

Ecology Service 2013

Summer Holiday Activities

Monday 29 July to Friday 30 August



- 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
- £4.10 per 2hr session or £7.70 for 4hr session (RBKC residents)
- £5.20 per 2hr session or £9.20 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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Ecology Holiday Activity Programme 2013

Date		Morning Session 10am - 12 noon	Afternoon Session 2pm - 4pm
July	Mon 29	Treemendous: Play tree games like hug a tree and leaf bingo. Then create your own leaf crown to wear.	Enchanted Habitats: Collect natural objects to create a miniature world of your own in a shoebox!
	Tues 30	Amphibian Antics: Learn about frogs, toads and newts and then search for them in the park.	Busy Bees: Join us for some bee themed fun and crafts. Make your own beeswax candle.
	Wed 31	Friend or Foe: Discover the deadly and helpful plants that dwell in the woods.	NO ACTIVITIES THIS AFTERNOON
August	Thurs 1	Survival Day 11am to 3pm (For 8 to 12 year olds) Learn outdoor survival skills including shelter building, whittling and orienteering. Please bring a packed lunch.	
	Fri 2	Animal Tracks: Examine animal footprints and learn how to follow tracks.	Spot the Ladybird: Discover the world of these brilliant beetles and make your own ladybird.
	Mon 5	Minibeast Safari: Join the hunt for creatures hiding in our woods and meadows!	Revel in Reptiles: Meet our resident reptiles and learn all about them through games and craft.
	Tues 6	Nature's Scrapbook: Make a special book of your nature trail around Holland Park.	Orienteering: Can you find your way around the wildlife area using a map to find the clues?
	Wed 7	Cunning Camouflage: Find out how animals keep hidden and play some camouflage games.	NO ACTIVITIES THIS AFTERNOON
	Thurs 8	Animal Homes: Learn about the homes and nests of animals. Build a mouse shelter and make a nest.	Survivor: Could you survive in the wild? Test your shelter building skills.
	Fri 9	Full of Beans: Play bean games, find Holland Park's bean plants and create a bean shaker.	Brilliant Butterflies: Go in search of these beautiful acrobats and create colourful models.
	Mon 12	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.
	Tues 13	Pond Life: Investigate the weird and wonderful creatures that live in the wildlife pond.	Wiggly Worms: Discover nature's recyclers and make a wormery. Please bring an empty 2 litre bottle.
	Wed 14	Proud Peacocks: Learn all about these colourful birds and make your own peacock inspired piece of craft.	NO ACTIVITIES THIS AFTERNOON
	Thurs 15	Flower Power: Plant a mini summer garden in a personalised pot to take home.	Grasses and Grazers: Learn to whistle with grass, meet the cows and make a head that grows grass hair.
	Fri 16	Play Day at Emslie Horniman's Park 12 noon to 4.30pm Free event - all welcome - Bosworth Road W10.	
	Mon 19	Wild at Art: Release your creative side with our woodland art session.	Birds in the Park: Come bird watching in the wildlife area and make a clay model.
	Tues 20	Guess Who? 11am to 3pm (For 8 to 12 year olds) Investigate signs that animals leave behind and make a plaster cast. Please bring a packed lunch.	
	Wed 21	Slimy Slugs and Snails: Search the park for snails and slugs. Create your own version out of clay.	NO ACTIVITIES THIS AFTERNOON
	Thurs 22	Flying Fish: Make your own Japanese inspired fish streamer to take home and fly.	Dazzling Dragonflies: Search for dragonflies and damselflies and make some to take home.
	Fri 23	Spy Some Spiders: Explore the world of our eight legged friends. Make some webs for your window.	Mammal Magic: Investigate the mammals that live in the park through games and craft.
	Mon 26	BANK HOLIDAY: NO ACTIVITIES TODAY	
	Tues 27	Mini Bioblitz 11am to 3pm (For 8 to 12 year olds) A challenge to find as many different species as we can in the Wildlife Area. Please bring a packed lunch.	
	Wed 28	NO ACTIVITIES TODAY	
Thurs 29	NO ACTIVITIES TODAY		
Fri 30	Children's Night Safari 7.30-9pm (All children must be accompanied by an adult) Discover the park after dark. Search for the park's nocturnal inhabitants and explore the woods at night.		

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