

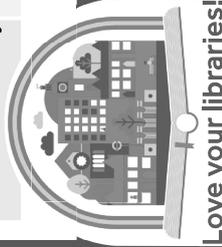
Wood Green Library closed for essential works

Where to find us

- Alexandra Park Library - Alexandra Park Road, London N22 7UJ
- Coombes Croft Library - Tottenham High Road, London N17 8AG
- Highgate Library - Shepherds Hill, London N6 5QJ
- Hornsey Library - Haringey Park, London N8 9JA
- Marcus Garvey Library - 1 Philip Lane, London N15 4JA
- Muswell Hill Library - Queens Avenue, London N10 3PE
- St Ann's Library - Cissbury Road, London N15 5PU
- Stroud Green & Haringay Library - Quernmore Road, London N4 4QR
- Wood Green Library - High Road, London N22 6XD

Opening Hours

Library	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Alexandra Park Library	9:30am–6:00pm	Closed	9:30am–6:00pm	Closed	Closed		
Coombes Croft Library	9:30am–6:00pm						
Highgate Library	9:30am–6:00pm	Closed	Closed	9:30am–6:00pm	Closed		
Hornsey Library	10:00am–6:00pm	10:00am–7:00pm	10:00am–6:00pm				
Marcus Garvey Library	9:00am–6:00pm	9:00am–6:00pm	10:00am–6:00pm	9:00am–7:00pm	9:00am–6:00pm	10:00am–5:00pm	12:00pm–4:00pm
Muswell Hill Library	9:30am–6:00pm		Closed	Closed	9:30am–6:00pm		
St Ann's Library	9:30am–6:00pm	Closed	9:30am–6:00pm				
Stroud Green & Haringay Library	Closed		9:30am–6:00pm	Closed	9:30am–6:00pm		
Wood Green Library	9:00am–6:00pm	9:00am–6:00pm	10:00am–7:00pm	9:00am–6:00pm	9:00am–6:00pm		



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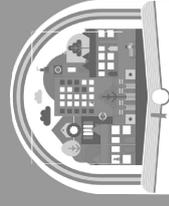
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Councillor/MP Surgeries

There is so much to see and do at Haringey Libraries - your local library is bursting with brilliant books and engaging activities to cultivate growth and well being for all.

Find out more and keep up to date at libraries.haringey.gov.uk where you can join online, search the catalogue, renew items, check out our activities and discover an amazing collection of online resources that are free to library members.

If you have problems getting to a Library, then the Home Library Service is for you. We can deliver a wide range of library materials to your home once a month. Contact HL.S@haringey.gov.uk to join

We have a wide range of rooms for hire, from hall and art galleries to small rooms for classes, meetings, presentations, seminars or as a space for community and social gatherings.

For further information and cost of hiring, visit libraries.haringey.gov.uk/digital-content/meeting-room-hire

Muswell Hill Library

Name	Ward	Date / Time
Cllr Cathy Brennan cathy.brennan@haringey.gov.uk Tel: 07966 525909	Muswell Hill	Wednesday 15 April (3rd Wednesday / month) 4-6pm
Cllr Dawn Barnes dawn.barnes@haringey.gov.uk Tel: 07976 977713	Fortis Green	Saturday 11 April (2nd Saturday / month) 11-12pm
Cllr Pippa Connor pippa.connor@haringey.gov.uk Tel: 07812 677734	Muswell Hill	Tuesday 14 April (2nd Tuesday / month) 9.30-11am Tuesday 28 April (4th Tuesday / month) 4.30-6pm
Cllr Joy Wallace joy.wallace@haringey.gov.uk Tel: 07815 647853	Fortis Green	Saturday 18 April (3rd Saturday / month) 10-11am
Cllr Mark Blake joy.wallace@haringey.gov.uk Tel: 07815 647853	Fortis Green	Saturday 25 April (4th Saturday / month) 10-11am

Find details of all Councillor surgeries at:

www.minutes.haringey.gov.uk/mgMemberIndex.aspx?bcr=1

Find details of all MP surgeries at:

