning application for installation of 1 internally illuminated fascia sign and 4 non illuminated fascia signs (*Barnet Council 21/2880/ADV*)

Unit 12a. 29 May 2014. Planning application for installation of 4 internally illuminated fascia signs (*Barnet Council B/02881/14*)

Unit12b. (Subway). 29 Jul 2015. There is now a new building alongside McDonalds which is for both Costa Coffee and Subway (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

Car park. 25 Jul 2013. Planning application for erection of a single storey unit for A1 retail use and one unit for mixed A1/A3 use. Alterations to car parking layout and hard and soft landscaping works; provision of external seating area and cycle parking within existing car park; provision of refuse. Associated works (*Barnet Council B/03253/13*)

Car park. 12 Dec 2013. Variation of Condition 5 (Permitted Use of Units 12a and 12b) pursuant to planning permission B/03253/13 dated 04/10/2013. Variations include additional goods ranges permitted for sale in unit 12b Duncannon Street, WC2N 4JF) (*Barnet Council B/005869/13*)

**FRIERN COTTAGES, N12**

**FRIERN BARNET LANE**, west side (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet*  
1932)

**FRIERN HOSPITAL** (originally THE SECOND MIDDLESEX COUNTY PAUPER LUNATIC ASYLUM)

see also PRINCESS PARK MANOR

For complete history see "The Friern Hospital Story" by David Berguer. 2012 ISBN 9780956 934444)

The former Friern Hospital, and the Lodge and the Garden House are Grade II listed by Historic England (formerly English Heritage)

The management of the hospital changed several times: 1888 - 1947 London County Council; 1948 – 1974 North West Metropolitan Regional Hospital Board; 1974 1982 North East Thames Regional Health authority; 1982 – 1993 Hampstead Health Authority; 1993 – closure, Camden & Islington Health Authority (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

3 Jan 1888. Supply of gas to 2 lamps in Asylum wall at 3 shillings per 1000 feet (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

11 Mar 1998. Approached through electronically controlled gates, Princess Park Manor projects an impressive profile through a stately tree-lined avenue. Time has stood still at the Victorian building with its opulent central dome lording over a spattering of towers. Set in 30 acres of parkland, it has excellent views of Alexandra Palace. Comer Homes is developing the site in Friern Barnet Road into 261 flats and houses in the grounds. By the main gate is what once was the gatehouse, which is to be converted into a luxury private residence. The stable block is to be transformed into two self-contained mews houses with a walled courtyard....Facilities provided will include a fully equipped gymnasium, 1 20m swimming pool, a sauna, steam room, beauty parlour, aerobics studio, bar and restaurant. The thirty acres of grounds are ideal for children, and safety is paramount with a 24- hour CCTV surveillance and a full-time security guard. The £22m project is due to be completed in the summer of 1998. But prospective buyers will have to hurry because 85 percent of the first phase of building has sold out. Apartment prices start at around £130,000 for a one-bedroom and up to £700,000 for a penthouse suite. Two brothers, Brian and Luke Comer, are the men behind the Comer Homes development. They are men who see beyond the exterior of the building and have a vision of what it might be. Brian Comer said that he and his brother used to work on construction sites when they were teenagers. "We worked our way up from basically nothing," he said. "Converting historic buildings is the Comer Brothers' speciality. But they have also turned their hands to other ventures. Projects in the pipeline include Davy House in Harrow, an office block which is to be converted to apartments and a hotel, and Tower Point in Enfield which is also an office block in the process of being converted to apartments. The brothers are transforming the United States International University in Bushey, 15 miles from the centre of London, to 350 large apartments and houses. Many high- quality specifications were needed to convert Princess Park Manor to modern homes without losing the elegance of its Victorian heritage. Over 250 flats will have fully fitted kitchens, solid concrete floors, high level acoustic insulation, full gas central heating systems, as well as telephone and multi channel TV sockets to all main rooms. Quality white sanitary ware was used in all bathrooms with polished brass ironmongery. Cornices were used in some apartments, with quality carpets or hardwood flooring. Marble fireplaces also add to the atmosphere and smoke detectors have been fitted. All new building has a 10- year guarantee. The high ceilings, with detailed coving and large windows give a sense of light and space. Brian Comer said: "You wouldn't be able to get this quality of home in a modern development." (*Property Weekly, Barnet, Friern Barnet, Whetstone, Arkley, Hadley, Potters Bar. 11 Mar 1998*)

The turntable connecting the railway to the back door of Friern Hospital – one coal truck was pushed on to the table, it was moved through ninety degrees, then a horse



pulled it into the hospital grounds and on to the gas works (the Hospital produced its own gas) (*Gordon Eve, Potters Bar Historical Society in Donovan's Diary 25 Oct 2001*)

Colney Hatch Hospital faced particular problems because it housed a large number of long-term mentally ill patients. In 1939 the hospital (which was not in an evacuee-designated part of London) was asked to prepare a number of its wards for reception and treatment of war casualties. This resulted in ten of the larger wards being arranged to house 770 beds. Considerable congestion of existing patients was another result. Matters were compounded just two days after London's evacuation plans had been carried out when 200 nurses from various London hospitals, plus consultants, house physicians, surgeons and students from St Bartholomew's Hospital were also moved into Colney Hatch. The hospital even became the Final Year Medical School for Barts. The average admissions per year were 3,000-4,000 with 5,000 being treated in 1944. The Emergency Hospital closed in September 1945. A most unusual story of Colney Hatch during the war is recorded by former nurse, Sofie Carr SRN SCN. She describes how nurses from other hospitals did a temporary spell of duty at Colney Hatch. "...I also remember" she said "the mental patients that walked the corridors. Not only did they walk the corridors, they worked there. They did all the cleaning, worked in the kitchens and pharmacy and delivered food and drugs to the wards. They were harmless, happy people walking and dancing along the corridor." Nurse Carr goes on to describe how, in the middle of one night. They were told to get beds ready for 500 German prisoners of war – all very badly injured. The nurses had to get ham sandwiches ready for them – ham was rationed and certainly not supplied to people such as nurses. The prisoners were washed, fed and looked after. "Nobody knew that the enemy was in the middle of London during the bombing", she commented, "it was a State secret." (*The Days of Darkness by Percy Reboul and John Heathfield Page 25*)

When I first came to live in Friern Barnet in 1966 the wall was six feet high. That same year it was reduced to waist height, with the original semi-circular capstones replaced. Along its length it was pierced by a few openings, each with a wooden gate, one of which led to the prefabs opposite Macdonald Road. Another gave access to Haliwick Hospital, although that one was more substantial. A few weeks ago I saw a portion of the wall had collapsed. I assumed it was car damage until I saw a couple of other patches of broken wall. Then I noticed that part of a very similar wall in front of the Catholic Church, just uphill from Arnos Grove station, had collapsed. Perhaps the two walls are of the same age and suffering from old age (*John Donovan. Donovan's Diary 8 Feb 2004. Page 2*)

The high brick wall of the Mental Hospital extended to Bellevue Road where there still is a very imposing entrance with wrought iron gates and a wide drive to the main entrance...the wall continued until it reached St John the Apostle church (*Memoirs of a Whetstonian 1907-2000 by Kenneth B Satchell. Page 11*)

Jun 1945 - Dec 1947. Planning application for stores (The Superintending Architect, London County Council, The County Hall, Westminster) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03639a*)

13 Feb 1974. Barnet Council reported that tipping and infilling of land is in excess (*Barnet Council*)

2 Feb 1988. Outline planning application for 1) residential development on an area of 9 hectares at an average density on that land of up to 210 habitable rooms per hectare 2) Up to 17,500 square metres non-food retail space on an area of 5 hectares 3) Educational use on an area of 1 hectare. Together with open space, roads (including footpaths) with connections to Colney Hatch lane, Friern Barnet Road and North

Circular Road to serve the development and landscaping (*Barnet Council HQ/C03069BV*)

2 Feb 1988. Outline planning application for 1) residential development of an area of 15 hectares at an average density on that land of up to 210 habitable rooms per hectare  
2) Educational use on an area of 1 hectare. Together with open space, roads (including footpaths) with connections to Colney Hatch lane, Friern Barnet Road and North Circular Road to serve the development and landscaping (*Barnet Council HQ/C03069BW*)

2 Feb 1988. Planning application for construction of access roads and bridges in connection with proposed development of Friern Hospital on land adjoining Pinkham Way between Colney Hatch Lane and Bounds Green Road (*Barnet Council HQ/C3069BX*)

2 Feb 1988. Planning application for residential application at an average density of up to 210 habitable rooms per hectare on land forming part of grounds of Friern Hospital (*Barnet Council HQ/C3069BY*)

2 Feb 1966. Planning application for demolition of buildings (listed building consent) of parts of hospital and its grounds (*Barnet Council HQ/C3069BR*)

**FRIERN LANE**  
(See FRIERN BARNET LANE)

### **Layout**

There are 69 residential properties, 30 properties on the south side (numbers 1-53) and 39 properties on the north side (numbers 4-80). 37 are detached and 32 semi-detached

### **History**

Viewed from any angle, a SCOTT-BUILT HOUSE is attractive in appearance and structure. While everything possible has been done for the comfort and convenience of the tenants, the quality of the construction has been given equal attention, with the result that, although the initial price is somewhat higher, these houses remain the best possible investment for a house and home. We are confident that you'll find our claims justified whenever you care to view either of the estates at Friern Mount Drive or Longlands Drive, Whetstone. If more convenient, ask for detailed particulars from 43 Church Way, Whetstone. These houses, well built, well finished, contain 4- bed, 2 res, fitted bath, downstairs cloakroom, kitchen and scullery; on plots 42 feet by 169 feet. Prices from £1,150. Full Particulars from 42 Church Way, Whetstone or on site (*Advertisement in Barnet Press 11 May 1935*)

Friern Mount Drive follows the line of the old footpath, that's why it curves round like it does. That was the footpath that lead to the station (*Interview with Mrs Ena Constable nee Blackbarrow and Gillian Gear at 43 Church Crescent, Whetstone on 7 Nov 1986. From Barnet & District Local History Society Newsletter Spring 2007 Page 19*)

Like may other people Fre and Florrie were keen to get rehoused by the council and they visited Friern Barnet Town Hall only to be told that there was a long waiting list. They did learn, however, of six houses to be built in Friern Mount Drive, These were to be semi-detached, the builder's name was Joyce and the price was £1800. Fortunately, Fred and Florrie were one of six couples to be chosen. They managed to get a mortgage from Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society for £1620 with repayments over twenty years and with a fixed interest of 4¼%. They managed to scrape together the £180 deposit thanks to his dad lending him £100. Eventually the house was ready and in 1949 they moved into their new home (*I Love You Sixpence by Fred Williams*)

### **Infrastructure**

No 50. 19 June 2003. New pavement being laid on that side of the road. (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

