# Playgroup Directory 2019: Randwick, Waverley and Bayside East Local Government Areas



This directory contains essential details of playgroups located in the Randwick, Waverley and Bayside East local government areas. The playgroups listed are either supported by a facilitator or are run by parents and/or volunteers.

All playgroups listed under Playgroups NSW incur an annual membership fee and cost around \$3 per session.





This Playgroup Directory is an initiative of the Junction Neighbourhood Centre.

To make any corrections or to update playgroup details please contact The JNC: 9349 8200 or email familiesworkerft@jnc.org.au



**Family Programs** 

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#### **Botany Council**

Playgroup Organisation	Days and Type	Time	Venue/Location	Cost	Contact
Randwick & Botany	Monday - Daceyville Public	9:30-11am	Banks Avenue Entrance, Daceyville	Gold coin donation	Ph: 9666 5047
Supported Playgroup	School				
Service	Monday - Play Connect	10-12midday	13 Banksia St, <b>Botany</b>		
	Thursday - Multicultural				
	Playgroup in the Park	10-11:30am	Eastlakes Reserve (beside shops), Eastlakes		
	Thursday - Community	Community Botany Family & C		]	
	Playgroup	10-11:30am	Banksia St, <b>Botany</b>		
South Eastern Community	Monday (includes	10-12midday	Gardener's Road Public School, Botany Rd,	\$2 per family and a	Ph: 8338 8506
Connect Supported	Intergenerational Playgroup)		Rosebery	piece of fruit	
Playgroups	Tuesday	10-12midday	Eastlakes Public School, Florence Ave,	]	
			Eastlakes		
The Deli Women and	Monday, Tuesday &	10-11:30am	72 Maloney Street, <b>Eastlakes</b>	\$6 per session	Ph: 9667 4664
Children's Centre	Wednesday				
Supported Playgroups					

#### **Randwick Council**

Playgroup Organisation	Days and Type	Time	Venue/Location	Cost	Contact	
Anklebiters Playgroup	Thursday - Defence Force Families	9:30-11:30am	Randwick Barracks, Cnr Avoca & Bundock St	First two visits free, \$3 per session & \$20 annual fee	Ph: 9393 3314	
Koolloora Supported Playgroups	Monday & Wednesday	10-12midday	167 Bilga Cr, <b>Malabar</b>	Gold Coin Donation	Ph: 9661 9160	
Playgroup NSW - Clovelly Playgroup	Monday, Wednesday &Friday Saturday	9:30-11:30am 10-12midday	Burnie St Community Centre, Burnie St, Clovelly		Ph: 9684 9500 (Playgroup NSW)	
Playgroup NSW - Coogee	Monday & Wednesday  Friday - German speaking playgroup	9:30-11:30am 9:30-11:30am	Dolphin St Scout Hall, Cnr Dolphin & Mount Street, Coogee	\$5 per family per session & a piece of fruit	Ph: 9684 9500 (Playgroup NSW)	
Randwick & Botany Supported Playgroup	Wednesday - Soldiers Settlement Public School	9:30-11am	29-39 Menin Rd, <b>Matraville</b>	Gold Coin Donation	Ph: 9666 5047	
Service	Wednesday - Families of Children with Additional Needs. In partnership with Lifestart	10am-11:30am	Lifestart, Chifley Public School, Mitchell St, Chifley			
	Wednesday - Harmony Playgroup	9:30-11am	Matraville Public School, 310 Bunnerong Rd, Matraville			
	Friday - Under 2 years	10-11:30am	Chifley Public School, Mitchell St, <b>Chifley</b>			
POPPY Playgroup	Friday - for mothers experiencing mental distress and children 0-5 years. By referral only	11am-1pm	St John's Anglican Church Hall, 339A Maroubra	Free	Ph: 9700 4000 or 9646 9130	
Wild Street Playgroup	Mondays - age 0-5 years	10am-11.30am	Wild Street Anglican Church, cr Hinkler St and Wild St, Maroubra	\$2 per session, first visit free	Ph: 0437 673 767 (Nicola)	

