

Let's Get Out and About!

Holiday Activity Newsletter Summer 2021

Welcome to the latest edition of **Let's Get Out and About!** Now that Covid measures have eased, there are more opportunities for families to get out and visit places this Summer. Every provider explains how they plan to keep visitors safe so do check out their websites for more details. In this newsletter we give you some ideas for activities locally, elsewhere in London as well as some home - based options. **Please note that the easing of restrictions may change. Please keep up to date with the latest information.**

Spotlight on....Pavilion Plant & Art Market @ North Acton Playing Fields



PAVILION
PLANT + ART MARKET
FREE COOKING WORKSHOP FROM



the
Kids'
Cookery
School

BAKE YOUR OWN DELICIOUSLY FRESH BREAD
ROLES FROM SCRATCH!
OPEN TO ALL CHILDREN - SIGN UP ON THE DAY



Saturday 24th July
The Pavilion in North Acton
Playing Fields, W3 0JF
11am - 1.30pm

This is a community events
with face painting, local stalls,
live music and more...



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The new Pavilion Plant + Art market kicks off on **Saturday 24th July!** Bring your family to North Acton Playing Fields and meet local makers and growers at this sociable, inclusive community event. There will be bread making workshops hosted by Kids Cookery School, vegetable printing, live music, face painting and more. You can also find affordable plants grown by Acton Gardens Association and locally made art and craft. **This event is free and open to all.** Taking place at The Pavilion in North Acton Playing Fields, Eastfields Road, W3 0JF, **11am - 2pm.**

Train: Acton mainline

Tube: West Acton (Central line) North Ealing (Piccadilly line)

<https://www.artification.org.uk/north-acton-pavilion-venue-hire-w3-0jf>

Also available in North Acton Playing Fields, Pay&Play | NAPF Tennis | Greater London <https://www.napftennis.co.uk>
Pay & Play is £8 per hour. Advanced booking is encouraged. Please bring your own racquets and balls.

Ealing residents enjoy **FREE** entry to **Pitzhanger Manor & Gallery** on Wednesdays 10am-5pm and Sunday mornings 10am-12:30pm. Advanced booking is advised.

<https://accessvam.accesscloud.com/PitzhangerBookings/BookTickets.aspx?eid=0028>

Located in Walpole Park, you can also find out more about the programme of Ealing Summer Festivals by heading to the website <https://www.ealingsummerfestivals.com/whats-on/> There is a range of events including daytime activities, outdoor cinema as well as music and food.

Bug Hunters @ **Gunnersbury Park & Museum** 5 August, 12 August, 19 August, 26 August 2021 Times: 11am - 12.30pm Price: £7 per child, adults go free and must accompany children.

<https://www.visitgunnersbury.org/whats-on/children-families/bug-hunters/> Also at Gunnersbury Park the Cycling Instructor is providing **FREE** Learn to Ride sessions for children that cannot ride a bike. Sessions are for 2 hours on 2 consecutive days. Dates are: 5th & 6th August, 12.45-14.45, 12th & 13th August, 10.00-12.00 OR 12.45-14.45. Visit the following link to book.

<https://fs19.formsite.com/res/submit> Find out what other services are on offer including **FREE** cycle training for the family <https://www.cyclinginstructor.com/ealing>

McDonald's Fun Football have a brand-new edition of the Activity Book. It is now readily available and free of charge. Fill in the following link to request yours! <https://www.mcdonalds.com/gb/en-gb/football/activity-book.html>

FREE Family Fun Wildlife Workshops – Various Locations



These workshops will help inspire children to develop a love of nature. Activities are from 10am – 3pm on the following days throughout August: Tuesdays – [Northala Field](#), Wednesdays - [Southall Park](#), Thursdays – [Acton Park](#) and Fridays – [Walpole Park](#), Ealing. For more information about the workshops please email ikwiym@gmail.com For details about the site facilities and how to get there, click on the park name(s) above.

The **Sharks Canoe Club** run sessions from **Osterley Park** and is the ideal place for a day out with the family and a chance to kayak on the lake in boats that are ideal for beginners, for families and so much fun. For more information call 07951 770241 or email: osterley@thesharks.org.uk The sessions take place on the main lake, known as Middle Lake at Osterley Park, Jersey Road, TW7 4RB. During peak times and with hot weather they do get very busy and recommend booking online. <https://eola.co/w/453/activities> The cost is just £8 per person. <http://www.thesharks.org.uk/osterley-park/> Sessions are Saturdays and Sundays.

If you fancy heading into London, check out some of these parks and venues with interactive water features. <https://www.timeout.com/london/things-to-do/public-fountains-in-london> Many are FREE to visit. Take a picnic and if you travel on public transport, remember children go FREE after 9.30am.

The Cartoon Museum, 63 Wells Street, London, W1A 3AE Nearest Tube: Oxford

Circus <https://www.cartoonmuseum.org>

The Cartoon Museum champions cartoon and comic art, highlighting its value to culture and society. There is a programme of exhibitions, workshops and events including a summer programme of on site and online workshops. Admission to the museum is FREE for under 18's (Adults are £8.50). <https://the-cartoon-museum.myshopify.com/collections/general-admission> Opening Hours Tue, Wed, Fri, Sat & Sun 10.30am – 5.30pm & Thu | 10.30am - 8pm (Closed on Mondays)

The programme of workshops for 8-14 year olds include: Manga for beginners, create a comic strip, classic Beano, Monsters and many more. Workshops are £12. To book the session follow the link <https://the-cartoon-museum.myshopify.com/collections/workshop-tickets>



Story Seekers at The Imperial War Museum, Lambeth, SE1 6HZ



<https://www.iwm.org.uk/events/story-seekers-iwm-london>

IWM London is a short walk from Lambeth North (7 minutes), Elephant & Castle (10 minutes) or Waterloo stations (14 minutes).

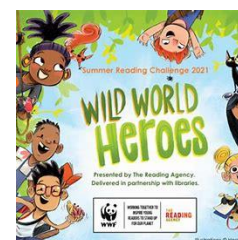
Saturday 24 July - Tuesday 31 August 2021 10am - 3pm

Your family can discover real artefacts and find moving and surprising stories from people who braved shark-infested waters to ingenious nurses and those who built machines of conflict. A wonderful way for families to learn together about the global

impact of conflict from the First World War and Second World War to today. Book your FREE admission tickets here [Select date \(iwm.org.uk\)](#)

Summer Reading Challenge - Wild World Heroes

Hooray it's the Summer Reading Challenge! This year we have partnered with the WWF to create the mission of **"Wild World Heroes"**, a nature themed project that will inspire children to engage with environmental issues. Wild World Heroes invites children into the fictional neighbourhood of Wilderville where six young explorers are on a mission to make their home a greener place for the people and animals living there. To complete the challenge, you have to read six books over the summer holidays. To get started just sign up at your local library OR head to the website to register <https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/join-in>



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