



Low Cost/No Cost Family Fun in London



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

Team Lambeth - 2026 London mini marathon trials

They are inviting young runners to trial for selection to represent **Team Lambeth** at the [2026 London Mini Marathon](#), taking place on **Saturday 25 April 2026**.

This prestigious annual event sees young athletes from 33 London boroughs and across the UK compete in a **2.6km** road race on part of the official marathon route.

Who is eligible? Young people aged **11-17** who Live in Lambeth or attend a Lambeth school

How selection works: Athletes must submit a qualifying time (Parkrun, Power of 10 or track race) by 16 March 2026. Only **6 runners per age category** can be selected, so early submission is encouraged. To enter, email your child's race time along with required details to:

sports@lambeth.gov.uk

https://www.parkrun.org.uk/register/?utm_source=email&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Represent+Lambeth+in+major+sports+competitions+in+London

Windmill Voices Choir - **FREE**

Brixton Windmill, Windmill Gardens, Blenheim Gardens, SW2 5DA

Starting Wednesday, 11th March - 2:30pm

Thanks to funding from Thinc fund they are offering a welcoming and relaxed community choir. There is no need to audition or read music - everyone is welcome along and refreshments (and guaranteed improved happiness) are included.

The choir will be led by local soprano Isolde Roxby.

<https://www.brixtonwindmill.org/events/windmill-voices/>

Celebrate International Women's Day at Canada Water Library - **FREE**

21 Surrey Quays Road, SE16 7AR

Thursday, 12 March from 6pm to 7:30pm

Join Yvonne Battle-Felton for readings from her book *Curdle Creek*, followed by a Q&A and a storytelling open mic session. Yvonne is an award-winning author, editor, podcaster, host and creative producer.

Curdle Creek is her most recent novel and the winner of the Shirley Jackson award for Best Novel.

The event is free, but please book a ticket via the link below.

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/curdle-creek-and-other-stories-with-yvonne-battle-felton-tickets-1983083189202?aff=&utm_content=&utm_medium=email&utm_name=&utm_source=govdelivery&utm_term=

If you'd like to take part in the open mic and talk about what home means to you, email Yvonne ybattlefelton@gmail.com to sign up for a five-minute slot.

Employment & Training Support - **FREE**

Brixton Tate Library, Brixton Oval, SW2 1JQ

Thursdays, 12th, 19th, 26th March & Thursday 2nd April - 1:00pm - 3:30pm

Gain employment, move into education or find voluntary opportunities.

Identifying the skills and experience you have to offer employers. Producing / updating a CV.

Job search. Applying for jobs, writing cover letters and filling in application forms

Interview techniques / volunteering. One to one support

Contact phone: [020 7926 1056](tel:02079261056)

Enquiries email: BrixtonLendingLibrary@lambeth.gov.uk

<https://www.lambeth.gov.uk/events/employment-training-support>

Creative Support Sessions - FREE

Brixton Tate Library, Brixton Oval, SW2 1JQ

Thursday, 12th March, Tuesday, 17th March 10am - 11am

Interactive wriggle and rhyme each Tuesday and Thursday morning. Reading stories aloud and songs and rhymes for children to join in as well as toys to play with and an opportunity to join the library and borrow books.

Contact phone: [020 7926 1056](tel:02079261056)

Enquiries email: BrixtonLendingLibrary@lambeth.gov.uk

<https://www.lambeth.gov.uk/events/under-5s-wriggle-rhyme>

Art4Space After-School Art Club - FREE

Unit 1, 31 Jeffreys Road, SW4 6QU

Thursday, 12th March, 3:30pm - 5:00pm

Free family art workshop. Drop-in - parents/carers stay too - come when you can (max 20) Daisy and Natti will set up a range of art activities for you to explore, make and take home.

A support space to connect and create. Refreshments provided. No need to book!

<https://art4space.co.uk/whats-on/>

Art4Space Creative Ageing - FREE

Unit 1, 31 Jeffreys Road, SW4 6QU

Friday 13th March, 3:30pm - 5:00pm

A warm, creative space for adults 55+, people living with dementia, and their carers, to connect over cake, crafts, and storytelling. Held in their beautiful community arts centre.

Small group of 10. Dementia friendly venue

<https://art4space.co.uk/whats-on/>

Volunteering Saturday - FREE

Preparing for Spring ...

Saturday, 14 March, 10am-2pm

Beaconsfield Gallery Vauxhall, 22 Newport St, SE11 6AY

Bring your family to help tidy up Beaconsfield's urban green lung after winter rains. Mulching, pruning, planting and seeding with top tips from artisan gardeners Urban Oasis.

