



## Low Cost/No Cost Family Fun in London



Please look at the organisations' websites to double check times and arrangements

### Vauxhall City Farm

165 Tyers Street, London, SE11 5HS.

- Santa's Grotto on weekends from now until – 21<sup>st</sup> December

<https://vauxhallcityfarm.org/events/christmas-at-the-farm-2024/>

- Christmas Market on 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> December

<https://vauxhallcityfarm.org/events/christmas-market-at-vauxhall-city-farm/>

- Festive Wreath Making Workshop (various dates)

<https://vauxhallcityfarm.org/events/save-the-date-wreath-making-extravaganza-at-vauxhall-city-farm/>

- Pines and Needles Christmas tree Sale now until – 24<sup>th</sup> December

- Children's Craft sessions with Santa's elf

<https://vauxhallcityfarm.org/>

### Christmas Fair

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> December from 11am – 4:00pm

Surrey Docks Farm, South Wharf, Rotherhithe Street, SE16 5ET

Get into the festive spirit at the farm where there'll be carol singing, craft stalls, mulled wine, animal handling, plus wreath making kits and beautiful quality

Christmas trees will also be on sale.

<https://www.surreydocksfarm.org.uk/contact-us/>

### Saturday Sessions: Singing Together - **FREE**

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> December at 1:30pm

The Clore Ballroom, Level 2, Royal Festival Hall

Join in and experience the magic of singing together with Southbank Centre Youth Voices in this Month's fun, hands-on session. Saturday sessions are the perfect place to start the weekend. On a monthly basis, enjoy a piece of art, make something new along with the artists and create with other children and their families – all for free!

Choirs leaders will teach songs to sing together, and the session ends with a performance by the Southbank Centre Youth Voices Choir, so stick around to watch this special performance!

<https://www.southbankcentre.co.uk/whats-on/saturday-sessions-singing-together/>

### Raw Material – Christmas Film Night - **FREE**

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> December 2025, 4:00pm – 6:00pm

2 Robsart Street, SW9 0DJ

Come and join the Raw crew watching the classic Home Alone movie.

What to expect, Snacks and treats, Drinks, Holiday cheer!

Don't miss out on a cozy, festive afternoon with the community!

Bring your friends and join the fun!

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/raw-material-members-christmas-film-afternoon-tickets-1968712735789?aff=oddttdtcreator>

**Santa's Grotto & Festive Fair**  
**Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> December 12noon to 3:30pm**

**Brixton Windmill Centre, 100 Blenheim Gardens, SW2 5DA**

Visit Father Christmas and enjoy a festive atmosphere with Christmas choirs and music.

Café will serve warming mulled wine, hot drinks and snacks. Shops will be open for purchase of windmill related gifts – something unique for family and friends! There will be free crafts activities for children in the Green Hut throughout the afternoon.

Santa's Grotto will be open from 1pm – 3pm to greet children with a small wrapped gift and allow families to capture a festive photo. Tickets are £5 per child.

Get your slot ticket at the welcome desk in Brixton Windmill Centre.

<https://www.brixtonwindmill.org/>

**Creative Encounters: Spice -Blended Stories - **FREE****

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> December 2025 at 6pm**

**The Clore Ballroom, Level 2, Royal Festival Hall**

In this festive, sensory evening, warm up with Winter Warmer Chai, explore the healing properties of spices and create your own blends to take home. Come and explore Chai tea, as artist and researcher Roo Dhisso leads this session sharing the joy of tea-making, and gently reflecting on the deeper layers of what it means to work with ingredients like tea and spice – and the stories, power and history they carry. Walk away nourished, with a full heart, a full cup, and your own jar of spiced blend to keep or gift.