### **Individual properties**

Friern Mount Drive appears in Kelly's Directory of Finchley for the first time in 1928. In 1929 there were 2 properties on the north side; in 1932 4 on the north and 1 on the south; in 1934 9 on the north and 1 on the south; in 1935 10 on the north and 1 on the south; in 1936 11 on the north and 4 on the south; in 1937 16 on the north and 4 on the south; in 1938 16 on the north and 8 on the south and 1939 18 on the north and 8 on the south (*Source: Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet*)

Nos ?? 17 Sep 1931. Application approved for 24 houses (C F Day Ltd) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? 12 Sep 1933. Application approved for detached house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? 5 Dec 1933. Application approved for detached house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? 9 Jan 1934. Application approved for detached house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? 6 Mar 1934. Application approved for detached house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? May - Oct 1934. Planning application for house (Francis Frederick Barry, 30 Birley Road, N20, submitted by E D Winn & Co, 36 Wilton Place, N20) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03120*)

Nos ?? 15 Jan 1935. Application approved for 12 houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. Junction with Buckingham Avenue. 9 Dec 1948. Application approved for detached bungalow at junction between Friern Mount Drive and Buckingham Avenue (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 9 May 1933. Application approved for detached house on northern side (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? 8 Sep 1936. Application approved for 3 detached houses on south side adjoining 'Green Holm' (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? 9 Dec 1938. Application approved for detached bungalow on south side (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? Jan - Feb 1942. Planning application for house (F J Shipp, Rosebank, Upper Bognor Road, Bognor, owner, submitted by Cottrell Shipp Ltd, Coleridge Road, Crouch End, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03632*)

No ? Nov 1946 - Jun 1947. Planning application for house (F H Joyce Ltd, 43 St Margaret's Road, Ruislip, owner and builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03756*)

No ? Feb 1952. Planning application for bungalow (K J Grocott, 74 Friern Mount Drive, owner, submitted by D Harrington, 24 Buckingham Street, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04226*)

No ? 12 Feb 1953 & 10 Nov 1953. Application approved for detached bungalow and garage at junction of Langton Avenue (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 1a. 10 Nov 1988. Planning application for detached garage (*Barnet Council N/09251*)

No 4. 11 Jun 1963. Application approved for erection of domestic garage on west side (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 4 - 12. 11 Jul 1989 & 22 Sep 1989 & 26 Mar 1991. Planning application for 15 detached houses with integral garages (*Barnet Council N/08430/C*)

No 6. 12 Jun 1961. Application approved for extra wc on ground floor (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 6. 17 Jan 2000. Planning application for enlarged roof and loft conversion including dormer windows to both sides and rear (*Barnet Council N/11299/A/00*)

No 6. 24 Jan 2001. Planning application for loft conversion involving hip to gable to both sides of house and rear dormer roof extension (*Barnet Council N/08430/J/01*)

No 6 1 Apr 2021. Planning application for single storey rear extension following demolition of rear bay window (*Barnet Council 21/1853/192*)

No 8. 11 Aug 2015. Planning application for single storey rear extension. Roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer window with juliette balcony, 2 rooflights to front to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council 15/05082/192*)

No 9. 20 Nov 2015. Planning application for proposed garage conversion, insertion of new side facing windows and resurfacing of existing driveway (*Barnet Council 15/07095/HSE*)

No 11a. 12 Apr 1960. Application approved for single storey extension to dining room at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 12. 13 Nov 1947 & 16 Sep 1948. Application approved for detached bungalow and detached garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & No 12. Nov-Dec 1947. Planning application for bungalow (submitted by Evelyn Simmons, 3 Old Ford Close, Monken Hadley, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03816*) & No 12. Aug 1948 - Apr 1949. Planning application for bungalow (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03877*)

No 14. May 1933. Planning application for house (P Webster, 108 Muswell Hill Road, owner, submitted by G Swindon & Co, 1 Landseer Road, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03033*)

No 15. Feb - Oct 1930. Planning application for house & garage (B E Barwick, 109 Woodgrange Road, owner, submitted by Percy G Haywood, 79 High Street, Southend, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070//02/02785*) & No ? 20 Feb 1930. Application approved for house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 15. 12 Jun 1961. Application approved for internal wc on ground floor (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 15. 23 Apr 2021. Planning application for single storey rear extension following demolition of the existing extension. Roof extension involving side and rear dormer windows (*Barnet Council 21/2299/192*)

No 16. 11 Sep 1947 & 11 Dec 1947. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 17. 24 Nov 1989. Planning application for two storey side and rear extension and single storey side and front extension (*Barnet Council N/09076/A*)

No 17. 19 Mar 1991. Planning application for single storey front and side extension (to existing garage) and single storey front extension to porch (*Barnet Council N/09919*)

No 18. Jun 1936 - Jan 1938. Planning application for house (L J Hunt, 47 Mount Pleasant Road, owner, submitted by Phillip Baldwin, Philton, Holden Road, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/0203474*)

No 19. 10 Jul 2002. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council 20/3007/HSE*)

No 19. 13 Jul 2020. Planning application for roof extension involving side and rear dormer windows and 1 front facing rooflight (*Barnet Council 20/3108/192*)

No 20. 31 Dec 1996. Planning application for 2 storey side/rear extension, single storey side extension to form garage and conversion of existing garage to habitable room (*Barnet Council N/11299*)

No 20. 17 Jan 2000. Planning application for enlarged roof and loft conversion including dormer windows to both sides and rear (*Barnet Council N/11299/A/00*)

No 20. 22 Feb 2002. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory and single storey side extension (*Barnet Council N/11299/B/02*)

No 20. 10 Apr 2002. Planning application for enlarged roof and loft conversion including dormer windows to both sides and rear (revised scheme) (*Barnet Council N/11299/C/02*)

No 22. 2 Feb 2000. Planning application for 2 storey side and single storey front extension (*Barnet Council N/12235/A/00*)

No 23. 15 Jan 1953. Application approved for kitchen extension at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 23. 3 Jan 2001. Planning application for part single, part 2-storey side extension (*Barnet Council N/03924/B./01*)

No 23. 5 Oct 2001. Planning application for part demolition of garage and erection of 2 storey side extension (*Barnet Council N/03924/C./01*)

No 24. 24 Jan 2002. Planning application for 2 storey side extension (*Barnet Council N/12942/A/02*)

No 25. 12 Feb 1953. Application approved for detached bungalow and garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 25. 11 Dec 1952. Application approved for extension to kitchen at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 25. 10 Nov 1953. Application approved for detached house and garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 25. 1 Aug 1994. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council N/05801/A*)

No 25. 19 May 2010. Planning application for first floor side extension (*Barnet Council B/02004/10*)

No 25. 8 May 2017. Planning application for firstfloor side/rear infill extension. First floor rear extension. Insertion of 6 rooflights. Installation of sliding doors to ground floor rear. New hardstanding to provide vehicular access and new landscaping (*Barnet Council 17/2831/HSE*)

No 26. 6 Jan 1992. Planning application for single storey rear extension and front extension to garage to include monopitch over roof extension to include first and second floor dormer windows (*Barnet Council N/10103*)

No 26. 24 Jul 1992. Planning application for single storey rear extension and part single storey, part 2 storey extension with 2 dormer windows at rear first floor (*Barnet Council N/10103/A*)

- No 26. 14 May 2001. Planning application for new pitched roof over existing side addition, new front canopy (*Barnet Council N/10103/C/01*)
- No 27. Oct - Dec 1953. Planning application for house and garage (P Lawrence, submitted by Stanwal (Finchley) Ltd, 88 Station Road) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04412*)
- No 27. 4 Feb 2022. Two storey side extension following demolition of garage and outbuilding. Associated alterations and extensions to roof including rooflights to front, side and rear roofslopes (*Barnet Council 22/0513/HSE*)
- No 29. Oct - Nov 1953. Planning application for bungalow & garage (J F Goble, submitted by Stanwal (Finchley) Ltd, 88 Station Road) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04413*)
- No 30. 25 Mar 2010. Planning application for two storey side extension (*Barnet Council B/01212/10*)
- No 32. 6 Jun 2017. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council 17/3587/HSE*)
- No 32. 11 Aug 2021. Planning application for roof extension involving hip to gable, rear dormer window with balustrade balcony, 3 front facing rooflights (*Barnet Council 21/4448/192*)
- No 33. Nov 1932. Planning application for house (C W Kilkenny, agent C F Day Ltd, 1 Rosemont Terrace, North Finchley, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives L:MA/4070/02/02997*)
- No 33. 14 Mar 1957. Application approved for internal wc on ground floor (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 35. 8 Sep 1959. Application approved for extension to kitchen and dining room at rear and erection of summer house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 35. 8 Mar 2000. Planning application for single storey rear, side and front extension (*Barnet Council N/12441/00*)
- No 35. 24 Jan 2022. Planning application for single storey rear extension following demolition of existing rear extension. Conversion of garage into habitable room including new window to replace garage door. Insertion of new window to side elevation at first floor level (*Barnet Council 22/0086/HSE*)
- No 36. 10 Nov 1953. Application approved for bedroom over existing garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- Nos 37 - 39. 5 Sep 1946 & 12 Dec 1946. Application approved for pair of semi-detached houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & Nos 37-39. Sep 1946 & Apr 1947. Planning application for houses (E Simmons, 3 Old Ford Close, Barnet, owner & architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMAS/4070/02/03735*)
- No 37. 12 Feb 1948. Application approved for garden tool shed (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 37. 12 Mar 1953. Application approved for detached garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 38. 12 Mar 1953. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)



No 39. 15 May 1947. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 39. 12 Feb 1948. Application approved for glass lean-to (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 39. 15 Jan 1948. Application approved for garden tool shed (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 39. 14 Jul 1949. Application approved for extension to front of garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 39. 1 Mar 1951. Application approved for lean-to conservatory (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 39. 11 May 1994 & 30 Nov 1995. Planning application for 2 storey side and single storey front, side and rear extension (*Barnet Council N/10660*)

No 40. 12 May 1988. Planning application for single storey front and side extension (*Barnet Council N/09067*)

No 40. 24 Nov 1989. Planning application for two storey side and rear extension and single storey side and front extension (*Barnet Council N/09076/A*)

No 40. Nov 1998. Planning application for two storey side and rear extension and single storey front extension (*Barnet Council N/09076C*)

No 40. 1 Aug 1994. Planning application for two storey side and rear extension and single storey side and front extension (*Barnet Council N/0907/B*)

No 40. 2 Nov 1998. Planning application for two storey side and rear extension and single storey front extension (*Barnet Council N/0907/C*)

Nos 41 - 43. Oct 1946 - Aug 1947. Planning application for bungalows (C L Price, 18 Cranbourne Gardens, Golders Green, owner, submitted by W Wesley Turney, Newmans Way, 9 Victoria Street, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03731*)

No 41. 7 Dec 1954. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 42. 6 Feb 2015. Planning application for part single, part two storey side and rear extension including partial conversion of existing garage into habitable room (*Barnet Council 15/00754/HSE*)

