

Headstart

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Zecure app

Ever feel unsafe walking to or from school?

Download the free Zecure app. If you feel threatened all you have to do is press a button or shake the phone and the app will alert an emergency contact such as a parent.

You can also use it to let your parents or carers know when you have left school and arrived home safely.

Zecure is a London-based tech firm whose apps help organisations keep people safe at home and work. The company has worked with Wandsworth Council and the police to make the app available for free to Wandsworth schoolchildren.

You can download Zecure now from the IOS or Android app store. To register use the six letter code specifically for Wandsworth: **WANSAF**.

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A big thank you

“ I know that for the borough’s young people and families, it’s been a tough year, but it’s been great to see everyone back at school, enjoying lessons and having fun this past few weeks.

I want to thank all of you – staff, teachers, parents, carers and of course children – for your patience, your hard work to make school buildings Covid safe, and your efforts to keep teaching and learning over the lockdowns.

I want to assure you all that the council is doing all it can to help, including supporting testing regimes,

deep cleaning and mental health support. We’ve provided laptops to children to enable them to learn at home (see page 6) and are working with schools to come up with a comprehensive ‘roadmap’ to help the borough’s young people thrive after Covid – read more on page 5.

Once again, thanks to everyone, and enjoy the rest of the summer term.

Cllr Will Sweet
Cabinet member,
Education and
Children’s Services



Get your **FREE** NHS Health Check from your GP.

You must be aged 40-74, have not been previously diagnosed with diabetes, kidney disease, heart disease or stroke and have not had an NHS Health Check in the last five years.

For more information call the council’s public health team on (020) 8871 5026, or visit www.wandsworth.gov.uk/healthchecks



Helping you prevent
diabetes
heart disease
kidney disease
stroke & dementia





Catching up after lockdown

Wandsworth Council has set out a roadmap of how it will help children and young people recover from the pandemic.

The roadmap incorporates five key foundation stones that will provide a comprehensive package of support for the borough's children and young people.

The council's education spokesman Cllr Will Sweet said: "Over the coming months and years we are committed to standing by our children, families and

schools as we learn more about what they need to make up for the last year to become the best they can be.

"You'll see the council listening carefully to you as you tell us what you want and need.

"We have great ambitions for our young people and want them to face the brightest possible future. We'll be working with schools, colleges, parents, carers, employers and of course children themselves over the coming months to make sure we set the framework for our young people to achieve their best and fulfil their potential."

The roadmap will include:

- Tutoring and mentoring
- Mental health and well-being
- Sport and arts
- Access to tech
- Employability

One year of Power to Connect

Power to Connect, launched by Wandsworth Council and Battersea Power Station to provide laptops and data vouchers to local families, has celebrated its one year anniversary.

Since launching at the start of the pandemic, it's collected more than 1,200 unused fully working laptops and tablets, refurbished them as Google Chromebooks and donated the devices to local organisations and more than 76 schools in Wandsworth.

In total almost 5,000 laptops have been distributed to Wandsworth families during the pandemic through various schemes, including direct donations from the council.

Power to Connect also plans to develop a Digital Skills pilot scheme, which will be led by the project's IT volunteers, to deliver sessions in schools and at community spaces to ensure families who have been given a device are confident enough to be able to use them correctly, look after the device and keep themselves and their children safe online.

Find out more at powertoconnect.co.uk



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Mental health support

The pandemic has been especially tough on children and teenagers, but support is available for young people struggling with their mental health.

The borough's children's services spokesman Cllr Will Sweet said: "It's been tough for young people missing out on school, not seeing their friends and not being able to do all the things that are important to them. That's why we have set up new mental health support services for younger people and strengthened existing ones."

Young people can be referred to the Wandsworth Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service (CAMHS)

Support is available through schools which have staff that are specially trained to spot the early signs of illness.

The mental health trailblazers team is offering a range of online workshops for parents to support mental health and wellbeing

The Wandsworth Safeguarding Partnership has links to a range of advice for young people on issues including eating disorders, abuse, bullying, drugs and alcohol and self-harm. wscp.org.uk

Getting it On provides information and services for 13-19 year olds on sexual and mental health issues, drugs and alcohol and relationship problems. gettingiton.org.uk

MIND (Brent, Wandsworth and Westminster) supports young people to develop and maintain positive mental health and wellbeing. bwwmind.org.uk

Kooth is an online mental wellbeing community providing free, safe and anonymous support to young people over the age of 11. kooth.com

In a crisis people can call an emergency hotline on 0800 028 8000.