<https://www.haringey.gov.uk/council-elections/mps-london-assembly-members>

Councillor/MP Surgeries

Marcus Garvey Library

David Lammy MP Surgeries

Surgeries are by appointment only.
Please Telephone 020 7219 0767 or email: mail@davidlammy.co.uk to make an appointment, between 10am -1pm Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Name	Ward	Date / Time
Cllr Sean O'Donovan Sean.Odonovan@haringey.gov.uk Tel: 07980 316787	Tottenham Hale	Saturday 11 April (2nd Saturday / month) 11-12pm
Cllr Felicia Opoku felicia.opoku@haringey.gov.uk Tel: 07812 67717	Tottenham Central	Tuesday 14 April (2nd Tuesday / month) 5.15-6pm
Cllr Isidoros Diakides isidoros.diakides@haringey.gov.uk Tel: 07971 804676	Tottenham Central	Saturday 18 April (3rd Saturday / month) 11.30-12.30pm
Cllr Gordon OR Cllr O'Donovan OR Cllr Rice	Tottenham Hale	Saturday 18 April (3rd Saturday / month) 11-12pm
Cllr Ruth Gordon ruth.gordon@haringey.gov.uk Tel: 07976 974532	Tottenham Hale	Saturday 25 April (4th Saturday / month) 11-12.30pm

St Ann's Library

Name	Ward	Date / Time
Cllr Anna Lawton anna.lawton@haringey.gov.uk Tel: 07974 909000	Hermitage and Gardens	Wednesday 8 April (2nd Wednesday / month) 1-3pm
Cllr Ruairidh Paton ruairidh.paton@haringey.gov.uk Tel: 07814 373419	St Ann's	Saturday 18 April (3rd Saturday / month) 11-1pm

Easter Weekend



During the Easter Weekend, all Haringey Libraries will be closed on the following dates:

Friday 3 April 2026
Saturday 4 April 2026
Sunday 5 April 2026
Monday 6 April 2026

Please remember we have a range of digital publications and resources available through libraries.haringey.gov.uk



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Councillors surgeries provide an opportunity for you to meet your ward councillors and discuss local issues, personal issues and concerns.

Coombes Croft Library

Name	Ward	Date / Time
(Rota) Cllr Ibrahim Ali ibrahim.ali@haringey.gov.uk Cllr Erdal Dogan erdal.dogan@haringey.gov.uk Cllr Sue Jameson sue.jameson@haringey.gov.uk	Bruce Castle	Saturday 11 April (2nd Saturday / month) 10-11am Saturday 18 April (3rd Saturday / month) 10-11am Saturday 25 April (4th Saturday / month) 10-11am
Cllr Ajda Ovat ajda1.ovat@haringey.gov.uk	Northumberland Park	Saturday 11 & 18 (2nd and 3rd Saturday / month) 10-11am

Highgate Library

Name	Ward	Date / Time
Cllr Emery scott.emery@haringey.gov.uk	Highgate	Thursday 9 April (2nd Thursday / month) 10-11am
Cllr da Costa nick.dacosta@haringey.gov.uk Tel: 07976 977325	Highgate	Saturday 18 April (3rd Saturday / month) 11-12pm

Hornsey Library

Name	Ward	Date / Time
Cllr Buxton lester.buxton@haringey.gov.uk Tel: 07817 642626	Crouch End	Saturday 11 April (2nd Saturday / month) 11-12pm
Cllr Johnson cressida.johnson@haringey.gov.uk Tel: 07815 647852	Crouch End	Saturday 11 April (2nd Saturday / month) 11-12pm

Advice & Support Sessions

Sexual health information, advice and guidance

Embrace UK - Free advice and information on sexual health Wednesdays 2-6pm at Marcus Garvey Library

Healthy Living

Haringey Advice Partnership - Do you need information or guidance on health and care services in Haringey?
4th Tuesday of the month 10.00-1pm at Coombes Croft Library

Legal Advice

Spring Solicitors LLP: Community Outreach - We offer free legal information and advice on: Family Law; Housing, Landlord & Tenant Matters; Employment Law; Public & Human Rights; Civil Litigation; Immigration; Personal Injury. Committed to providing clear and straightforward advice, we support individuals in need, particularly those on benefits or low incomes. Email: info@springsolicitor.com
Thursdays 1-3 pm at St Ann's Library

Notices

Friends of Marcus Garvey Library

Help support the group and the library with your ideas, talks, events and make new friends. New members all ages with interest welcome. Contact Jasmin: friendsofmg@gmail.com

Friends of Hornsey Library

Join a group of local residents who volunteer their time and energy to support and promote Hornsey Library and all its services. Contact: friendsofhornseylibrary@gmail.com

Maintenance Work at Hornsey Library

The adults' section of Hornsey Library is partially open after Haringey Council implemented stringent and comprehensive measures for residents to access this area safely and securely.