No 43. 12 Feb 1948 & 8 Jul 1948. Application approved for garden shelter (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 43. 14 Sep 1954. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 43. 21 Nov 2017. Planning application for first floor rear extension with associated alterations and extension to roof (*Barnet Council 17/7400/HSE*)

No 43. 1 May 2020. Planning application for Single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 6.00 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 4.00 metres and maximum height of 4.00 metres (*Barnet Council 17/2039/PNH*)

- Nos 45 - 53. 7 Dec 1950. Application approved for 5 detached houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 45. 18 Dec 1951. Application approved for detached house and garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & Dec 1951-Jun 1952. Planning application for house and garage (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04209*)
- No 45. 15 Sep 1965. Planning application approved for car port (*Barnet Council Minutes 15 Sep 1965*)
- No 45. 10 Feb 1959. Application approved for amended elevation and siting of detached house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- Nos 46 - 56. 16 Sep 1948 & 13 Jan 1949. Application approved for 3 pairs of semi-detached houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & Nos 46-56. Sep 1948-Sep 1949. Planning application for houses (F & H Joyce Ltd, 117 High Road, Barnet, builder, submitted by L & H Hannen & Partners, 9 Victoria Street, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03874*)
- No 46. 9 Nov 1954. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 46. 17 Jun 1992. Planning application for conversion of car port into garage. First floor side and rear extension, conservatory and single storey infill at rear. New front porch (*Barnet Council N/00229/B*)
- Nos 47 - 53. Nov 1950 - Oct 1952. Planning application for houses and garages (F H Joyce, 117 High Street, Barnet, owner & builder, submitted by Howard Sharp, 1285 High Road, N2, architect (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04101*)
- No 47. 24 Sep 2012. Planning application for extension to front and conversion of garage into habitable room for disabled use (*Barnet Council B/03485/12*)
- No 47. 17 May 2013. Planning application for variation of Condition 1 (Plan numbers) of planning permission B/03485/12 dated 30/11/12 for 'Extension to front and conversion of garage into habitable room for disabled use.' Variation to include change in gradient of pitched roof (*Barnet Council B/01747/13*)
- No 47. 22 Jan 2019. Planning application for part single, part two-storey rear extension, first floor front extension, roof extension (with rear dormer window and juliette balcony and 2no. rooflights to rear roofslope ( (*Barnet Council 19/03036/HSE*)
- No 47. 28 Jan 2019. Planning application for installation of new automatic sliding gate. New front bay window. New front hardstanding to provide off-street parking (*Barnet Council 19/0425/FUL*)
- No 47. 22 May 2019. Planning application for roof extension involving rear dormer window parking (*Barnet Council 19/2872/192*)
- No 48. 18 Dec 1951. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 48. 8 Dec 1986. Planning application for part single, part 2 storey side and rear extension including garage (*Barnet Council N/08485*)
- No 49. 10 Feb 1993. Planning application for use of garage as habitable room and formation of external stairs to side entrance (*Barnet Council N/10331*)

No 51. Jun 1951 - Oct 1952. Planning application for house (F Lush, owner, submitted by J A Maudsley, 158 Hoppers Road, Winchmore Hill, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04159*)

No 52. 1 Mar 1951. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 52. 16 Apr 2019. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 6 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 3 metres and maximum height of 3.88 metres (*Barnet Council 19/2269/PNH*)

No 52. 1 May 2019. Planning application for roof extension, including hip to gable, rear dormer window and 3 rooflights to front roofslope (*Barnet Council 19/2465/192*)

No 52. 31 May 2019. Planning application for single storey extension with a proposed depth of 5.5 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 3 metres and maximum height of 3.69 metres (*Barnet Council 19/3128/PNH*)

No 52. 9 Jul 2019. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 5 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 2.8 metres and maximum height of 3 metres (*Barnet Council 19/3806/PNH*)

No 52. 25 Oct 2019. Planning application for demolition of existing garage. Two storey side extension. Part single, part two storey rear extension. Alterations to fenestration (*Barnet Council 19/5499/HSE*)

No 52. 16 Jul 2020. Planning application for a new first floor side window (*Barnet Council 20/3224/HSE*)

No 52. 4 Aug 2002. Planning application for erection of a rear outbuilding (Retrospective application) (*Barnet Council 20/3553/RCU*)

No 52. 21 Sep 2002. Planning application for erection of a front portico (retrospective application) (*Barnet Council 20/ 4363/RCU*)

No 52. 22 Sep 2020. Planning application for variation of condition 1 (Approved Plans), 3 (Materials), 5 (Windows or doors) and 6 (Proposed windows) of planning permission 19/5499/HSE, dated 24/12/2019 for 'Demolition of existing garage. Two-storey side extension. Part single, part two storey rear extension. Alterations to fenestration' Variation to include retain the as built form including: New pitched roof to front bay window, new window to first floor side elevation, Alterations to fenestration, hipped roof to first floor rear extension, alterations to boundary fencing (*Barnet Council 20/4361/S73*)

No 52. 4 Dec 2020. Planning application for erection of a front portico (retrospective application) (*Barnet Council 20/5821/RCU*)

No 53. 19 Jun 1951. Application approved for detached house and garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 53. 12 Mar 1963. Application approved for erection of garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 53. 24 Mar 2010. Planning application for single storey front extension (Mr & Mrs Ward, 53 Friern Mount Drive, N20 9DJ) (*Barnet Council B/01220/10*)

No 53. 13 Nov 2018. Planning application for erection of timber garden summerhouse to garden area (*Barnet Council 18/6789/HSE*),

No 55. Mar-Dec 1954. Planning application for house and garage (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04458*)

No 56. 13 Jul 1954. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 56. 20 Jan 1987. Planning application for 2 storey side and rear and single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council N/08533*)

Nos 58-64. 10 Nov 1949. Application approved for 2 detached and 22 pairs of semi-detached houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 58. 16 Oct 1952. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 58. 15 Oct 2014. Planning application for part single, part two-storey front, side and rear extension. Roof extension involving raising ridge height, rear dormer window and 3 front and 2 side rooflights to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council B/03810/14*)

No 58. 1 Jun 2015. Planning application for part single, part two storey rear extension. Extension to roof including hip to gable end to original roof, rear dormer window and roof lights to front elevation (*Barnet Council 15/02757/HSE*)

No 58. 1 Jun 2015. Planning application for part single, part two storey rear extension. Changes to windows and doors to front porch. Extension to roof including new pitched roof with dormer windows to side and rear elevation and rooflights to front and side elevations (*Barnet Council 15/02757/HSE*)

No 58. 29 Nov 2021. Planning application for erection of a rear outbuilding (*Barnet Council 21/6231/HSE*)

No 60. 13 Oct 1998. Planning application for conversion of garage into habitable room (*Barnet Council N/06915/A*)

Nos 60, 66, 72, 74 & 76. 7 Sep 1950. Application approved for garages at side (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 62. 11 Nov 1958. Application approved for detached house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 64. 1962. Application approved for garage at side (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 66 - 76. 8 Dec 1949. Application approved for 6 dwelling houses drainage for 6 houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 66 - 76. 1962. Application approved for amended layout and drainage for 6 houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 68 & 70. 7 Dec 1950. Application approved for 2 garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 68. 9 Jun 1988. Planning application for single storey front and 2 storey side extension (*Barnet Council N/08054/A*)

No 70. 29 Mar 1995. Planning application for raising land levels and retention of wall and boundary fencing (*Barnet Council N/10823/A*)

No 70. 1 Aug 1995. Planning application for 2 storey side and single storey front extension and 2 rear facing dormer windows (*Barnet Council N/10823/B*)

- No 70. 12 Mar 1996. Planning application for car port (*Barnet Council N/10823/C*)
- No 70. 7 Jun 1996. Planning application for side dormer window and rear balcony at roof level (*Barnet Council N/10823/D*)
- No 72. 19 June 2003. Side extension (north-west side) (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)
- No 72. 31 Dec 2015. Planning application for extensions to roof involving 1 dormer window to each side elevation and 1 dormer window to rear elevation. Part single, apt two storey side and rear extension post demolition of existing single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council 15/07749/HSE*)
- No 72. 6 May 2020. Planning application for roof extension involving rear and side facing dormer windows. Single storey rear extension. Replacement of window at first floor rear elevation. Replacement of garage door with a main door and window and replacement of main door with a new window (*Barnet Council 20/2065/HSE*)
- No 72. 19 Jul 2021. Variation of condition 1 (Approved Plans) and 3 (Materials - External Surfaces) of planning permission reference 20/2065/HSE dated 06.08.20 for 'Roof extension involving rear and side facing dormer windows. Single storey rear extension. Replacement of window at first floor rear elevation. Replacement of garage door with a main door and window and replacement of main door with a new window.' Variation to include changes in fenestration, addition of solar panels and changes to external finishes (*Barnet Council 21/4064/S73*)
- No 72. 5 Oct 2021. Planning application for installation of solar panels.(RETROSPECTIVE APPLICATION) (*Barnet Council 21/5294/RCU*)
- No 74. 9 Jun 1959. Application approved for bedroom over existing garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 74. 8 Oct 1987. Planning application for two storey side and rear extension and single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/08829*)
- No 74. 21 Apr 1989. Planning application for two storey side and single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/08829/A*)
- No 74. 11 Feb 2011.Planning application for single storey rear extension and two storey side extension with a pitched roof following demolition of existing extensions. New rear dormer window and rooflights to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council B/00680/11*)
- No 76. 28 Apr 2002. Planning application for single storey wrap around extension with 1no rooflight, and first floor rear extension. New front porch (*Barnet Council 20/1931/HSE*)
- No 76. 22 Jun 2020. Planning application for erection of a rear outbuilding (Retrospective Application) (*Barnet Council 20/2777/RCU*)
- No 78. Mar 1947 - Oct 1952. Planning application for house (Sidney George Harman, submitted by S Abel, Three Oaks, Arkley Lane, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03777*)
- No 78. 7 Dec 1950. Application approved for detached house and garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 78. 19 Feb 1952 & 5 Jun 1952. Application approved for detached house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 78. 13 Sep 1955. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 78. 18 Apr 2001. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension and steps to rear (*Barnet Council N/12672/A/01*)

No 78. 24 Oct 2001. Planning application for 2 storey side and single storey rear conservatory (*Barnet Council N/12672/B/01*)

No 78. 11 Apr 2012. Planning application for roof extension involving partial hip to gable to both sides and 2 rear dormer windows to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council B/01352/12*)

**FRIERN PARK, N12.** Surveyed May 2009. Planning applications up to Nov 2022

**(formerly TORRINGTON ROAD)**

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### **Infrastructure**

22 Nov 1887 & 28 Feb 1888. Plans prepared and estimates called for making up private road (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