No ticket required. <https://www.southbankcentre.co.uk/whats-on/creative-encounters-spice-blending-stories/>

**Festive Family Theatre – The Elves & the Shoemaker**

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December at 6pm**

**£16 Adults / £12 children & concessions / Free for under 4s**

**Brixton Windmill Centre, 100 Blenheim Gardens, SW2 5DA**

Following recent popular outdoor theatre shows in Windmill Gardens, Dot Collective and Open Bar Theatre combine forces and are back with a festive show inside Brixton Windmill Centre (no need to worry about winter weather!) Come one, come all, adults grab a glass of wine and a mince pie, bring the family and join in to witness the magic of the Elves, sing along and pull a cracker or two – you might even get a festive card or a chance to hold a puppet!

Suitable for all, everyone 4+ / dementia friendly / accessible sensory theatre  
Please note they have limited spaces for buggies & pushchairs – you may need to leave them outside. Ticket purchase will support both Friends of Windmill Gardens and Dot Collective (a Dementia Charity).

<https://www.brixtonwindmill.org/events/elves-and-the-shoemaker/>

**Brixton Chamber Orchestra - FREE**

**Christmas Estates Tour 2025**

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December – Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> December**

They're back with a seasonal setlist packed with something for everyone – From classical and grime to disco, pop, jazz, and of course everyone's festive favourites. The Orchestra is thrilled to be taking Christmas Estates Tour across Lambeth, and this year they will play at Streatham Hill Theatre, a magnificent space first opened in the 1920s as one of London's largest and most revered venues outside of the West End.

Join them as they celebrate the season with music and plenty of Christmas cheer – right on your doorstep!

**Loughborough Estate – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December at 7:00pm**

Loughborough Primary School, Minet Road, SW9 7UA

**Angell Town Estate – Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> December at 3:00pm**

St John the Evangelist Church, 49 Wiltshire Road, SW9 7NE

**Fenwick Estate – Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> December at 7:00pm**

Fenwick Hall, 128 Willington Road, SW9 9ND

**St Matthew's Estate – Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> December at 3:00pm**

Tenants' Hall, 10 St Matthew's Road, SW2 1NH

**Tulse Hill Estate – Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> December at 7:00pm**

Jubilee Hall, SW2 2LY

**Wyvill / Mawbey / Victoria Estates – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December at 2:30pm**

Wheatsheaf Hall, Wheatsheaf Lane, SW8 2UP

**Streatham Hill Theatre – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December at 7:00pm**

110 Streatham Hill, SW2 4RD

**Brandon Estate – Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> December at 3:00pm**

Jack Hobbs Club Hall, Maddock Way, SE17 3NH

**China Walk Estate – Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> December at 7:00pm**

Chandler Hall, 15 Lambeth Walk, SE11 6DU

**Myatts Fields Estates – Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> December at 3:00pm**

Longfield Hall, 50 Knatchbull Road, SE5 9QY

**Stockwell Park Estate – Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> December at 7:00pm**

Longfield Hall, 50 Stockwell Park Estate Community Trust, 21 Aytoun Place SW9 0TE

All events are free entry and no ticket required!

<https://brixchamber.com/gigs/christmastour25>

Light up your festive season with Christmas light-switch-ons and shopping events taking place across the borough.

**Southfields - FREE**

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December, Christmas market from 3pm – 6:30pm.**

**Schools singing on stage at 4:30pm. Lights switch-on at 5pm**

**Southfields**

Mini Christmas market stalls, singing by local schools and Christmas lights switch-on.

**Tooting - FREE**

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> December – 4pm – 8pm (lights switch-on at 4:30pm)**

**Church Lane, Tooting**

Outdoor Christmas market in church grounds, performances from local schools, live music and Christmas tree lights switch-on.

**Bellevue Road- FREE**

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December – 4pm – 5pm (lights switch-on at 4:30pm)**

**Bellevue Road**

Finton School and Trinity Road Chapel singing carol,  
Christmas lights switch-on.

**Furzedown - FREE**

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December 3pm – 5:30pm (lights switch-on at 4pm)**

**Furzedown**

Local schools singing and Christmas lights switch-on.

**Wandsworth - FREE**

**Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> December – Lights switch on at 5pm**

**Southside pizza**

There is no event just lights switch-on.

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