School Streets keep children safe

Wandsworth now has 19 school streets – the third highest in inner London.

School Streets mean the roads containing school entrances turn into traffic-free zones when pupils arrive in the mornings and leave in the afternoons. The aim is to boost road safety, support walking and cycling and help improve air quality.

Cameras are now being used at the school streets at **Earlsfield, Furzedown, Penwortham and Hillbrook** schools and drivers flouting the rules can expect a penalty charge notice in the post.

Motorists are alerted by road signs at the entrances to the School Streets which give the operating times.

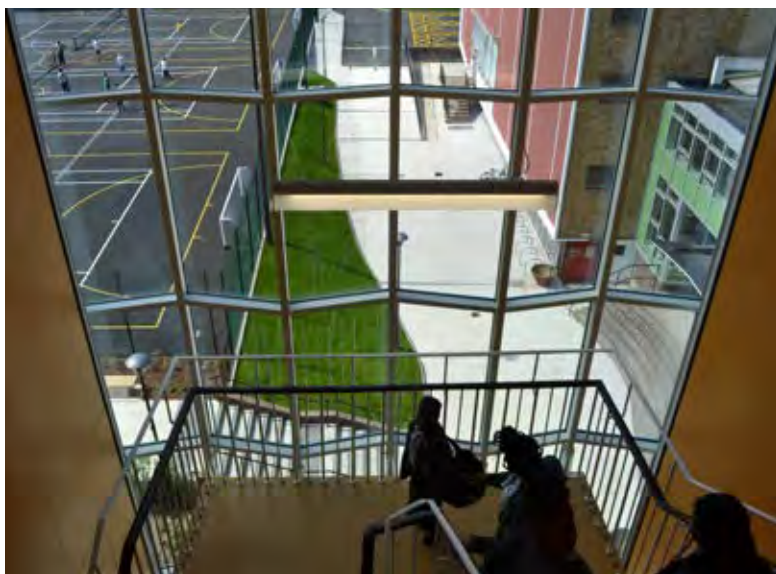
Residents and businesses who live and work on a School Street are given access as are Blue Badge holders, WAND card holders, care workers and taxis visiting a property in the School Street. For the School Streets with camera enforcement, people who are eligible can apply for exemption.

Consultations are currently being held on some School Streets and you can have your say until the end of June.



Find out more at wandsworth.gov.uk/schoolstreets

For more information about School Streets, where they are located and their hours of operation, please see the School Streets webpage.



Expanding schools

Classes are expected to begin in September in Chestnut Grove's new 21st Century sixth-form teaching block.

The project is part of a £15.6m scheme to provide extra classroom places at a number of Wandsworth schools.

At Chestnut Grove the school will increase admissions by the equivalent of 1.5 classes, while the new sixth form block will add another 50 places.

A similar construction project at St Cecilia's School in Southfields will see its intake grow by one extra class - and also allow it to accommodate an extra 50 sixth formers.

Attention will then turn to Putney's Ashcroft Technology Academy where plans are in place to allow it to permanently increase its intake by an additional class.

Work recently finished at Ark Putney Academy, enabling the school to add two new classes to its intake and expand its sixth form provision by a further 50 places.

And in earlier phases of the scheme both Burntwood and Graveney schools in Tooting were able to increase their intake as result of additional classroom space being provided.

History of Home

The theme of this year's Wandsworth Council/ GLL Heritage Award for Schools is home.

We've all spent a lot of time at home this past year, so for the 2021 Awards, judges want to hear about the history of your home, local park or other space in Wandsworth that you spend a lot of time in.

How to Enter:

Submissions must be related to the history of Wandsworth and have both written and visual elements. Only one entry per child should be submitted. Entrants should be in key stage 2 at the end of the current academic year.

Five prizes will be awarded, with each winner receiving £100 in Amazon vouchers and either a trampoline or ice skating session for them and their classmates.

To find out more about the competition and online resources you can use, email heritage@gll.org.



EXPLORING THE HISTORY OF EVENTS & PEOPLE OF WANDSWORTH BOROUGH



Water day for new Nine Elms trees

Newly-planted trees along Thessaly Road were given a good watering this Spring by pupils from nearby St George's CE Primary School.