8 Oct 1889. Works taking place (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

25 Mar 1890 & 22 Apr 1890. Declared a highway (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

4 Jun 1909. New road linking Friern Park to Ashurst Road (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

6 Oct 1911. Application approved for overground telegraph line (GPO) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

20 Nov 1925. Post Office Engineering Ltd granted permission for underground telegraph cable on south side (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

17 Sep 1926. Post Office Engineering Ltd granted permission for underground telegraph cable (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

13 May 1932. Renumbering is taking place (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. (The Lindens). Dec 1938 - Jan 1949. Planning application for electricity sub station (North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Company, Northmet House, Southgate) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/0203574*)

17 Sep 1940. HE (High Explosive) bomb reported in Friern Park (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

8 Jul 2005. Block of flats opposite Northwood Gardens, ten lime trees have been sawn back to the trunks and cut down to eight feet. On the remaining few trees are “save our trees” notices (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

### **Individual properties**

No ?. 8 Jul 1884. Application approved for house (J W Hartley) (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

No ?. 20 Jan 1885. Application approved for greenhouse (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

No ?. 1 Mar 1887. Application approved for alterations to Mr Hartley’s workshop (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

No ?. 17 May 1898. Application approved for house (Mrs E Goodship) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 24 Jan 1899. Application approved for detached house (J H James) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 14 Feb 1899. Application approved for detached house (J H James) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? (Seaforth House). Feb 1899. Planning application for villa (J Young, 77 King George Street, SE) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00542*)

Nos ???. May - Jun 1899. Application for houses (E O Page, submitted by Wheeler & Peake, North Finchley) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/020/00570*)

No ?. 20 Jun 1899. Application approved for detached house (Mr Page) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 20 Nov 1900. Application approved for house (C S Sharp) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 14 May 1901. Application approved for house (G Wadmore) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 1 Oct 1901. Application approved for house (W A Marriott) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ???. 7 Apr 1902. Application approved for pair of villas (W A Marriott) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? (Parkdean) 10 Nov 1902. Application approved for alterations (W A Marriott) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ???. 13 Jul 1903. Application approved for 3 houses (W A Marriott) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & Jun - Jul 1903. Planning application for houses (W A Marriott, Glencoe, Lambert Road, North Finchley, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/0200841*)

No ? 31 Jul 1903. Application approved for house (T O Pugh) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 7 Jan 1910. Application approved for house (W A Marriott) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)  
(*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? (Pembroke Villa). 1910. James Alfred Mecoy, Bombardier, Royal Field Artillery, died of wounds 13 September 1918, aged 33, buried in Aubigny Cemetery, Arras. James was born in 1885 in Islington, son of Alfred, a butcher, and Emma Mecoy. He was baptised 5 July 1893 in St John's, Upper Holloway. He had four sisters (two older, two younger) and a younger brother. On his father's retirement around 1910, James took over the butcher's shop in Blackstock Road. His parents and two younger sisters moved to Pembroke Villa, Friern Park. On 11 December 1916, James was married in St John's Highbury Vale, to Emma Gregory. They continued to live in Islington at 237 Blackstock Road They had one child. James's brother Francis also served in France, from October 1914 with the Army Service Corps (*Parish of Friern Barnet Graves and Memorials of the First World War. Page 18*)

Nos ?. 5 Feb 1915. Application approved for 4 houses north side (Mr Marriott) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & Nos ?? Jan - Feb 1915. Planning application for cottages (W A Marriott, Marwell, Friern Park) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01652*)

No ?. Apr - May 1920. Planning application for house (A Dowdall, 6 High Street, North Finchley, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01730*)

No ?. 5 Jan 1923. Application approved for bungalow corner Torrington Grove (Miss Huntley) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)



No ?. 23 Nov 1928. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. Oct 1929 - Feb 1930. Planning application for house (Arthur Ralph Bailey, 81 Ronalds Road, Highbury, owner) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02757*)

No ? (Clevedon). 11 Jun 1930. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? (Henley House). 23 Oct 1930. Application approved for conversion into flats (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?? (Henley House). 25 Jul 1935. Application approved for block of flats on site of Henley House (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? (Lawn Cottage). 22 Feb 1932. Application approved for new house and addition to Lawn Cottage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. 10 Oct 1929. Application approved for house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ??. 12 Sep 1933. Application approved for pair of houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. Apr - Nov 1934. Planning application for house (W Francis, 24 Severingham Road, Hendon, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03101*)

Nos ??. Nov 1935. Planning application for flats (C R Osborn, The Torrington Trust Ltd, Okehampton Close, owner & builder, J B F Cooper, 53 Gower Street) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03263*)

No ?. Jul 1934 - May 1936. Planning application for flats (Davies & Lloyd, 46 Chase Side, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03179*)

Nos ??. Mar - Nov 1935. Planning application for flats (Davies & Lloyd, 46 Chase Side, owner & builder, P H Edwards, 237 Golders Green Road, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03192*)

No ? (Fern Hall). Nov 1938. Planning application for flats and garages (W A Black, 14 Halliwick Court, submitted by A E Moffatt, 44 Birley Road, N20) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03560*)

No ? Jan 1939. Planning application for flats (Edward H Edwards, 124 Friern Park, owner) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03579*)

No ?. Feb - May 1939. Planning application for maisonettes and garages (H S Davies, 124 Friern Park, N12) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03586*)

Nos 1- 62 (The Lindens). Arrangement of apartment blocks of two and three storeys of regular and symmetrical design, cream render, brick plinths and hung tile aproned bays. Crittal style windows. Cast iron rainwater goods remain. Central section brick to eaves (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 1. Three-storey brown brick building with red dressings. Built in 1863 and designed by Gilbert Blount, in 1927 its orientation was reversed and a new chancel and transepts built to designs by T.H.B. Scott. Ragstone, quatrefoils and trefoil arched windows. Stone quoins (*Barnet Council Local List*)

Nos 1 - 24 Park Court. Mar 1957 - Apr 1958. Planning application for maisonettes and garages (E H Jackson Ltd, 62a High Street, Hornsey, owners) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/04851*)

No 1. 28 Apr 1976. Planning application for single storey office accommodation (*Barnet Council*)

No 1. 12 Oct 2011. Planning application for change of use from B1 (Offices) to B1 (Offices) and/or D1 (special Educational Needs (SEN) School) on the ground floor and D1 (SEN) school on the 1st and 2nd floors (*Barnet Council F/04182/11*)

No 5. 18 Aug 1989. Planning application for dormer window at rear (*Barnet Council C/03205/A*)

No 11. 27 Jan 2003 & 31 Jul 2003 & 14 Jan 2004. Planning application for single storey rear extension and disabled access ramp to front (*Barnet Council C/15225/03*)

No 12 (The Lindens). 24 Sep 1942. Licence granted to complete 6 flats in the course of erection (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 12 (The Lindens). 10 Aug 2005. Planning application for retention of replacement windows at front and (*Barnet Council C/12791/A/05*)

No 14. 1916. Thomas W Farrow, Private, Royal Fusiliers (London Regiment), died 10 October 1916 age 25. Son of William Thomas and Ada Farrow of 14 Friern Park (*All Over by Christmas. Page 260*)

No 14 (The Lindens). 3 Jan 2007. Planning application for retention of replacement windows at front and (*Barnet Council C/12791/B/05*)

No 33 (The Lindens). 23 Jan 2008. Planning application for replacement windows to front (*Barnet Council C/12791/C/07*)

Nos 8 - 55 (The Lindens). 13 Mar 2009. Planning application for replacement of existing windows to common staircase on rear elevation (*Barnet Council F/00562/09*)

No 17. 4 Aug 1994. Planning application for formation of front and rear dormer windows, 2 parking spaces to front and rear and conversion of first floor maisonette into 2 self-contained flats (*Barnet Council C/11841*)

No 17. 24 May 2002. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council C11841C/02*)

No 17. 8 Jul 2005. Skip outside (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 17. 2 Aug 2005. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council C/11841/D/05*)

No 18. 1947. There is an advertisement in Friern Barnet Official Guide for 1947 for "The Cabin" Café & Restaurant at 18 Friern Park

No 18. 22 Dec 1988. Planning application for first floor side rear extension and formation of 3rd floor in mansard roof (*Barnet Council C/07725/B*)

No 18. 10 Sep 1990 & 27 Feb 1991. Planning application for ground floor rear extension to existing offices (*Barnet Council C/07725/C*)

No 18. 29 Mar 2000. Planning application for use of partly constructed office extension at second floor level as residential unit and alteration to elevation including dormer windows (*Barnet Council C/07725/F/00*)

Nos 20 - 22. 9 Feb 1977. Planning application for 3- storey block of 8 1 bed flats with 9 parking spaces (*Barnet Council C5693A*)

Nos 20 - 22. 23 Oct 2003. A small square garage with a tiled pitched roof is being built (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

Nos 23 - 25. 15 Dec 1987 & 28 Nov 1998. Planning application for part 4-storey (inc basement), part 2-storey block of 8 flats, vehicle access, service road & parking spaces at rear (*Barnet Council C/09795*)

Nos 23 - 25 (Waterville Lodge). 15 Jan 2002. Planning application for conversion of basement sports facility to 1 self-contained flat involving window provision to front and rear at basement level and an additional parking space (*Barnet Council C09795B/02*)

No 24 (Glendale). House called "Glendale". Freehold. Possession. Highest Bid £1,000. (*The Estate Exchange Year Book 1931. Page 78*)

Nos 24 - 26. 4 Jul 1995 & 12 Feb 1997 & 30 Sep 1997 & 17 Oct 1997. Planning application for demolition of office building and erection of 4 storey block of 17 flats and parking spaces for 23 cars (*Barnet Council C/02707/J*)

Nos 26 - 28. 9 Jun 1987. Planning application for rebuilding of front extension (*Barnet Council C/02707/E*)

No 28. 9 Mar 1988. Planning application for single storey front extension (*Barnet Council C/02707/F*)

Nos 30 - 32. 5 Feb 2007 & 25 Feb 2008. Planning application for alterations and extension to create new first and second floor accommodation with mansard roof to provide 6 B1 units (*Barnet Council C/00522/F/07*)

No 30. 18 Jan 2010. Planning permission for Change of Use from B1 (Office) to A2 (Accountancy & Financial Services) (*Barnet Council F/00202/10*)

No 34 (3 Bank Parade). 3 Jul 1914. Application approved for dry goods store (N Holmes) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 35. Freehold Possession. Highest Bid £970. (*The Estate Exchange Year Book 1931. Page 78*)

No 35. 13 Sep 2001 & 27 Mar 2002. Planning application for loft conversion involving dormer windows to side and rear extensions. (*Barnet Council C/14612/01*)

No 35. 27 Mar 2002. Planning application for ground floor side and rear extensions. Renewal of existing rear chimney breast (*Barnet Council C14612A02*)

No 36. 12 Jan 1987 & 1 Oct 1987. Planning application for residential block of 45 elderly person flats and wardens flat and construction of 21 parking spaces (*Barnet Council C00522/G*)