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Playgroup NSW - Randwick	Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday	10am-12midday	Rear Garden of Randwick Literary Insititute, 60 Clovelly Rd, <b>Randwick</b>	\$4 per family per visit OR \$39 yearly Playgroup NSW Fee	coordinator@randwickpla ygroup.org,
Randwick Miracle Babies Nurture Group	Thursday - Focus on the needs of premature & sick children. Parent led playgroup with an allied health professional visiting. In partnership with Lifestart	10:30am-12:30pm fortnightly	Lifestart Eastern Sydney Centre, Chifley Public School, Mitchell Street, <b>Chifley</b>	Free	Ph: 9724 8999 www.miraclebabies.org.au
SDN, Soldiers Settlement Public School &Working From the Ground Up Supported Playgroup	Friday	10am-12midday	29-39 Menin Rd, <b>Matraville</b>	Free	Ph: 0410 533 914
The Junction Neighbourhood Centre Supported Playgroups	Monday - Transition to School Playgroup for children starting school the following year. In spartnership with Lifestart.  Friday - La Perouse Little	10-11:45am	Lifestart Eastern Sydney Centre, Chifley Public School, Mitchell Street, <b>Chifley</b>	Free. Bring morning tea	Ph: 9349 8200
	Leaps for children 0-3	10-11:30am	La Perouse Public School, Cnr Yarra Road & Bunnerong Rd, <b>Phillip Bay</b>	Free. Bring a piece of fruit	
Lifestart	Wednesday - open plagroup. 'My Time' program during second half of playgroup	9:30-11:30am	Lifestart Eastern Sydney Centre, Chifley Public School, Mitchell Street, <b>Chifley</b>	Donation	Ph: 9311 0177

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Playtime at Maroubra	Tuesday	9:45-11:45am	139 Garden Street,		Ph: 9344 3355
Baptist Church			Maroubra	Annual Fee per	
				family: \$5.00 (paid	
				once only per year)	
				Weekly fee per	
				family: \$4.00	
				Guest fee per	
				family: \$5.00	
St Mark's Malabar	Friday	9:30-11:30am	Corner Victoria & Franklin Street		Ph: 9311 0309
			Malabar	Gold coin donation	
Hope Kids Playgroup	Tuesday	10-11:30am	Hope Uniting Church Hall, 829 Anzac Pde,	TBD	Ph: 0410 585 175
			Maroubra		

# **Waverley Council**

Playgroup Organisation	Days and Type	Time	Venue/Location	Cost	Contact
Bondi Beach Playgroups	Monday	9:30-11:30am	Cnr Wairoa Ave & Brighton Bvd, North Bondi	\$90 annual fee or	Georgiana - 0414 337 303
				\$5 per session	Jo - 0406 867 270
	Tuesday - 0 to 6months	10-11:30am			Julie - 0438 070 273
	Tuesday - Spanish group	3:30-5:30pm			Carlotta - 0425 339 743
					Niamh - 0405 638 416
	Wednesday	9:30-11:30am			Liz - 0424 948 014
	Thursday - 1-2 years	10:30am - 12:30pm			Julie - 0438 070 273
	Friday	9:30-11:30am			Kate - 0449 092 600
	Monday	10am-12midday	Thomas Hogan Reserve, Francis St, <b>Bondi</b>		Victoria - 0429 521 982
	Friday	10am-12midday			

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Playgroup organisation	Days and Type	Time	Venue/Location	Cost	Contact
Mobile Play Bus Free playgroup for local families with young chil- dren. Run by Save The Children.	Thursdays, School term only.	10am to noon	Dudley Page Reserve, cnr Military Rd & Lancaster Rd, <b>Dover Heights</b>	Free	Phone: 0422 377 574 Email: mobileplaybus@ savethechildren.org.au
Rose Bay Playgroup	Speaking groups English: Tuesday & Wednesday Hebrew: Thursday Japanese: Friday	10.00am -12.00noon	The Cottage, Rose Bay Golf Club, O'Sullivan Road, Rose Bay 2029		Phone: 9391 7170
CMP Playgroup	Aged 0-5 years. Tuesdays and Wednesdays during school terms	9.30am – 11.30am	Level 2, Church in the Market- place 400 Oxford St Mall, <b>Bondi Junction</b>	Prices: \$6 – 1 child, \$8 – 2 children, \$12 – 3 or more children, \$50 – 10 session pass.	Phone: 9387 2300 Website: www.cmponline.net Email: reception@cmponline. net

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Bondi: Francis Street			Thomas Hogan Reserve, Francis St, <b>Bondi</b>		Phone: 9130 3803 Email: francisstplaygroup@ gmail.com
Bondi North: Hall Early Childhood Centre			Cnr Brighton Blvde & Wairoa Ave, <b>Bondi</b> <b>North</b> 2026		Phone: 0425 226 386 Website: http://www. bondibeachplaygroups.org.au/ north-bondi/
Vaucluse			Kimberley Reserve, Military Road, <b>Vaucluse</b> 2030		Phone: 1800 171 882 Email: admin@playgroup.nsw. org.au
Bondi Yeshiva Tots			Yeshiva Centre 36 Flood Street, <b>Bondi</b> NSW 2026		Phone: 0409 555 999 Email: shainadfeldman@gmail. com

This directory is current at October 2017. Please let JNC's Family Programs team know if your playgroup's details change.

If you can't find a playgroup in your area, see http://www.playgroupnsw.org.au/Explore/FindaPlaygroup