Avid gardeners from the school met up with Wandsworth councillor Steffi Sutters and the council's tree expert to find out more about their new leafy neighbours.

Councillor Sutters said: "Planting more trees will help us meet our climate change commitments as well as making it a greener, more pleasant place to live. I was delighted to discover that the children of St George's have green fingers and are on hand to help us become inner London's greenest borough."

The three hornbeam trees, chosen for hardiness and year-round leaf cover, have been planted in Nine Elms as part of Wandsworth

“ I was delighted to discover that the children of St George's have green fingers ”

Council's improvements to local landscaping alongside the introduction of a new Business Low Emission Neighbourhood in the area. A new Northern Line Tube station is also set to open nearby this autumn.

See more tree-watering video action at www.nineelmslondon.com/ThessalyRoadTrees

EU residents take action now

If you or someone in your family is an EU National, you have until June 30 to apply to the EU Settlement Scheme (settled or pre-settled status) and secure your right to live, work, study and receive benefits and services in the UK.

The council commissions Citizens Advice Wandsworth to run the EU Project to give support and advice to Wandsworth residents. Advisors can explain the new rules and help you apply.

Free advice surgeries are provided in English and a range of other languages.

Contact the EU Project team:

www.cawandsworth.org/eu

euadvice@ca.gov.uk

www.cawandsworth.org

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SCHEME FOR
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HM Government

If you're an EU citizen and were living in the UK by 31st December 2020, you must check if you need to apply to the EU Settlement Scheme for your children, even if you have already applied for yourself. If you miss the deadline, your children could lose their existing rights to things such as free healthcare and further and higher education in the UK. The deadline is 30th June 2021.

Do it online today
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Irish citizens or those with valid indefinite leave don't need to apply.

I'm proud of
#MyWANDSWORTH

#MyWandsworth drawing competition prize winners

Children aged three to seven years old took part in enter a colouring-in competition as part of the council's MyWandsworth campaign to keep the borough looking at its best.

Young people were asked to help the parky pigeons find all the litter, and show the judges their best colouring-in.

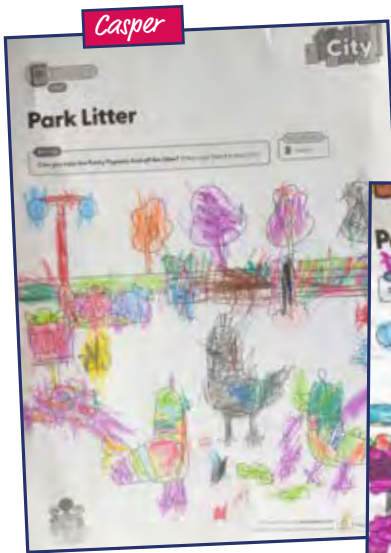
Children from Trinity St Marys, Eaton House the Manor, Penwortham, Earlsfield, Granard, Honeywell, Floreat Wandsworth, Albermarle, Tooting and Parkgate House primary schools took part.

The competition was kindly supported by educational platform, Earth Cubs and Enable, the contractor which manages Wandsworth's parks and open spaces on behalf of the council, providing prizes for the winners.



Thank you to Paul Benton from the Putney Tidy Towpath Group, who helped judge the competition.

Zaynab Bhatti
Trinity St Mary's C of E Primary
School, pictured, trout cover



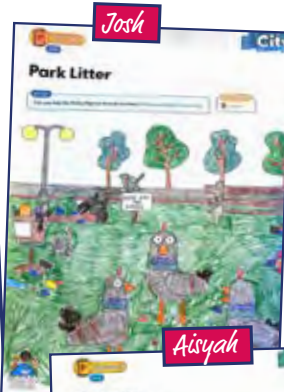
Casper



Rouxu



Royah



Josh



Aisyah



Tara



Olivia

Competition winners

3 year old age category

Winner: Casper, age 3, Earlsfield Primary School and Rouxu, age 3.

Prize: £50 Book vouchers each, courtesy of Enable.*

4-5 year old age category

Winner: Royah Flisiwowska, age 5, Granard Primary School

Runner Up: Josh Hampton, age 5, Penwortham Primary School

Runner Up: Aisyah Susilwanto, age 5, Albermarle Primary School

Prize: £50 Book vouchers, courtesy of Enable* for the winner. £30 book vouchers for the runners up.