Back in March, the council announced that the adults' section would remain closed while works continued to address issues around the presence of Reinforced Autoclaved Aerated Concrete (RAAC) in a section of the roof. Other parts of the library do not contain RAAC and are not impacted.

The safety of library users has been – and will always be – the number one priority and it has naturally taken some time to ensure that all the necessary precautions are in place so that no members of the public or library staff are put at risk. These safety measures on-site remain a temporary solution while the council develops comprehensive plans for the removal of RAAC.

Despite the partial re-opening of the adults' section, there remains limited access to PCs at Hornsey Library.

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Until 25 April

Design Your Own Book Cover!

Draw your very own book cover inspired by this year's Biblio-Buzz books! Use your imagination, add colour, and make it your own.

What is Biblio-Buzz?

Biblio-Buzz is a fun reading challenge for children aged 9–12, where you read six shortlisted books and choose your favourite one.

Competition ends Saturday 25th April.

Winner gets a copy of their favourite Biblio-Buzz book!

We can't wait to see your amazing designs!

Ages 8–13

Biblio-Buzz Reviewers Club St Ann's Library

Saturday 25 April 11-12pm

If you've been reading this year's Biblio-Buzz titles, please join us to discuss the books and let our librarians know what you thought!

Refreshments available!

Suitable for ages 9–12



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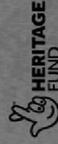
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- 👥 Meet new people and build confidence
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Check Web.Enrol link below at the middle of March for new courses starting in April 2026

How to Apply for a Haringey Learns Course

- 📱 Scan the QR code or visit www.webenrol.com/haringeylearns to register your interest.
- 📅 Once registered, you'll be invited to complete some initial assessments
- 🗨️ You'll also meet with our friendly tutors to discuss the best course options for you.
- 🏠 After this, you'll be guided through the final steps for enrolment.

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Tel: 020 8489 2595/2523



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Helping keep the library at the heart of our community.

We are a group of local residents and library lovers who volunteer our time and energy to support and promote this wonderful Grade II listed building and all its services.

HORNSEY LIBRARY Friends

Find out more:

Ask a Librarian about the Friends Group or email

friendsofhornseylibrary@gmail.com

Find us on @hornseylibraryfriends



Our story so far...

We are independent and work in partnership with the library team.

We are dedicated to ensuring the library remains an essential and thriving community hub for everyone.

We host inspiring events:

We organise popular Author Talks, book launches, and cultural events that bring renowned writers and thinkers right to Crouch End.

Advocacy: We act as a strong, unified voice for the library, highlighting its importance to local government and the wider community.

In the future we plan to:

Enhance Library Spaces: Raise funds for items that enrich the building, such as upgrading equipment, supporting the beautiful Zen Garden, or providing materials for special activities.

+ Support activities for Children and Young People in the Library

I would like to know more about the Friends Group



Name

Email

Please hand this form to a Librarian at Hornsey Library

World Autism Acceptance Month

April is World Autism Acceptance Month, a time dedicated to promoting understanding, inclusion and support for autistic people. The focus has shifted from awareness to genuine acceptance, empowering communities to celebrate neurodiversity. 2026's theme is #CelebrateDifferences, encouraging everyone to recognise the strengths and individuality of autistic people.

This year, Haringey Libraries are working with Care Trade to help to empower our communities.

Care Trade is a UK charity dedicated to supporting autistic and neurodivergent people towards, into, and in sustainable employment. Their core belief is that employment is one of the most powerful factors that can transform the life of an autistic person, improving wellbeing, confidence, and inclusion.

They work with autistic young people and adults across London, providing programmes that build skills, workplace confidence and real employment opportunities. Since 2010, Care Trade has supported over 350 autistic Londoners through their various projects and programmes.