No 37. Freehold. Yearly Rent £97. 10s. Highest Bid £995 (*The Estate Exchange Year Book 1931. Page 78*)

No 37. 18 Jun 1990. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council C/10649/A*)

Nos 38-55 (The Lindens). 13 Mar 2009. Planning application for replacement of existing windows to the common staircase on the rear elevation (*Barnet Council F/00562/09*)

No 44. Unexpired Term 69 years. Ground Rent £10. Highest Bid £400 (*The Estate Exchange Year Book 1936. Page 82*)

No 46. 6 Jan 2010. Planning application for part single, part 2 storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council F/00098/10 & F04040/09*)

No 46. 4 May 2010. Planning application for internal alterations to form 4 self-contained flats (*Barnet Council F/00098/10 & F/01354/10*)

No 48. 4 Aug 2004. Planning application for single storey garage in rear garden (*Barnet Council C/15943/04*)

No 48. 5 Oct 2004. Planning application for erection of single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council C15943A/04*)

No 49. 20 Aug 1986. Planning application for single storey rear, single storey side and first floor side extension (*Barnet Council C09214*)

No 54. I went to Friern Park today and confirmed that the boundary marker has gone. It was actually outside No 54 – No 56 is the maisonette upstairs. I spoke to the couple at No 54 and they told me that the lady from No 56 had damaged the wall with her car (the wall is now repaired), and the boundary marker had fallen onto the pavement. I asked the couple if they had rescued it, but sadly, they just went out shopping; when they returned the market had gone (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*) 21 Apr 2006)

No 56. 23 Mar 2004. Planning application for vehicular access and hardstanding (*Barnet Council C15745/04*)

Nos 60 - 62. Aug-Sep 1926. Planning application for houses (A Dowdall, Clevedon, Friern Park, owner) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02454*) & No ?? 17 Sep 1926. Application approved for 2 houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 60 - 62. 25 Sep 2012. This pair of semis to the west of no 64 i.e. Clarence Court was built on land belonging to Clarence Court. I was told several years ago by two elderly ladies who lived there. The land had previously been Clarence Court tennis courts, they said (*Pauline Ashbridge FB&DLHS member*)

No 60. 25 May 1992. Planning application for front extension to garage and rebuilding single storey extension (*Barnet Council C/07624/A*)

No 60. 16 Feb 2001. Planning application for ground floor front extension (*Barnet Council C07624B/01*)

No 61 (Okehampton). 12 Nov 1935. Application approved for 48 2-storey flats in 2 blocks (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 62 - 64. 4 Mar 2010. Planning application for erection of 4 2 storey detached dwellings to rear with associated carports. New access road from Friern Park (*Barnet Council F/00800/10*)

No 64. Four-storey Victorian house in yellow brick with stone dressings. Mansard roof clad in slate with dormer windows. 64 Friern Park is one of the 32 surviving houses built on the 256 long, narrow plots of the 1851 Middlesex Freehold Land Association's plots in Friern Park, N12 and side-roads. The common history of these 32 survivors derives from a significant mid-Victorian venture to enable more people, and particularly "the working man", to buy land cheaply and, through their ownership of land, to have the right to vote in Parliamentary elections. Established in 1851 to pursue these "political" and "commercial" aims, the Association was one of the very earliest freehold land societies to be set up in the south after the virtual collapse in 1848 of the national Chartist movement. By 1852 the Association had bought farming fields in present-day North Finchley and divided them into the plots that became Friern Park and its side-roads (including Torrington Grove and Grove Road) (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 64. 29 Oct 1996 & 31 Mar 1998. Planning application for extension to sides and rear at lower ground, upper ground and first floor levels with roof terrace and balconies included within rear extension. Conversion of building into 7 self-contained flats (*Barnet Council C/12377A*)

No 64. 26 Jul 1997 & 11 Jun 1998. Planning application for conversion to 7 flats (*Barnet Council C/12377C*)

No 66 (Hjortland). In 1911 this house was named "Hjortland" (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

No 66 11 Jun 1990. Planning application for conversion of house into 3 self-contained flats, single storey rear extension. New windows at ground, first and second floor levels in side elevation. Car park spaces at front and rear (*Barnet Council C/05969/D*)

No 66. 25 Sep 2012. The reference in planning application C/05969/D is inaccurate. The two semis (nos 66 and 68) were built with single storey rear extension in 1860. In 1990 single storey rear extension of no 66 was simply further extended i.e. lengthened (*Pauline Ashbridge FB&DLHS member and resident at no 66*)

Nos 66 – 68. Built 1860, nos. 66 & 68 Friern Park are Late Georgian-style plain, tall and thin three-storey houses that conform closely to the principles of the style. Their plain flat brick facades have a hierarchy of symmetrically arranged sash windows, and semicircular arched entrances in recessed porches have semi-circle fanlights above the front doors. Windows at the front have straight heads in contrasting brick, and at the rear are set into cambered arches. A string course in contrasting brick runs across the facades of both houses, with the porch arches resting visually on it. The high walls terminate on all sides in a simple projecting three-course brick cornice in contrasting brick - an economical but also classical-style approach to the roofline in place of a parapet. Most original sash windows remain in 66, together with some original internal cornicing and internal shutters with their surrounding panelling. All information on this house and its history has been taken from "The Old Freehold Houses of Friern" by Pauline Ashbridge. (88 pages, 2014, with footnotes on all sources) (*Barnet Council Local List*)

Nos 66 & 68. 8 Nov 1960. Application approved for demolition of existing house and erection of 1 2-storey block of 4 3-room flats and 4 garages at rear of nos 66 & 68. Application refused (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 68. 6 Jun 1961. Application approved for conversion from 2 flats to 3 flats (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 68. 25 Sep 2012. This was converted back into a single house in the 1990s (*Pauline Ashbridge FB&DLHS member*) reference to erecting

Nos 72, 74 & 80. 12 Jul 1938 & 13 Sep 1938. Application approved for 62 flats, office and stores, 4 garages and refuse store (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & Nos 72-80. Mar 1938 - Oct 1974. Planning application for flats (Lovesay & Son Ltd, The Cottage, Torrington Avenue, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03532*)

No 73 (Field House). 19 Feb 1926. Application approved for studio (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 73 (Field House). 8 Dec 1936. Application approved for 12 flats and 11 garages on part of site of 'Field House' (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 80 (The Lindens). 9 May 1946. Flats are being erected (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 81. Oct-Dec 1928. Planning application for house (A H Hunt, Beech Lawn, Torrington Park, owner) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02679*)

No 81. 9 Mar 2002. Planning application for single storey side/rear extension (*Barnet Council C15007/02*)

Nos 82 & 94 (Cardrew Court). 13 Dec 1956. Application approved for demolition of two properties and erection of 24 2-bed flats and 20 lock-up garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 83 (Glenhurst). 27 Oct 1885. Application approved for greenhouse (*Friern Barnet Local Board Minutes*)

Nos 83 - 89. Sep 1959 - Nov 1960. Planning application for flats and garages (W Reed & Co Ltd, submitted by Anderson, Forster & Wilcox, 9 Stone Buildings, Lincoln's Inn, architects) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/05194*)

No 88 (Cardrew). 3 Jul 1908. Application approved for additions (Mr Ames) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 88 (Cardrew). 18 Apr 1910. Application approved for additions (Mr C Ames) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 88 (Cardrew House). 1926. House called "Cardrew". Freehold. Possession. £3,800. (*The Estate Exchange Year Book 1926. Page 85*)

No 88 (Cardrew). 22 Feb 1927. Application approved for conversion into flats (Fleetwood, Evesden & King) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 88 (Cardrew House). 22 Apr 1927. Application approved for conversion into flats (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 88 (Cardrew House). Nov 1940. House requisitioned to house bombed out families (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 88 (Cardrew House). 7 Dec 1950. Application approved for use as warehouse and buying office (Jacques Purkis & Colman Ltd) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 88 (Cardrew House). 8 Nov 1955 & 10 Apr 1956. Application approved for demolition of existing house and erect 3 storey block of 18 2-bed flats and 12 garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 89 - 91. Feb 1904. Planning application for houses (W A Marriott, Glencoe, Lambert Road, North Finchley, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00969*)

No 89. 14 Jul 1959 and 13 Oct 1959. Application approved for demolition of existing house and erection of 8 2-bed flats on 2 floors and 8 garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 91. Built 1904, no.91 Friern Park is the surviving half of a two-storey semi-detached pair in Late-Victorian style. The original pair of houses each had two prominent full-height bays and 16 sash windows at the front, four of which, in a central position between the two houses, took the place of central entrance doors - a fairly common architectural response to the freehold land society's narrow plots. The windows on both floors are separated by red brick piers and classical capitals, with contrasting vernacular gables and carved white bargeboards above. The 1904 solution to lack of door-space at the front - an entrance and porch at the side for each house - remains here. Having retained its original state and variety of decorative detail, 91 provides evidence also of the lost house. All information on this house and its history has been taken from "The Old Freehold Houses of Friern" by Pauline Ashbridge (88 pages, 2014) (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 95. Apr - May 1898. Planning application for house and bicycle shed (J Newman, The Limes, Macdonald Road) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00474*)

No 99. 19 Aug 1997. Planning application for use as 4 flats (*Barnet Council C/12893*)

No 101. 7 Mar 1997. Planning application for four rooflights in front slope (*Barnet Council C/12654*)

No 101. 13 Aug 1998. Planning application for four replacement of kitchen window with French doors and erection of balcony and steps into garden (*Barnet Council C/12654A*)

No 103 (Carley Court). 7 Mar 1997. This is Carley Court (*Barnet Council*)

No 103. (5 Carley Court). 17 Jan 2007. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory extension (*Barnet Council C/13268/C/07*)

No 103 (6 Carley Court). 15 Oct 2009. Planning application for new vehicular crossing and hardstanding to front (Ms A Rasu, Keston Cottage, Church Way, EN4 9JH) (*Barnet Council F/03572/09*)

No 107. Built 1877-80, 107 Friern Park was designed as a classically-styled two-storey detached villa on five of the freehold land society's plots. Harmonious proportions include the symmetrical alignment of ground and first-floor windows and central portico, but with emphasis on the ground floor's large sash windows surmounted by very large semi-circular Italianate arches in contrasting brick. The facade's centrepiece is its projecting stone portico with inset delicate stone tracery. Supporting the portico are slender classical columns with capitals and carved into the stone portico above the columns are roundels - an archetypal Italian Renaissance feature. The overhanging low-pitched roof, with carved brackets under the eaves, is also Italianate. The only non-classical elements in this masterly facade are the three skyward-pointing Gothic-type details of the portico - a reminder, perhaps, from the villa's first owner that he was for many years the organist at nearby Christ Church, North Finchley. Despite conversion to flats, this impressive exterior remains intact. All information on this house and its history has been taken from "The Old Freehold Houses of Friern" by Pauline Ashbridge (88 pages, 2014, with footnotes on all sources) (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 107. 9 Jun 1953. Application approved to convert house into 3 self-contained flats (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 107. 9 Feb 1954. Application approved for 4 maisonettes and 6 garages at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 107. 8 Mar 1955. Application approved for 4 self-contained flats on land adjoining (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 107. 13 Dec 1955. Application approved to convert ground floor into 2 1-bed flats and erect 9 flats and 6 garages on land adjoining (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 107. 13 Sep 1955. Application approved to erect 15 lock-up garages at rear of no 107 flats (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 107. Jan - Feb 1956. Planning application for flats and garages (Andrews & Winton-Lewis, 29 Manchester Street, architects) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMAS/4070/02/04717*)