6-7 year old age category

Winner: Zaynab Bhatti, age 7, Trinity St Marys Primary School

Runner Up: Olivia Wright, age 6, Parkgate House School

Runner Up: Tara, age 6, Trinity St Marys C of E Primary School

Prize: 500 native trees will be planted in Madagascar, Mozambique and Nicaragua on behalf of the winner, courtesy of Earth Cubs. 100 trees will be planted for the runners up.

School prize category

Trinity St Mary's C of E Primary School

Prize: £50 to go towards plants or an activity of the school's choice, courtesy of Enable, that helps support planting, greening or growing food, in line with curriculum guidelines.

* Enable manages Wandsworth's parks and open spaces on behalf of the council.

Learn the world with Earth Cubs



The free education platform by environmental learning company Earth Cubs is a great way for young people to learn about the world and engage them in messages about keeping their local area clean and tidy in a fun way.

Find out more

Parents and teachers can access a whole host of free resources, from the Earth Cubs website, including downloadable activities and an app to inspire young people to learn all about our environment.

For children an interactive mobile game encourages creativity, numeracy and literacy. They get to meet fascinating characters like Antonio the Anteater in the rainforest or Nigel the Nervous Narwhal in the Arctic.

For parents simple to use home learning packs cover a wide range of environments, activities and hints on making life more sustainable.

For teachers Earth Cubs lesson plan resources all fully aligned to EYFS and KS1 curriculum. Their complete lesson plans include guided teaching steps, activities, outdoor learning ideas - all focused on the environment and sustainability.

Visit earthcubs.com to access the free environmental education platform.



The Earth Cubs' website and app are a great way for kids to learn about climate change, an issue which is of great importance to the council, as we have an ambition to become a carbon-neutral organisation by 2030 and a zero-carbon one by 2050.



Councillor Steffi Sutters,
cabinet member for
community services and
open spaces

Visit www.wandsworth.gov.uk/climatechange to find out more about what the council is doing to tackle climate change.





Wandsworth Fostering

#lovetofoster

Could you look after a teenager?

Fostering Fortnight May 10-23

We want all our children who are unable to live with their families to be cared for locally in Wandsworth communities.

Fostering a child and providing a loving home to those that need it most is extremely rewarding and fulfilling. In Wandsworth we are looking for individuals and families interested in providing a temporary or a permanent home for teenagers. Our teenage years are often the most crucial crossroad in life. For those teenagers unable to live at home, your influence as a foster carer may provide the direction they need to set them on the right path for the rest of their life.

If you are interested in finding out more about fostering, fostering teenagers and fostering for Wandsworth please give us a call on 020 8871 6666.



Brandlehow students create public art

Artist Simon Periton teamed up with Year 5 students at Brandlehow Primary School to create a new contemporary public artwork along a 27m hoarding on Osiers Road, Riverside Quarter.

Hazel and Hawthorn classes were set a series of creative tasks by Simon through digital workshops during autumn 2020. The explored the heritage of the Thames and Wandle rivers and learned techniques including paper-cutting and weaving.

It was a lot of fun to make and I think it turned out better than anyone thought it would. I'm sure everyone who helped feels very proud of it. Zoe



The end result *Anguilla Anguilla*, refers to the growing of osiers (willow) in the area, which was cut and woven into baskets used to catch eels.

The work was commissioned by Hollybrook in association with Peabody, with support from the Wandsworth Council Arts and Culture Service, and is curated by Dallas-Pierce-Quintero. Permanent public artworks by Simon Periton, inspired by the local area, will form part of the new public square at Osiers Road when construction is complete.



I really enjoyed being creative, it was soooooooooooooo fun! I can't wait to see it in person when we go for our walks as we live nearby. Freya

I was excited at what Simon was going to think about my art work, but when I saw the finished piece of artwork that Simon had made I was proud.. Lorenzo



I really enjoyed doing the artwork with Simon and I thought it was a great way to express our feelings. Daniela

It was one of the best art experiences in my LIFE!!! When my brush touched the paper my head swirled with ideas. Yalin

The art project was really fun and it was amazing to see the result. It was also very interesting to do the research about the area. Flora





Getting arty at Arch 42

Pupils at **Griffin Primary School, St Mary's RC Primary School** and **St George's Primary School** in Nine Elms have been busy helping to design 'daggerboards' to decorate an old railway arch opening up as a new short-cut route later this year.