Care Trade Information Stand Wood Green Library

Wednesday 22 April 11-1pm

Care Trade run a range of projects and programmes, which focus on supporting autistic adults to become 'work-ready', to be able to enter employment and to continue to get the support they need throughout their journey.

Drop in to Wood Green Library and speak to a Care Trade Representative to get information about support available

Care Trade Information Stand Wood Green Library

Monday 27 April 12-1pm

Join Care Trade for a one-hour 'Learn at Lunch' session, promoting awareness of Autism, Neurodiversity, Equity, Diversity and inclusion within your organisation.

Topics might include: Intro to autism & neurodiversity; the Equality Act & workplace adjustments; How to be more neuroinclusive; recruitment & onboarding.

Join us for workshops and information sessions

Coffee Morning

Tuesday 11am-1pm

Your space for conversation, laughter, and a moment of rest. It's time for you to take care of your peace, balance, and well-being.

Common Room

every other Thursday

11am - 2pm

A meeting full of creativity, color, and positive energy.

Health Champion Project

periodic health related sessions with partnership with Haringey Public Health



HOPEC is Polish community

organisation offering support, events, workshops, and volunteering opportunities to bring people together, build skills, and strengthen local connections. We also provide digital support with visa applications; e-Visa, Settled status, British citizenship, ILR.

GO ALL IN.

National Year of Reading 2026

Learn to think differently about neurodiversity: Whatever you're into, read it at your local library.



Temporarily at:
Marcus Garvey Library
1 Phillip Lane
London N15 4JA
admin@hopec.org.uk



Adult's Events

Externally booked event

Line Dancing St Ann's Library

Mondays 1-2pm

Line Dancing for all levels - beginners made very welcome. £5 for one class, £7 for two classes, or you can pay £15 for the month if paid in advance (no cards, cash only please)

Why is dance good for you? It reduces stress, brings you joy, keeps your body and mind fit, and reduces the risk of dementia. Dance quite literally grows your brain and makes you smarter!

For further details, please contact Carol via danceuphoric1@gmail.com or call 07831 268053

Shakespeare's Birthday

St Ann's Library

Thursday 23 April 2-3pm

We are inviting you to celebrate the Bard of Avon's birthday! Bring along your favourite sonnet and share it with us.

Externally booked event

Black Arts Production Theatre Drama Classes for Adults

St Ann's Library

Every Saturday 2.30-4.30pm

For ages 17+

Classes charged per term, contact: info@baptheatre.com or call 07903 749 752

Knitting and Crochet

Marcus Garvey Library

Fridays 3-4.30pm

Knitting and Crochet, come along, learn, share your tips and tricks, and bring your needles and wool with you too.

Sashiko Workshop

Highgate Library

Tuesday 7 & 21 April 2-3pm

Step into the world of indigo fabric,

rhythmic stitching, and quiet joy at our

Sashiko Workshop: an immersive

experience inspired by the timeless

Japanese embroidery tradition of Sashiko

Charity Knitting Group

Hornsey Library

Tuesdays 2 to 4pm

Making items for dementia patients, things like twiddlemuffs, shawls, lap blankets and cannula sleeves. These have been donated to hospitals, care homes, etc. All welcome to join - materials provided.

Donations of wool, buttons, ribbons etc appreciated.

Knitting and

Crochet Workshop

Coombes Croft Library

Mondays 1-3pm

An informal drop in to work on any

knitting/crochet projects people have on

the go and chat. Bring your yarn and

needles, beginners welcome!

Knitting Club

Alexandra Park Library

Saturdays 2.30-4pm

Bring your own project - making or mending - to the library for an afternoon drop in session of crafting, chat and coffee!

Together against cancer.

Turning stories into better care.

Have you experienced cancer?

From first symptoms to life after diagnosis—your experience matters.

Join us.

Share your story.

15 April 16:30 - 18:30

✓ Meet others who understand

✓ Free refreshments



Wood Green Library
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Follow-up sessions:

24 April, 16:00-18:00
"When it all began"

7 May, 16:00-18:00

"The journey through treatment"

21 May, 16:00-18:00
"Life after diagnosis"

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Stephen Lawrence Day is observed every year on 22 April, marking the anniversary of Stephen Lawrence's murder in 1993. It is a national day of reflection, education, and action, created to honour Stephen's life and to inspire a fairer, more inclusive society.