No 107. 10 Apr 1956. Application approved to erect 6 maisonettes (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 107. 10 Apr 1956. Application approved to erect 9 flats and 13 garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 107. 12 Jul 1956. Application approved to erect 14 lock-up garages at rear of no 107 flats (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 107. 14 Feb 1957. Application approved for pair of semi-detached houses on land adjoining (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 107. 7 Feb 2007. Single storey side extension to garden flat (no 4) (*Barnet Council C/16975/07*)

No 108. Jul 1903. Planning application for house (R Andrews, agent W A Marriott, Glencoe, Lambert Road, North Finchley, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00845*)

No 108. (Comrie House). 23 Apr 1926. Application approved for 3 wcs and washbasins (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 108. (Comrie House). 18 Mar 1927. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 108. (Comrie House School). 14 Sep 1954. Application approved for erection of garage and alteration to school buildings with provision of additional toilets (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 108 (Whitefriars Court). 2 Dec 1988. Planning application for addition of pitched roof and alteration to windows (*Barnet Council C/03642/M*)

No 110. Apr - May 1901. Application for house (C Wadmore) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00694*) & No ? 14 May 1901. Application approved for house (G Wadmore) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)



No 110 - 112. 26 Feb 1992 & 16 Nov 1993. Planning application for 3 storey block of 12 flats with 18 parking spaces (*Barnet Council C/11120*)

No 111. 10 Apr 1956. Application approved for demolition of existing house and erection of 9 flats and 6 garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 111. 13 Sep 1956 & 4 Jun 1957. Application approved for demolition of existing house and erection of 2 storey block of 9 flats and 9 garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 112. Oct 1901. Planning application for house (F Dowdall, High Street, North Finchley) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00730*) & No ? 15 Oct 1901. Application approved for house (F Dowdall) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 112 (Bonvenuto). 16 Mar 1943. Application approved for structural repairs (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 112 (Bonvenuto). 16 Oct 1952. Application approved for conversion of house into two self-contained flats (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 112 (Bonvenuto). 13 Dec 1955. Application approved for double garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 115 - 121. May 1902. Planning application for houses (Wm A Marriott, Lambert Road, North Finchley) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00769*) & Nos ?? 26 May 1902. Application approved for 4 houses (W A Marriott) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 115, 117, 119, 121. Built 1903, the two pairs of prominent semi-detached houses at 115, 117, 119 & 121 Friern Park have unifying features that include their Queen Anne Revival-style red and white facades, their four large two-storey bays, and their vernacular vs. classical variations at roof level. 115, 117, 119 & 121 Friern Park are four of the 32 surviving houses built on the 256 long, narrow plots of the 1851 Middlesex Freehold Land Association's plots in Friern Park, N12 and side-roads. The common history of these 32 survivors derives from a significant mid-Victorian venture: to enable more people, and particularly "the working man", to buy land cheaply and, through their ownership of land, to have the right to vote in Parliamentary elections. Established in 1851 to pursue these "political" and "commercial" aims, the Association was one of the very earliest freehold land societies to be set up in the south after the virtual collapse in 1848 of the national Chartist movement (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 115. 11 Sept 2003. The house is being gutted and a new roof put on (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 116 (Boscobel). 5 Jun 1914. Application approved for shed at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 116 (Boscobel). 11 Apr 1957. Application approved for double garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 116. 12 Jan 1960. Application approved for 2 maisonettes and 5 garages at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 118 (Mansfield. 12 Mar 1926. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

- No 118. 21 May 1987. Planning application for first floor side extension (*Barnet Council C07986/A*)
- No 118. 8 Mar 1988. Planning application for 2 storey rear extension (*Barnet Council C/07986/B*)
- Nos 118 - 120. 31 Mar 2005. Planning application for demolition of existing house and erection of 2 storey building with rooms in roof space to, provide 14 self-contained flats (*Barnet Council C/07986/05*)
- No 118. 15 Jul 2008. Planning application for single storey rear extension at ground floor level. Excavate basement to enlarge existing basement (*Barnet Council F/02319/08*)
- No 118. 9 Mar 2009. Planning application for terrace at ground floor level, change in design of stairs, enlargement of existing basement, associated external alterations, rear extension at lower ground floor level, insertion of rear dormer window, addition of retractable cover to existing pool building on top of existing fish pond (*Barnet Council F/00763/09*)
- No 118. 18 Oct 2010. Planning application for retention of alterations to landscape, alterations to fenestration to rear elevation and rear external staircase (amendment to planning application F/02319/08 dated 03/09/08) (*Barnet Council F/04068/10*)
- No 119. 10 Jul 2003. Planning application for alterations to roof including addition of side dormer window to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council C15479/03*)
- No 120. Dec 1909 - Jan 1910. Planning application for house (A Marriott, Markwell, Friern Park, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01269*)
- No 120 (Kingston). 12 Mar 1926. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 121 (Parkholme). 5 Jun 1914. Application approved for motor shed at side (Mr Nikiline) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 121. 25 Aug 2022. Planning application for conversion of the existing dwelling into 3 self-contained flats including single storey side extension. Associated parking, recycling and refuse/recycling storage, bicycle storage and amenity space (*Barnet Council 22/4184/FUL*)
- No 121. 25 Aug 2022. Planning application for conversion of the existing dwelling into 5 self-contained flats including part single, part two storey side extension. Associated parking, refuse/recycling storage, bicycle storage and amenity space (*Barnet Council 22/4185/FUL*)
- No 121. 31 Oct 2023. Planning application for erection of a rear outbuilding (*Barnet Council 22/5310/192*)
- No 122 (The Rest). 8 Jun 1954. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 122 (The Rest). 9 Jan 1962 & 8 Mar 1962. Application approved for single storey extension at side (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 124. Jan - Feb 1910. Planning application for house (W A Marriott, Maxwell Friern Park, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01278*) & No ? 11 Feb

1910. Application approved for detached house (W A Marriott) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 124 (Kynace). 18 Mar 1927. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 124. 7 Jul 1936. Application approved for extension to garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 124 - 126. 9 May 1939. Application approved for erection of 8 maisonettes in 2 blocks with 4 garages and conversion of house into 2 maisonettes (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & No ? Feb - May 1939. Planning application for maisonettes and garages (H S Davies, 124 Friern Park, owner) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03586*)

No 124. Jun 1942, Fire reported due to enemy action (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 124. 17 Jul 1951. Application approved for extension to garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 125. 8 Aug 1995. Planning application for first floor rear extension (*Barnet Council C/07130/B*)

No 125. 7 Jun 1996. Planning application for ground floor extension to form conservatory (*Barnet Council C/07130C*)

No 126. Aug-Sep 1901. Planning application for houses (Mr Marriott, Finchley) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/00723*)

No 126. 9 Aug 1988. Planning application for conversion to 2 self-contained flats, vehicle access and parking space (*Barnet Council C08323/B*)

No 127. Mid-Victorian, two storey surviving western half of a pair now rendered. Timber sliding sash windows with tall chimney stack with brick chimney and pot and flat topped pediment to front door. The front door is recessed and includes a solid wood door with two vertical windows and a fan light. They are, by definition, rare: the products of the arrival in this part of outer Middlesex of a very early post-Chartist freehold land association (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 127. 12 Sep 1961. Application approved for 25 lock-up garages at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 128. Built 1863, 128 Friern Park was designed as a detached rural villa in large grounds, retains its original classical features. It has a harmonious and symmetrical flat façade with horizontal emphasis. The large wide ground and first floor windows align with each other, with the ground floor pair appropriately larger. The central porch aligns with the central first-floor window and with prominent brackets under the eaves. The visually dominant front windows have striking, shallow cambered arches, further emphasised by wide projecting surrounds in white stucco with central keystones. The prominent central porch is framed by a pair of pilasters on which rests the flat, weighty, rectangular entablature. This 1860s white-stuccoed house with its intact original classical design remains a noticeable feature in the road (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 128 (Seaforth House). 27 Jul 1898. Application approved for stables (M Pugh) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 128 - 130. 10 Jul 1947. Application approved for 2 self-contained flats at rear, in Torrington Grove (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 128 - 130. 10 Jul 1952. Application approved for 2 self-contained flats at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 128. 13 Jul 2022. Planning application for proposed rear extension by 4.3m in depth, eaves height of 2.95 metres and maximum height of 4 metres (*Barnet Council 22/3679/PNH*)

Nos 129, 133, 135. 9 May 1939. Application approved for block of 12 flats, 3 storeys in height and conversion of 2 houses into 4 flats (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 130. 13 Mar 1947. Application approved for use of Anderson shelter as a shed (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 132. 17 Jul 1951. Application approved for extension to bungalow (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 132 (The Bungalow). 13 Jul 1954 & 14 Sep 1954. Application approved for detached bungalow at rear of 132, in Torrington Grove (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 132. 8 Nov 1960 & 6 Dec 1960. Application approved to demolish existing house and erect 6 1-bed flats on 3 floors and 6 garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 132. 7 Nov 1961. Application approved for ground floor rear extension to ground floor flat (*Barnet Council C/12527*)

No 132 (Sherwood Court). 9 Jan 2007. Planning application for installing French doors in place of window in flat 1 (*Barnet Council C/17388/07*)

Nos 133 - 135. Mar - May 1939. Planning application for flats (G M McAdam, 6 The Orchard, owner, submitted by B Ewart Dixon, 841 High Road, Finchley, chartered architect, G A Aston, 1 Pembury Mansions, Westcliffe on Sea, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03595*)

No 133. 8 Oct 1996. Planning application for ground floor extension to form conservatory (*Barnet Council C/07130C*)

No 133a. 2 Jul 1998. Planning application for self-contained flat on first and second floors (*Barnet Council C/12527/A*)

No 134 (The Cottage). 8 Sep 1959. Application approved for demolition of existing house and erection of 4 2-bed maisonettes on 2 floors and 4 garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 134. Mar 1960 - Oct 1969. Planning application for houses (J C Taylor & Son, 4 Woodberry Grove, submitted by Beaumont & Beaumont, 232 Woodhouse Road, architects) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/05265*)