Families with children 0-9 are welcome to join the Family Volunteering Club between 10-11.30am. This part of the day includes a story and snacks for young families only and is not open to others. Booking essential.

FREE event but please let them know that you are attending:

10.00-11.30 Family Volunteering Club (0-9 accompanied by their grownup)

https://www.familyvolunteeringclub.co.uk/events/refreshing-the-garden-after-the-winter-rain-at-beaconsfield-garden?utm_source=newsletter&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=volunteering_saturday_14_march_11_2pm&utm_term=2026-03-09

11.30-14.00 Everyone else (all ages)

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/volunteering-saturday-tickets-1984677940145?aff=oddtcreator&keep_tld=true&utm_source=newsletter&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=volunteering_saturday_14_march_11_2pm&utm_term=2026-03-09

FREE hot drinks and local flapjacks homemade in Vauxhall for all volunteers!

#Easter Breeze 26, the Easter Holidays SHARP (school holidays active & recreation programme) BootCamp part supported by HAF is now OPEN for registration
Application Closing Date: Sunday, 15 March 2026 at Mid-night
Read more about their Camp at their website: <https://cefi.org.uk/register>

<p>Main Camp Registration Info Click Link below to Access the information https://www.cefi.org.uk/our-sharp-offer</p>	<p>SEND Camp Registration Info Click link below to Access the information https://cefi.org.uk/send-offer</p>
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#Easter Breeze 26 BootCamp @CEFLyncx is open to children/young people aged 7 to 15 years olds and offers volunteering/work experience opportunities for young people aged 16 years and over.

During this Easter holidays, #Easter Breeze BootCamp @CEFLyncx is offering young people a safe space filled with 8 days of pure activities including but not limited to, sports, creative acts, fun learning, food and free play.

Their BootCamp is an inclusive provision where all children/young people can come to take part in a diverse range of sports and recreational activities that are developed with them to keep their functional and social skills alive during the school holidays.

When? Monday, 30th March to Friday, 10th April 2026

Time: 10am to 4pm

Where: (Main Camp)
The Windmill Garden (Park), Blenheim Gardens, Brixton Hill SW2 5DA

(SEND Camp)
Roupell Park Estate Community Centre, 145 Hyperion House, Upper Tulse Hill,
Brixton Hill SW2 1HY

To have a feel of some of the activities they are offering, you can click this link :

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CDtXASipqS4>

They have limited places and the application will close as soon as they reach their intake capacity therefore, you are encourage to apply sooner than later. We are offering places on a strictly, first-come-first-served basis and Lambeth residents will have priority to join the Camp over residents of other Local Authorities.

to community7@CEFI.org.uk
The SHARP Team @CEFLyncx Charity

New drama classes in Brixton – ages 8 – 16, £5 - £8 per session

Karibu Education Centre, 7 Gresham Road, SW9 7PH

A fun, welcoming space to explore imagination, confidence and creativity.

Through games, improvisation and storytelling, young people will:

- Build confidence in speaking and performing
 - Create and share their own stories
 - Work together as an ensemble
- Explore exciting texts from modern plays and film
 - Discover just how much they're capable of
 - Have fun!

Led by professional actors based in South London.

Register in person at the centre. A parent or guardian must complete a consent form.

For more information, speak to the Karibu team at reception.

Telephone number 020 7733 9423 karibuecentre@gmail.com

Registration NOW OPEN – Easter Holidays – Routes - FREE

Omnibus Theatre – 1 Clapham Common Northside, SW4 0QW

WEEK 1: Monday 30th March – Friday 3rd April

WEEK 2: Monday 6th April – Friday 10th April

Routes is Omnibus Theatre's flagship participation programme, aimed at children aged 7-11 who qualify for Pupil Premium/benefits-related Free School Meals, or who are otherwise identified by our partners as being a likely beneficiary of the club. Alongside receiving breakfast, lunch and healthy snacks, young people work together under the guidance of our facilitators to create a play from their own imaginations which they perform for friends and family at the end of the week in our theatre.

Places will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. The sign-up link is:-

<https://forms.cloud.microsoft/pages/responsepage.aspx?id=VXZhlFBr2Ei5cGEk2ELFJaOnxFS4xMtHlonw-usx6MFUNUY4NE5BUUNERk5aVVk1UzdOOQlpNSVpIQS4u&route=shorturl>

0207 622 4105 omnibus-clapham.org learningandparticipation@omnibus-clapham.org

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