Stephen Lawrence Day was established to honour Stephen's life and legacy, acknowledge the major social impact of the case and encourage a more equal society by inspiring people, particularly young people, to challenge injustice and pursue their potential.

BBC Documentary:

Stephen Lawrence Story Hornsey Library

Tuesday 21 April 5.30-6.30pm

Stephen's story is both challenging and inspirational. He was a normal young person who made the most of everyday opportunities. Young people today may not yet have heard the name Stephen Lawrence, but as a positive role model for a life well-lived, Stephen's story is as relevant today as it has ever been.
Suitable for 18+

Members meet once a month to discuss the book they have been reading. To reserve a title, please visit: libraries.haringey.gov.uk/bookshelf or ask at the counter.

Alexandra Park Library

Monday 13 April 1.30-3.15pm.

'The Door' by Magda Szabó
Contact angelainlondon@gmx.com to register interest

Muswell Hill Library

Friday 17 April 11-12pm.

'The Underground Railroad' by Colson Whitehead
To express interest in joining, contact: kady.christou@haringey.gov.uk

Coffee Morning Alexandra Park Library

Tuesdays 10.30-12.30pm

Friendly and informal coffee morning with Supporters of Alexandra Park Library, everyone welcome.

National Tea Day St Ann's Library

Wednesday 22 April 10.30-11.30am

Join us for a brew to celebrate National Tea Day! We will be serving different types of tea for you to try as part of our special tea-tasting morning!

Discover the fascinating history of tea and have a cuppa with us!

Cupper, Colour and Calm Muswell Hill Library

Fridays 10-11am

Come and colour your way to calm. Join us for mandala style colouring and free hot drink and biscuits. This one hour session will give you a chance for some relaxing "me" time.

Externally booked event

Coffee and Computers St Ann's Library

Fridays 2.30-4pm

Free digital training and support to help you get to grips with the online world. Learn to use smartphones, computers and the internet with more confidence. Booking required:

info@coffeecomputers.org / 07999042497
www.coffeecomputers.org

Hornsey Library

Tuesdays 2.30-4pm

Coombes Croft Library

Tuesdays 3.30-5pm

No session 14 & 21 April

Marcus Garvey Library

Wednesdays 2.30-4pm

Stephen Lawrence Day Film - Stephen (2021)

Marcus Garvey Library

Wednesday 22 April 2-4.30pm

To commemorate the memory of Stephen Lawrence we will be screening the 3 part drama, Stephen, following the Lawrences and their quest for justice 18 years after the death of Stephen Lawrence.
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Stephen Lawrence Memorial Display

Marcus Garvey Library
Wednesday 22 April

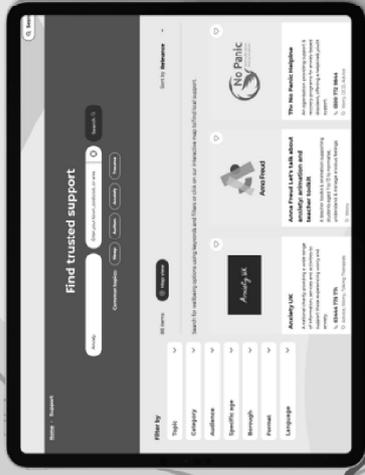
Join us for a day of reflection and learning. Our Library will host a curated display of books alongside posters, linking to online resources and articles to spread awareness of the tragic passing of Stephen Lawrence.



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Parent in Barnet

<https://londonwaitingroom.nhs.uk/>

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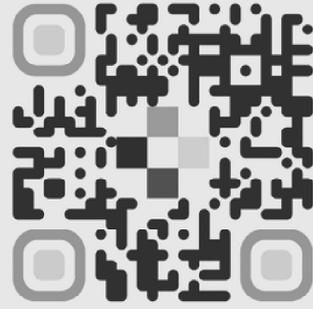
Borrowbox

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Digital Library

It is free to join Haringey Libraries and you only need to join once to use all of the libraries, including our Digital Library!