No 137 (The Homestead). 12 Jan 1933. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 137 (Homestead) 6 Apr 1923. Application approved for store (Miss Perry Brown) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 137 - 145. 11 Sep 1952. Application approved for flats between 137-145 and on land at rear of 139-139a (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 137. 7 Jun 1960. Application approved to demolish existing house and erect 6 flats and 6 garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 139. 6 Jun 1961. Application approved for garage at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 139a. 9 Jun 1959. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 141. 13 Sep 1956. Application approved for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council C09845*)

No 141. 24 Apr 1987. Planning application for residential block of 45 elderly person flats and wardens flat and construction of 21 parking spaces (*Barnet Council C00522/G*)

No 141. 10 Oct 2006. Planning application for converting property into 2 self-contained flats (*Barnet Council C/09485/A/06*)

No 142. May - Jun 1911. Planning application for houses (A Marriott, Marwell, Friern Park) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01408*) & No ? 2 Jun 1911. Application approved for detached house (W A Marriott) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 142. 6 Dec 1938 & 10 Jul 1941. Application for erection of brick-built garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 142. 7 Jun 1955. Application approved for double garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 142. 8 Sep 1959 & 6 Dec 1960. Application approved for demolition of existing house and erection of 1 3-storey block of 6 2-room flats and 6 garages at rear of no 142 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 142. 6 Jun 1961 & 12 Sep 1961. Application approved for demolition of existing house and erection of 8 3-bedroom flats in one 3-storey block and 8 garages at rear (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 14 - 150. Jan 1933 - Feb 1934. Planning application for houses (A J Hooper, High Road, East Finchley, owner & builder, submitted by C W Boswell, Barrington Road, Crouch End, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/03014*) & Nos ?? 9 Mar 1933. Application approved for 4 semi-detached houses on south side (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 144. 11 Mar 1948. Application approved for garden tool & cycle shed (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 145a. 8 Oct 1986. Planning application for single storey building to form swimming pool enclosure and link in rear garden (*Barnet Council C041448/G*)

No 145a. 9 Dec 1986. Planning application for single storey side extension (*Barnet Council C041448/G*)

No 145a. 22 Feb 1994. Planning application for single storey extension to rear with addition of pitched roof to existing building to form granny annex (*Barnet Council C/04148/J*)

No 145a. 8 Aug 2002. Planning application for use of dwelling house and annex as a care home class C2 and two assisted living units for people with physical and learning disabilities (*Barnet Council C04148/L/02*)

No 146. 12 Feb 1948. Planning application for garden & cycle shed (*Barnet Council C15532/03*)

No 146a 17 Jul 1941. Weekly rent was recorded as 17s 6d (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 146a. 27 Aug 2003. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council C15532/03*)

No 146a. 5 Nov 2003. Planning application for single storey rear extension/new front porch (*Barnet Council C15532A/03*)

No 148. The first owner of this property was Bertie May Tyzack of Colyton, Oakleigh Park North. It was first registered on 30 November 1938 and the price paid was £975. It was then purchased by Reginald Webb on 14 December 1959 for £1806. 5s. 0d and then by Keith Andrew Grierson Martin on 18 Nov 1965 for £5750. There is a note on the deeds that the passageway between nos 146 and 148 belongs to neither property (*HM Land Registry title number MX104329*)

Nos 147, 149, 151, 153. Built 1865-70, Nos. 147, 149, 151 & 153 Friern Park is a striking group of four tall (three-storey) terraced houses in a prominent position at the junction of Friern Park and Torrington Grove. These houses have retained all of their extensive brick facade and also the brick of the two-storey Victorian rear extensions. The facade has four two-storey bays, capped with shallow roofs and with brick piers separating each bay window. The group conforms carefully with styles of its period. Georgian-style features include semi-circular arches in contrasting brick above the four porch entrances, semi-circular fanlights above the recessed front doors, and straight window-heads in contrasting brick above the ground and first floor windows. Window hierarchy is observed on the top floor, where they are smaller. Externally this group retains almost entirely its original state. All information on this house and its history has been taken from "The Old Freehold Houses of Friern" by Pauline Ashbridge (88 pages, 2014, with footnotes on all sources) (*Barnet Council Local List*)

No 148. 1 Jun 1999. Planning application for conservatory extension at rear (*Barnet Council C/05852/A*)

No 149. 26 Jan 1966. Planning application for 3 existing flats to be self-contained (*Barnet Council Minutes 26 Jan 1966 BN 352 & 555*)

No 150. 15 Oct 1935. Application approved for conversion into 2 flats (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 150. 22 Oct 1999. Planning application for first floor rear extension (*Barnet Council C/02635/B/99*)

No 151. We lived in a three- storey terraced house, 151 Friern Park, opposite the end of Torrington Park. Father's parents already lived in the top floor flat and my father bought the house from a Mrs Maud Angell, a professional watercolour artist who subsequently went to live in a home at the North Finchley end of the road (*A E Mould, Friern Barnet Newsletter No 35*)

No 153. 14 Oct 2022. Planning application for new windows and balcony with balustrade to first floor rear with privacy screening (*Barnet Council 22/5072/HSE*)

No 157. 4 May 1966. Planning application for change of use to 3 self-contained flats (A J Willson (Properties) Ltd) (*Barnet Council Minutes 4 May 1966 N492 & BN667*)

No 161. 8 Nov 1938. Application approved for 9 1-bed flats and 2 garages adjoining no 161 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 155 - 161 19 Mar 1990. Planning application for 3 storey building comprising 23 flats, vehicle access and parking at rear for 27 cars (*Barnet Council C10647*)

No ? 19 May 2011. Planning application for demolition of existing derelict garages to the rear of Fernhall and construction of a two- storey detached dwelling house including amenity space to rear and car parking to front (amended description) (Greaterhaven Ltd, 72 Willoughby Lane, N17 0SP) (*Barnet Council F/02106/11*)

**FRIERN PARK ROAD NORTH, N12**

(see FRIARY ROAD)

**FRIERN PARK ROAD SOUTH, N12**

(see TORRINGTON PARK)

Eastern end of Torrington Park, as per Sale by Auction catalogue 1866 (*Barnet Archives. Sales Brochures*)

**FRIERN PLACE, N11**

**FRIERN BARNET LANE**, west side (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1932*)

**FRIERN PLACE, N20**

**OAKLEIGH ROAD NORTH**, south side (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern Barnet 1932*)



### **FRIERN WATCH ESTATE, N12**

There were a few houses between the roads by 1897 but the whole area was built over between the World wars. It contained the Friern Watch estate of Newcome Estates, which consisted of the avenues between High Road, Finchley Park, and Friary and Torrington roads. (*Victoria County History page 11*)

4 Oct 1912. Application approved for roads and sewers (W Hollis) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & Sep - Oct 1912. Planning application for roads & sewers (Newcombe Estates, agent Wm Hollis, Church End, Finchley) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01516*)

2 May 1913. Application approved for roads and sewers (Newcomes Estate Co) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

## **FRIERN WATCH AVENUE, N12** Planning applications up to Feb 2015

### **History**

You all know Friern Watch Avenue and some of you may know that it was built on the estate of the former Friern Watch House, as were **Mayfield Avenue** and **Ravensdale Avenue**. A year or two ago, Janet and Colin were looking out for Friern Barnet western boundary markers when they came across an enigmatic marker in a side alley off Lynton Avenue (parallel to Mayfield Avenue). I went back there last week to take a photo myself. The marker is a rectangle, rust-red coloured but in perfect condition, and bearing the legend, "Friern Watch Boundary. As agreed Nov 18 1906" John Heathfield pointed out that the boundary on the 1896 map is marked *und* (undefined), which might explain why the boundary had to be "as agreed" at that point, when the houses came to be built (*John Donovan 20 Mar 2003*)

### **Infrastructure**

Jan 1912 - Dec 1915. Planning application for roads & sewers (Newcombe Estates Co, Market Harborough, owners, submitted by William Holliis, Auction and Estate Agency Office, Church End, Finchley) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/0103504 & 01504*)

5 Oct 1923. Application approved underground mains (Northmet) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

22 Jan 1926. Northmet granted permission for an electric light cable (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

20 Oct 1933. This is a private street (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

9 Feb 1934. This private street is being made up at a cost of £1873.18.7 (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

8 February 2005. The road is being resurfaced (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)

### **Individual properties**

Nos ???. 3 Apr 1914. Application approved for semi-detached house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ?. Jan - Dec 1915. Planning application for house (Newcombe Estates Co, owners, agent Harold Baily, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/01/04099*)

No ?. 26 Mar 1920. Application approved for detached house (Mr S Mays) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No ? (Gosfield). 7 Jul 1921. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ???. 1 Dec 1922. Application approved for 12 houses (Mr Wade) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & No ? Nov - Dec 1922. Planning application for house (N C Wade, High Street, Whetstone, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/ 01876*)

No ?. Feb 1924 - Jul 1979. Planning application for house (F W Walker, The Broadway, Church End, Finchley, architect and surveyor) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02039*)

No ?. Feb 1924 - Jul 1979. Planning application for house (F W Walker, The Broadway, Church End, architect & surveyor) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02039*)

Nos ??.. 18 Sep 1925. Application approved for 25 semi-detached houses (F W Walker) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & Nos ?? Aug 1925. Planning application for houses (Francis W Walker, The Broadway, Church End, Owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02276*)

Nos ??.. 19 Feb 1926. Application approved for 19 houses (J Hutchinson) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*) & Nos ?? Feb-Oct 1926. Planning application for houses (John Hutchinson, 1 Fredericks Road, Finchley, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/02352*)

Nos ??.. 16 Jul 1926. Application approved for a pair of houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos ??.. 16 Dec 1927. Application approved for 6 houses (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 1 - 16. Jan 1913 - Dec 1968. Planning application for houses (Robert Martin Denman, architect and builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA 4070/01/03631*)

No 1. 2 Jan 1997. Planning application for change of use from doctor's surgery to dwelling house (*Barnet Council N/07219/A*)

No 1. 18 July 2002. A loft conversion in progress; two windows in the roof at the front, one in the roof to the west (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)

No 2. 11 Aug 2005. Planning application for conversion into 2 self-contained flats with associated first floor side extension and minor alterations to front fenestration (*Barnet Council C/16357/05*)

No 2. 11 Jan 2010. Planning application for single storey side extension following demolition of the existing (*Barnet Council F/00098/10 & F04040/09*)

No 2. 29 Apr 2010. Planning application for two storey side extension (*Barnet Council F/01684/10*)

No 3. 21 Feb 2011. Planning application for formation of new garage in rear garden, following demolition of existing garden shed (*Barnet Council F/0053211*)

No 9. 23 May 1989. Planning application for use as 2 flats (*Barnet Council N/09043/A*)

No 9a. 10 Apr 2000. Planning application for conversion of loft space to provide additional accommodation for upper flat (*Barnet Council N/09043/B/00*)

