

Summer Holiday Activities

Monday 23 July to Wednesday 5 September



- Sessions for 5 to 10 year olds: 10am to 12 noon and 2 to 4pm
- Session for 8 to 12 year olds: 11am to 3pm
- £4 per 2hr session or £7.50 for 4hr session (RBKC residents)
- £5 per 2hr session or £9 for 4hr session (non-residents)
- Spaces are limited; pre-booking and pre-payment are necessary. Sorry, but we cannot give refunds
- Under eights must be accompanied by an adult

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Summer Holiday Activity Programme 2012

Date		Morning Session 10am to 12 noon	Afternoon Session 2 to 4pm
JULY	Mon 23	Amphibian Antics: Learn about frogs, toads and newts and then search for them in the park.	Birds in the Park: Come bird watching and make a birdfeeder to take home. Risk of nut allergy
	Tues 24	Busy Bees: Join us for some bee themed fun and crafts. Make your own beeswax candle.	Plant Magic: Plant a mini summer garden in a personalised pot to take home.
	Wed 25	Animal Homes: Learn about the homes and nests of animals. Build a mouse shelter and make a nest.	Animal Olympics: Test your abilities against animal superstars.
	Thurs 26	Survival Day - 11am to 3pm - For 8 to 12 year olds only Learn outdoor survival skills including shelter building, tracking and whittling. Please bring a packed lunch and come prepared to get muddy!	
	27 July to 12 Aug	Fri 27 July to Fri 12 August OLYMPICS NO ACTIVITIES	
AUGUST	Mon 13	Friend or Foe: Discover the deadly and helpful plants that dwell in the woods.	Survivor: Could you survive in the wild? Test your shelter building skills.
	Tues 14	Dazzling Dragonflies: Search for dragonflies and damselflies and make one to take home.	Nature's Scrapbook: Make a special book of your nature trail around Holland Park.
	Wed 15	Proud Peacocks: Learn all about these colourful birds and make your own peacock inspired piece of craft.	Wriggly Worms: Discover nature's recyclers and make a wormery. Please bring an empty 2 litre bottle.
	Thurs 16	Flying Fish: Make your own Japanese inspired fish streamer to take home and fly.	Wonderful Weaving: Try your hand at weaving using natural objects and recycled materials.
	Fri 17	Play Day at Emslie Horniman's Park 12 noon to 4.30pm Free event - all welcome - Bosworth Road W10	
	Mon 20	Treemendous: Play tree games like hug a tree and leaf bingo. Then create your own leaf crown to wear.	Wild at Art: Release your creative side with our woodland art session.
	Tues 21	Call of the Wild: Learn how different woodland animals communicate through games and craft.	Plant Magic: Plant a mini summer garden in a personalised pot to take home.
	Wed 22	Animal Tracks: Examine animal footprints and make a plaster cast to take home.	Butterflies and Moths: Go in search of these dazzling acrobats and create a colourful model.
	Thurs 23	Museum in a Box: Make a collection of natural objects from the park and a display box for them.	Hungry Hedgehogs: Hunt for food for the hedgehogs in the woods and make a clay model to take home.
	Fri 24	Mission Invertebrate - 11am to 3pm - For 8 to 12 year olds only A challenge to find as many different invertebrates as we can in the park. Please bring a packed lunch.	
	Mon 27	BANK HOLIDAY: NO ACTIVITIES TODAY	
	Tues 28	Pond Dipping: Investigate what weird and wonderful creatures are living in the pond.	Busy Bees: Join us for some bee themed fun and crafts. Make your own beeswax candle.
	Wed 29	Shark Attack: Find out about these fascinating fish and make a crafty shark to take home.	Flower Power: Find out about the many flowers of the park and make a potpourri to take home.
	Thurs 30	Magpie Scavenger Hunt: Discover more about these birds as you search the park for special objects.	Tree Trolls: Get involved in some tree activities and make your own tree-troll or tree-fairy.
	Fri 31	Tooth and Claw: Learn about the predators that hunt in the park through games and craft.	Wild Wall Hanging: Create a wall hanging from natural materials found in the Park
SEPT	Mon 3	Children's Bat Walk - 7.30 to 9pm - All children must be accompanied by an adult Discover and detect these nocturnal acrobatic animals in the park.	
	Tues 4	Snakes and Lizards: Meet our resident reptiles and learn all about them through games and craft.	Survivor: Could you survive in the wild? Test your shelter building skills
	Wed 5	Spot the Ladybird: Discover the world of ladybirds and create your own hotel for them to live in.	As Easy as ABC?: A challenge to find 26 things in the park with each letter of the alphabet.
		Minibeast Safari: Join the hunt for creatures hiding in our woods and meadows!	Enchanted Habitats: Collect natural objects to create a miniature world of your own in a shoebox!

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