Below are some of the fantastic online access you will gain as soon as you join - and there's more to explore. Find out at haringey.gov.uk/libraries



World Book Night

World Book Night is an annual celebration of reading that takes place every 23 April across the UK. It's organised by The Reading Agency, a national charity dedicated to improving lives through the power of reading. The day brings people together from all backgrounds to inspire others to read more, enjoy books, and share stories.

This year ties into a wider national campaign encouraging everyone to "Go All In" on reading—engaging with books in ways that match their lifestyle, from audiobooks to bedtime stories or reading a few pages on the bus.

At the heart of World Book Night 2026 are Quick Reads, short books and great stories by bestselling authors, written in an accessible and easy to read style.

World Book Night exists to bring people from all backgrounds together to inspire others to read more. Help us spread the joy of reading during the National Year of Reading by going all in this World Book Night!

World Book Night Coffee Morning St Ann's Library

Thursday 23 April 11-12pm

Come and join us for our World Book Night Coffee Morning at St Ann's Library. We will be giving out this year's Quick Reads, chosen for World Book Night 2026.

Return to the library on 28 May for a special book club to discuss the Quick Reads!



National
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2026

Whatever you read, however you read, whenever you read: Whatever you're into, read it at your local library.



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Every library in Haringey has a public piano for practise, learning or teaching!

It is now even easier to book piano time: just log on to the libraries website with your library card!

Go to:

[haringey.events.mylibrary.digital/browse-resources](https://www.haringey.gov.uk/mylibrary.digital/browse-resources)

Logic in Libraries

Free access to premium music production tools on high-specification iMacs: Logic in Libraries by Haringey Music Service is currently available at [Coombes Croft Library](#), [Marcus Garvey Library](#) and [St Ann's Library](#), allowing free access to industry-standard music production software.

Use link above to book. You will need a USB drive to transport your work.



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Family Events



GCSE English Workshop

Highgate Library
Tuesdays 4-5pm

GCSE English Workshop for students looking to improve their skills, boost confidence and refine exam technique. Learn how to analyse unseen texts, structure coherent answers and write with clarity.

Externally booked event

Kumon Muswell Hill

Alexandra Park Library

Mondays 4-6pm and

Thursdays 3.30-5.30pm and

Saturdays 10.15-12.30pm

Classes to help children improve their numeracy and literacy. Visit

www.kumon.co.uk/muswell-hill

Piano Academia

Coombes Croft Library

Mondays & Wednesdays 3.30-5.30pm

Academia- the workshops will consist of piano tuition with assessment working towards music exams in a Montessori environment. The workshops will also consist of drawing. Book in-person at the Library. Suitable for ages 6+

- **Mondays 4.00pm to 4.30pm**

Children's book group : sharing stories, songs, free style drawing and colouring in.

- **Wednesdays 4.00pm to 4.30pm**

Children's book group : sharing stories, reading aloud, poetry recitals, songs, free style drawing and colouring in.

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Email: alessandra@reachandconnect.net

Mobile: 07485393587



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Venue: The Health Suite, First floor, Wood Green Library

Dates: Every Thursday from 27th February 2025 - time: 2-3.30pm

Come along to practice your conversation skills and meet some friendly faces!

Happy healthy lives for over 50s

Family Events

Chess Club

Hornsey Library

Thursdays 3.30-6pm

Thursday afternoons at Hornsey Library welcome beginners and experts alike to Chess Club.

Friendly and fun, bring your own board and play in a relaxed environment with other fans of the great game.

TTRPG Club

Wood Green Library

Wednesday 29 April 5-6.30pm

A tabletop role-playing game (TTRPG) is a shared storytelling experience played around a table, where players each control a character in the story. The story evolves through player choices, improvisation, and game mechanics.

Whether you've never played TTRPGs before, or you've been playing for years, join us and have fun crafting your story! Suitable for ages 10+

Free, safe and anonymous mental health support.

Your local NHS is providing free counselling, group support and self-help tools for young people through [kooth.com](https://www.kooth.com). It's completely anonymous and you can sign up without any referral.



NHS
Providing NHS services

Chess Club

Marcus Garvey Library

Tuesdays 3.30-5pm

Chess Boards available on request. Under 16 years need to be accompanied by a supervising adult.