No 10. 16 May 1989. Planning application for single conversion into 2 self-contained flats and provision of one car parking space (*Barnet Council N/07762/B*)

No 10. 3 Jul 1998. Planning application for alteration to convert property into single family dwelling house (*Barnet Council N/07762/C*)

No 11. Oct 1964 - Oct 1965. Planning application for flats and garages (G & R Homestead Ltd, 113 Bennett Chambers, Hoe Street, E17, owners, submitted by F J Mortimer & Sons, 12 Palmerston Road, E17) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/01/17091*)

No 11a. 20 Oct 1993. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/10507*)

- No 12. 25 Sep 1996. Planning application for change of use from elderly persons' home (C2) to dwelling house (C2) (*Barnet Council N/03273/F*)
- Nos 13 - 15. May - Jun 1928. Planning application for houses (C Winkley, builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/01/06489*)
- No 14. 18 Jul 2005. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council C/16330/05*)
- No 17 (Homan Court). There is a plaque in the entrance: "This stone was laid by his Worshipful the Mayor of Barnet Councillor D Goodman 30<sup>th</sup> September 1988. Matthew O'Toole Site Manager. Joe Dewart Project Architect
- Nos 18 - 32 16. Jan – Dec 1914. Planning application for houses (F W Walker, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA 4070/01/03808*)
- No 18. 25 Jun 2001. Planning application for single storey rear extension and loft conversion including rear dormer window (*Barnet Council N/12827/01*)
- No 18. 13 Nov 2003. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council C15577A/04*)
- No 18. 13 May 2004. Planning application for part single storey/part two storey rear extension (*Barnet Council C15577/03*)
- No 18. 13 May 2004. Planning application for reduction of existing, unlawful single storey extension to depth of 3 metres from original back wall of house. Reduction in height of existing parapet on rear extension to 20cm. Reduction in decking area. Reduction of first floor rear extension and reduction of first floor balcony (*Barnet Council C15577/A/04*)
- No 30. 16 Feb 1989. Planning application for retention of single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/07459/A*)
- No 33. Mar 1915. Planning application for house (Geo Mayo, 63 Dollis Park, Church End, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01624*) & No ? 31 Mar 1915. Application approved for detached house (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- Nos 34 - 40. Mar-Apr 1957. Planning application for houses and flats (Hanks Builders Ltd) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/01/13371*)
- No 34. 20 Jul 2005. Planning application for alterations to roof including side and rear dormer windows to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council C/0095/A/05*)
- No 35. May - Jun 1914. Planning application for house (G Mayo, 63 Dollis Park, Church End, owner & builder) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01624*) & No ? 5 Jun 1914. Application approved for pair of detached house (J Mayo) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 35. 3 Jan 2002. Planning application for retention of conversion of garage into a gymnasium (*Barnet Council N/02802/F/02*)
- No 36. 11 Oct 1995. Planning application for part 2 storey and part single storey side extension and single storey conservatory to rear (*Barnet Council N/02802/D*)
- No 39. 4 May 1966. Planning application for covered yard car port (E A Thompson) (*Barnet Council Minutes 4 May 1966 BN 1052*)

Nos 41 - 51. May - Jun 1920. Planning application for houses and garages (H Ridout, 11 Duke Street, agent C J Demant, 21 Park Crescent, Church End) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01740*) & Nos ?? 4 Jun 1920. Application approved for 4 semi-detached houses and 2 motor garages (Mr H Ridout) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 41 - 43. Apr 1954 - Apr 1955. Planning application for houses and garages (H G Goddard & E J C Hosier, submitted by Scott, Ford & Co, Newcombe Estates Company, surveyors (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/01/12499*)

No 41. 18 Mar 2008. Planning application for loft conversion involving hip to gable and rear dormer window. Glasshouse to rear (*Barnet F/00304/08*)

No 42. 16 Jul 1926. Application approved for garage and shed (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 42. 29 Jul 1994. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet N/101709*)

No 44. 23 Jun 2000. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet N/12442/A/00*)

No 44. 1 Oct 2001. Planning application for retention of single storey rear extension with reduction on roof height, lowering of patio and amendment of planting beds and reduction in levels of pathway adjacent to no 46 (*Barnet N/12442/C/01*)

No 44. 28 Jul 2000. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet N/12442/B/00*)

Nos 45 - 51. May - Jun 1920. Planning application for houses and garages (H Ridout, 11 Duke Street, submitted by C J Demant, 21 Park Crescent, Church End, Finchley) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01740*)

No 46. 8 Apr 2009. Planning application for single storey side extension following demolition of existing garage (Miss K Stonham) (*Barnet Council F/01246/09*)

No 46. 29 Jul 2008. Planning application for rear conservatory, roof extension involving rear dormer windows to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council F/02596/08*)

No 46. 8 Apr 2009. Planning application for single storey side extension following demolition of existing garage (*Barnet Council F/01246/09*)

No 48. 21 Jan 1927. Application approved for garage (Newcombe Estates Ltd) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 48. 19 Mar 1931. Application approved for sun parlour (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

Nos 49 - 51. Aug - Oct 1914. Planning application for houses (Alfred East, Kildare, Hornsey Lane, submitted by P Woollatt Home, Church End, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01642*)

No 49. 26 Feb 2007. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council C/17005/07*)

No 50. 15 Sep 1992. Planning application for roof extension to form dormer at rear (*Barnet Council N/10243*)

Nos 53 - 55. Mar - Apr 1914. Planning application for houses (Alfred East, Kildare, Fitzwarren Gardens, Hornsey Lane, owner & builder, submitted by P Woolatt Home, Church End, Finchley, architect) (*London Metropolitan Archives LMA/4070/02/01606*) & Nos ?? 2 Oct 1914. Application approved for 2 semi-detached houses (Alfred East) (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 53. 19 May 1988. Planning application for roof extension with dormer window on rear elevation (*Barnet Council N/06593/A*)

No 53. 13 Jun 1988. Planning application for single storey front & side extension (*Barnet Council N/06593/B*)

No 53. 27 Jan 1989. Planning application for retention of existing dormer windows at side and rear (*Barnet Council N/06593/C*)

No 56. 23 Nov 1928. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 58. 26 Feb 2014. Planning application for single storey rear extension. Conversion of garage into habitable space including removal of garage door. Extension to roof including side/rear dormer following demolition of chimney to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council B/00753/14*)

No 59. 21 Jan 2002. Planning application for part first floor, part ground floor side extension, single storey rear extension and loft conversion including rear dormer window (*Barnet Council N/13031/02*)

No 60. 12 Jul 1960. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 60. 2 Jan 1997. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council N/05058/D*)

No 62. 12 Jul 1960. Application approved for car port (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 64. 9 Mar 2004 & 29 Apr 2004. Planning application for side and rear dormer window to facilitate loft conversion (*Barnet Council C/15719/04*)

No 64. 9 May 2005. Planning application for single storey rear conservatory (*Barnet Council C/15719/B/05*)

No 66. 10 Dec 1926. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 67. 17 May 1945. Application approved for transfer of use from Ministry of Health from accommodating refugees to accommodating inadequates (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 68. 10 Jan 1989. Planning application for retention of single storey front and side extension and porch (*Barnet Council N/09322*)

No 69. 21 Apr 1965. Planning application approved for erection of glazed lean-to (*Barnet Council Minutes 21 Apr 1965*)

No 69. 7 Jul 1965. Planning application approved for loggia extension to lounge subject to consideration in respect of building over a public sewer (*Barnet Council Minutes 7 Jul 1965*)

No 70. 14 Sep 1944. Belgian refugees were billeted here (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

- No 70. 12 Mar 1953. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 70. 17 Sep 2008 & 5 Jan 2009. Planning application for first floor side extension. Roof extension involving rear dormer window to facilitate a loft conversion (*Barnet Council F/03511/08*)
- No 72. 9 Oct 1962. Application approved for garage on side (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 73. 10 Mar 1964. Application approved for erection of additional garage with bedroom over (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 74. 10 May 1938. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 75. 6 Nov 2006. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council C/16873/06*)
- No 76. 18 Oct 1945. Application approved for temporary garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 76. 19 Feb 1952. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 76. 5 Apr 2007. Planning application for single storey side and rear extension (*Barnet Council C/17060/07*)
- No 76. 1 Nov 2007. Planning application for ground floor extension including porch (*Barnet Council C/17060/A/07*)
- No 77. 27 Oct 2004. A loft extension is being constructed (*Jeffrey Charles Ltd*) (*David Berguer FB&DLHS*)
- No 78. 8 Dec 1949. Application approved for conversion into 2 self-contained flats (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 78. 18 Dec 1951. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 78. 8 Feb 2006. Planning application for conversion of garage into habitable room. New mono pitch roof to front elevation (*Barnet Council C/16550/06*)
- No 79. 15 Jun 2004. Planning application for single storey rear extension. Two storey side extension and conversion of garage into habitable room. Alteration to roof including rear dormer windows to facilitate loft conversion (*Barnet Council C15852/04*)
- No 79. 28 Oct 2004. Two-storey rear extension to eastern side. (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)
- No 80. 6 Mar 1934. Application approved for extension to kitchen (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- Nos 80 & 82. 1 Feb 1962. Application approved for erection of 2 single garages (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)
- No 80. 28 Oct 2004. Scaffolding up, roof work to eastern end (*John Donovan FB&DLHS*)
- No 81. 22 Jan 2002. Planning application for loft conversion including side and rear dormer windows (*Barnet Council N/06794/A/02*)

No 81. 9 Nov 2004. Planning application for single storey rear extension to form garden room (*Barnet Council C/15963/A/04*)

No 82. 5 Feb 2015. Planning application for single storey rear extension with a proposed depth of 4.9 metres from original rear wall, eaves height of 3 metres and maximum height of 3 metres ( *Barnet Council 15/00705/PNH*)

No 83. 19 Feb 1990. Planning application for single storey front extension to existing garage (*Barnet Council N/03439/C*)

No 83. 26 Sep 1997. Planning application for reinstatement of garage roof removed during formation of roof alterations (*Barnet Council N/03439/E*)

No 83. 23 Apr 1999. Planning application for single storey rear extension (*Barnet Council N/03439/G*)

No 84. 16 Oct 1952. Application approved for garage (*Friern Barnet UDC Minutes*)

No 84. 18 Mar 1996. Planning application for installation of roof windows (*Barnet Council N/00962/D*)

No 84. 6 Dec 1996. Planning application for detached bungalow, vehicle access and parking and first floor rear extension to no 84 (*Barnet Council N/00962/G*)

No 84. 9 Sep 1997. Planning application for formation of basement play room (*Barnet Council N/00962/H*)

No 84. 26 Jan 2000. Planning application for erection of enclosed front entrance porch (*Barnet Council N/00962/J/00*)



**FRIERN WATCH PARADE, N12**

**HIGH ROAD, NORTH FINCHLEY**, east side (*Kelly's Directory of Finchley & Friern  
Barnet 1932*)