Years 3 and 4 heard from visiting architects how design helps to improve an area while also reflecting its past.

Some of the designs will be incorporated by the architects at



Projects Office into the gateways to 'Arch 42' - one of the historic Victorian railway arches running through the area.

Once opened, the new pedestrian route will provide a much-needed link ahead of the Northern Line Extension opening this autumn. It will connect Ponton Road, off Nine Elms Lane, with New Covent Garden Market and Wandsworth Road on the other side of the railway line.

Find out more at nineelmslondon.com/Arch42

Life-changing library for Griffin

Griffin Primary School in Battersea is one of six across the UK to be chosen by the Children's Laureate as part of her flagship Life-Changing Libraries project.

Cressida Cowell, author of the bestselling series, How to Train Your Dragon wants to develop a culture in schools where children read for pleasure.

Griffin will get a new library space stocked with around 1000 new books. Staff will also get specialist training and mentoring from the School Library Association.

Karen Bastick-Styles, Executive Head Teacher of Griffin Primary School, said: "We are delighted and privileged to be part of this exciting project. A new library will quite literally change the lives of so many of our young people."



We need your help to keep our children safe during these difficult times when our vulnerable children are at risk.

**Please call 020 8871 6622
or email mash@wandsworth.gov.uk
to report a concern.**

[wandsworth.gov.uk/childsafeguarding](https://www.wandsworth.gov.uk/childsafeguarding)
#KeepOurChildrenSafe





Dear Neighbour

As part of this year's Wandsworth Arts Fringe, almost 2,500 pictures created by young people aged 4-11 in Wandsworth will be displayed in borough libraries.

The Dear Neighbour postcards capture memories of 2020, showing the places, people and objects that were important to children during the pandemic including family, friends, the NHS, toys, going to the park and hobbies like playing football, reading, painting and baking.

For more information about the project contact creativewandsworth@wandsworth.gov.uk

Find out about other Wandsworth Arts Fringe events on page 26-27.





WANDSWORTH ARTS FRINGE



Source: Public Health Annual Report 2016 - Diabetes in Wandsworth

Every week 15 people in Wandsworth are told they have diabetes



15,000 residents are living with the condition...



...and another 25,000 are on the verge of getting it.



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TYPE 2 DIABETES KNOW YOUR RISK

Finding your risk of Type 2 diabetes only takes a few minutes. It could be the most important thing you do today...

Check your risk online at
<https://riskscore.diabetes.org.uk>



The Scrapstore is back!

Remember the thrill of coming to the treasure trove that is the Work and Play Scrapstore in Tooting and leaving with weird and wonderful art, craft and design materials for your projects?

Well the Scrapstore is open again, with a huge amount of new materials filling the shelves. Full Covid safety precautions are being taken. No booking is necessary but you need to be a member. Membership fees enable the not-for-profit organisation to continue its work providing art, craft, design and play materials for schools, students, artists, community organisations, home educators and families.

Find out more at workandplayscrapstore.org.uk



Wandsworth Heritage Festival

May 29-June 13

The annual feast of local history is back, and this year the theme is home. Online children's activities are available throughout the festival. Search for Wandsworth Libraries on YouTube.



What can you find in the ground?

Organised by Wandsworth Historical Society

Archaeologist Pamela Greenwood shares some of her favourite things from the ground. What do the many things dug up tell us about the people who called Wandsworth home hundreds and thousands of years ago?

The Wombles

Organised by Wandsworth Libraries & Heritage Service

Roehampton Children's Librarian Gillian reads some of her favourite Wombles' stories.

Homes of the Great Fire

Organised by Wandsworth Libraries & Heritage Service

Children's author Kate Cunningham shares what life was like at home

for Londoners living in 1666 – the year of the Great Fire of London.

Homes for Bugs, Bees, and Beneficial Beasties

Organised by Wandsworth Libraries & Heritage Service

Tooting Children's Librarian Heather shows you how to make cosy habitats for bugs in your garden to attract wildlife all year round.

Dolls and Dandies

Organised by Wandsworth Libraries & Heritage Service

Battersea Children's Librarian Carolyn shows you how to make and dress paper dolls in Victorian and Edwardian Costume and shares some of her favourite Wandsworth homes from both periods. Contact heritage@gll.org for templates.