Externally booked event

Black Arts Production Theatre

Saturday Drama Classes

St Ann's Library

**Every Saturday (Term Time Only)
11-2pm**

For 8 to 16 year olds

Classes charged per term, contact:
info@baptheatre.com or call
07958 946 273

Children's Events

Bookmarks Crafts

Hornsey Library

**Tuesday 21 & Thursday 23 April
3.30-4.30pm**

April marks the birthday of two famous writers.

21 April – Charlotte Brontë

Charlotte Brontë wrote the famous book 'Jane Eyre' in 1847. Her novels and poems are still popular nearly 200 years later.

23 April – William Shakespeare

We don't know William Shakespeare's exact birthday, it is most commonly thought to be 23 April 1564.

Join us and have fun making bookmarks to celebrate the lives of these important writers.

Earth Day Craft

Muswell Hill Library

Tuesday 21 April 3.45-4.45pm

Our planet is an amazing place, but it needs our help to thrive! That's why each year on 22 April, more than a billion people celebrate Earth Day to protect the planet from things like pollution and deforestation. By taking part in activities like picking up litter and planting trees, we're making our world a happier, healthier place to live. Come along to Muswell Hill Library and make our Earth Day craft. Have fun colouring, cutting and gluing it all together!

Suitable for ages 3+

Spring is for Bees

Stroud Green & Harringay Library

Monday 27 April 3.30-4.30pm

Spring is one of the busiest times for bees, as bumblebees and solitary bees emerge from their nests to find food.

Honeybees also restock their food supplies, which they have been living off during the winter months, the queen bee will begin to lay eggs and new bee colonies are started. Let's celebrate this fascinating and important insects! Come to Stroud Green to learn fun facts about bees as you also create your own flying Bee.

Suitable for ages 5+

Pet Craft

Muswell Hill Library

Tuesday 28 April 3.45-4.45pm

April is National Pet Month, which aims to promote responsible pet ownership and make people aware of the benefits of owning a pet.

Pets are good company, and walking a dog can help to keep owners fit and healthy! Stroking a pet can keep you calm and relaxed. Pets need love, care and affection, and in return they give their love and their loyalty.

Celebrate National Pet Month with us by choosing a 2D cardboard pet to make and take home. Have fun colouring, cutting, and sticking it together!

Suitable for ages 3+



Chat with a professional

Our friendly team of professionals provide anonymous support through live, online chat. Chat through whatever is on your mind there's nothing too big or small.



Relate to similar situations and connect with others by sharing experiences and gaining valuable self-care tips through our discussion boards.



Read self-help articles

Helpful articles, personal experiences and tips from both the community and our professional team.



Try a wellbeing activity

Set personal goals, write in your journal, or try a wellbeing activity from our mini-activity hub.



We don't need to know who you are.



You don't need any sort of referral.



We're BACP accredited.*



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Professional support from
12pm - 10pm (weekdays) and
6pm - 10pm weekends.
Everything else is 24/7.

*This means we meet all the standards of the British Association of Counselling and Psychotherapists. We're an accredited service, and our practitioners are either BACP accredited or working towards it. **You're in safe hands.**



National
Year of
Reading
2026

Since 1967, on or around Hans Christian Andersen's birthday, 2 April, International Children's Book Day (ICBD) is celebrated to inspire a love of reading and to call attention to children's books. IBBY Cyprus is honoured to be the official sponsor of ICBD 2026, with the inspiring theme: Plant stories and the world will bloom!

Plant the seed of reading with children's nature books:

St George was a Christian martyr who lived during the 3rd century, and the patron saint of England, though he is venerated widely across the world. In the famous tale of St George slaying a dragon, George saves a princess from a dragon in exchange for the people's conversion to Christianity. St George's day is celebrated 23 April.

Read into the history of England:

International Dance Day is a global celebration of dance held every year on 29 April. It shines a spotlight on dance as an art form, a cultural connector, and a universal language.

Whether you want to learn the cultural context, or learn the steps, your local library is here to help:

**Whatever you're into,
Go All In at your local library**

Find out more at: goallin.org.uk

Children's Events

Make a Paper Plate Elmer St Ann's Library

**Saturday 18 April 2-3pm
& Wednesday 22 April 3.30-4.30pm**

Join us at St Ann's Library for a fun and creative crafts session where we will make our own colourful Paper Plate Elmer. Using simple materials like paper plates, tissue paper squares, card and googly eyes, participants will decorate a bright patchwork design and add Elmer's trunk and features. No need to book, everyone is welcome.