Last year's Spine Festival featured Safiya Kamaria Kinshasa and Helen Scully as artists in residence at Balham Library.



Get Ready for Spine 2021

The Spine Festival is back.

Wandsworth and Merton libraries have teamed up to offer free online workshops and theatre productions. The festival will launch on June 1 – World Children's Day.

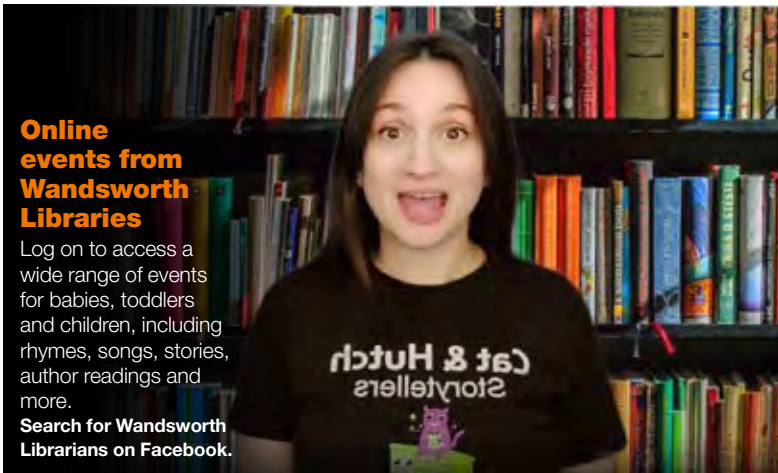
This year, the festival is themed around Empathy, to coincide with Empathy Day on 10 June. Children will be encouraged to chat and explore their own feelings and the experiences of others. Expect drawing, cartooning, magical make believe, storytelling and so much more. Children can also access special reading lists and attend additional, interactive events online with Empathy Lab.

Keep updated with the latest announcements, and for live booking, via [@Better_Balham](#) on twitter.



Summer listings

This is just a taste of what's going on. For lots more activities, visit Thrive Online Wandsworth at www.wandsworth.gov.uk/thriveonline



Online events from Wandsworth Libraries

Log on to access a wide range of events for babies, toddlers and children, including rhymes, songs, stories, author readings and more.

Search for Wandsworth Librarians on Facebook.

All Star Tennis

June 1-6

Half term holiday camps will be held from June 1-6 at:

- Leader's Gardens
- Wandsworth Park
- King George's Park
- Wandsworth Common
- Tooting Common

Visit allstartennis.com



Multi Sports Holiday Camp

June 1-4

AM Sports Academy is delivering a Multi Sports Holiday Camps for children aged 4-12 at:

- Floreat Wandsworth Primary School
- Earlsfield Primary School

You may choose whichever venue suits you best and your child does not need to attend either school to participate. Camp Dates for 2020/2021 – updated list coming soon

Visit amsportsacademy.co.uk



Crazy Camps

June 1-4

Activities including sports, lazer tag, Nerf wars and go-carts, depending on venue.

Camps will be held at:

- Tooting Bec Athletics Track
- Ernest Bevin College

Visit crazycamps.co.uk

How to be listed

Send details to:

headstart@wandsworth.gov.uk

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Wandsworth Arts Fringe

25 June – 11 July 2021

WAF is back with a summer of fun for the whole family. Get ready for free family days out, circus, art and music popping up across Wandsworth, live in your neighbourhood and in your living room.

Come along to watch a live show, learn a new skill, or build, topple and scramble through your very own sculpture.

Free family days out

June 25-26: at Wandsworth Park and **July 10-11** at Heathbrook Park: The Great Pebble Dash

June 26: WAF Family Day, Furzedown Recreation Ground

June 27: Open House, London Children's Ballet

June 27: Latin Jam, Black Cab Coffee Co on Riverlight Quay

July 3: Free-Up Festival, Shillington Gardens

July 3-4: Trees at the Woodfield, The Woodfield Pavilion

July 4: Hazelfest, Hazelhurst Estate

July 5-11: Roehampton Community Week, various locations in Roehampton and West Putney

July 10: Hidden Heathbrook, Heathbrook Park

July 10: Happy Streets, Thessaly Road, Nine Elms

July 10: Tooting's Carnival of Trees, The Woodfield Pavilion

WAF Big Top

Don't miss out on visiting this year's extraordinary pop-up venue - a big top circus tent in King George's Park where WAF will host two weeks of amazing live acts, including contemporary circus stars, *Lost In Translation*.

Lost In Translation presents

ABOVE

26 June, 7pm, 27 June, 2pm and 7pm

An enchanting circus fable taking you somewhere between the ground and the sky. Featuring high flying aerial stunts and amazing acrobatics with hilarious knockabout slapstick and juggling.

Circus workshop Join us for a circus workshop brought to you by the talented performers of *Lost in Translation*. Try your hand at a variety of circus skills before performing your new-found talents to family and friends in the WAF Big Top.

wandsworthartsfringe.com

BOOK TICKETS

Book online at: wandsworthartsfringe.com or call: 033 3344 8515
Book three shows in one transaction to get 10% off, or five shows to get 20% off!

ACCESS

For information about access performances or venue accessibility, please go to wandsworthartsfringe.com/access. For any access related question or to request a free carer ticket, please email arts@wandsworth.gov.uk



Headstart readers can get ten per cent off tickets for *Above*. Use the code **HEADSTART10** when you book.

WANDSWORTH ARTS
FRINGE



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Happy Streets Festival returns to Nine Elms

A free one-day festival for families in Nine Elms is planned for Saturday 10 July.

Following the success of the first Happy Streets festival in 2019, this summer's event will bring live music, crafts and activities, pizza making and outdoor theatre.

Running from 12noon to 6pm, the area around Thessaly Road and Ascalon Street, SW8, will come alive with outdoor activities for all ages. The festival will operate within Covid-safe government guidance.

Check full details before coming along at www.nineelmslondon.com/happystreetsfestival

Time to Quit!



With professional help you are 4 times more likely to quit smoking for good.

Find out more about support through your GP, pharmacy and our drop-in clinics contact the FREE Wandsworth Stop Smoking Service

Call the 24 hour freephone on 0800 389 7921
or email: stopsmokingteam@wandsworth.gov.uk
visit: www.wandsworth.gov.uk/stopsmoking



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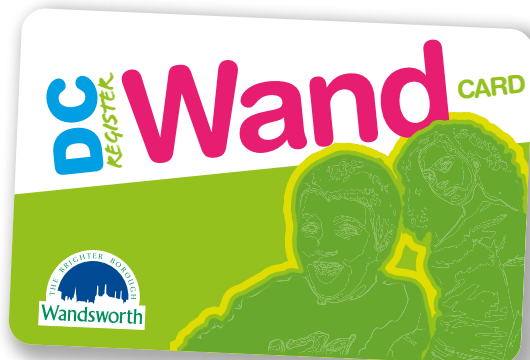
Parents and carers of children with SEND – find out about our Local Offer.

If you care for a child with special educational needs or disabilities, you can get information and links to support on our local offer page.

There's information on there about education, health, events, short breaks and much more.

You can also find out about the Disabled Children's Register and the WAND Card – which you can use to get discounts and free or reduced entry to certain places/activities and free parking in local hospitals and Battersea Park.

Go to wandsworth.gov.uk/localoffer



How do I find out about...

Schools

General information: [wandsworth.gov.uk/schools](https://www.wandsworth.gov.uk/schools)

Admissions: [wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions](https://www.wandsworth.gov.uk/admissions)

Term dates: [wandsworth.gov.uk/termdates](https://www.wandsworth.gov.uk/termdates)

Find a school: [wandsworth.gov.uk/schoolsAtoZ](https://www.wandsworth.gov.uk/schoolsAtoZ)



Recycling

General information: [wandsworth.gov.uk/recycling](https://www.wandsworth.gov.uk/recycling)

What can I recycle?:
[wandsworth.gov.uk/recyclefromhome](https://www.wandsworth.gov.uk/recyclefromhome)



Arts, leisure and culture

Arts: [wandsworth.gov.uk/arts](https://www.wandsworth.gov.uk/arts)

Events: [wandsworth.gov.uk/events](https://www.wandsworth.gov.uk/events)

Libraries: [wandsworth.gov.uk/libraries](https://www.wandsworth.gov.uk/libraries)

Leisure centres and sport: [wandsworth.gov.uk/sport](https://www.wandsworth.gov.uk/sport)

Adult Education: [wandsworthlifelonglearning.co.uk](https://www.wandsworthlifelonglearning.co.uk)



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