Suitable for ages 0-5

Earth Day Mobile Craft Stroud Green & Harringay Library

Monday 20 April 3.30-4.30pm

Earth Day is an annual event dedicated to raising awareness and inspiring action to tackle environmental challenges endangering our planet. This day is also a time to celebrate those who have done a lot to help the environment. Did you know that Earth Day is marked on the calendar by more than billion people annually and you can be part of it! You will be making a mobile with your own ideas on how to help the Earth!

Special Pet Storytime Hornsey Library

Tuesday 14 April 10.30-11am

Come along for this special animal-themed Storytime for children aged 1-5, featuring pet stories and songs.

Leonardo Da Vinci Art Muswell Hill Library

Tuesday 14 April 3.45-4.45pm

World Art Day in 2026 is observed on 15 April. This day celebrates the rich tapestry of human creativity and expression across the world. It is also the birthday of one of the most famous and successful artists who ever lived, Leonardo Da Vinci.

Celebrate this day with us at Muswell Hill Library! Have fun colouring in these old and famous paintings by Leonardo Da Vinci in his style! Get creative!

Suitable for ages 3+



Children's Events

German Reading Group

Hornsey Library

Saturday 11 April 2-2.30pm

Come and join our German reading group for children at Hornsey Library! We'll read German picture books together in a fun and friendly atmosphere – all ages welcome! No registration required – just drop in! This event is run on a voluntary basis by German-speaking parents.

Saturday Craft

Highgate Library

Saturday 11 April 2-3pm

Spring time is here and Highgate library is ready to celebrate with a Flowery Hat, join us and have fun designing your own hat.

Suitable for ages 3-10

Animal Masks Craft

Hornsey Library

Monday 13 April 3.30-4.30pm

Celebrate National Pet Month! April is National Pet Month, a time to raise awareness of responsible pet ownership and to celebrate all the lovely pets that make us smile! Pets keep us company, help us stay active, and make us feel calm and happy.

Join the fun!

Pick a pet mask, decorate your own animal friend and be as creative as you would like.

Suitable for ages 3+

National Pet Month Portrait Craft Stroud Green & Harringay Library

Monday 13 April 3.30-4.30pm

National Pet Month aims to promote responsible pet ownership and make people aware of the benefits of pets for people, and people for pets! It also raises awareness of the role, value, and contribution to society of working companion animals. Celebrate that joy that pets bring to our lives by creating a portrait using recycled materials.

Suitable for ages 5+

Italian Story Time

Hornsey Library

Saturday 11 April 3-3.30pm

Stories and Song in Italian, come and join us, everyone is welcome: 11 April: 9 May: 18 June: 11 July.

Suitable for ages 3+

The Devonshire Hill Nursery & Primary School OPEN DAY VISITS

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MARCH WOOD Forest School

Deutsche Lesestunde für Kinder

Come and join our German reading group for children at Hornsey Library!

We'll read German picture books together in a fun and friendly atmosphere — all ages welcome!



15 November • 13 Decem
10 January • 7 February
7 March • 11 April
(Further dates to be confirmed)

 2:00 pm – 2:30 pm

 Hornsey Library

No registration required – just drop in!
This event is run on a voluntary basis by German-speaking parents.

Children's Events

International Children's Book Day

Hornsey Library

Thursday 2 April 11-3pm

Join us for a special celebration of International Children's Book Day. Come along to share your favourite stories, and enjoy reading together with family and friends. Children are invited to come dressed as their favourite book character

Easter Egg Paper Craft Fun!

Marcus Garvey Library

Thursday 2 April 3.30-4.30pm

Join us for a craft activity, where you can create and decorate your very own colourful eggs to take home.

Suitable for ages 4+

Easter Basket Craft

Coombes Croft Library

Thursday 2 April 3.30-5pm

Fun art and craft projects for children aged 4 to 12. Hop on over for a fun-filled creative adventure. We're inviting all children to join us for a special craft session where we'll be making our very own Easter boxes, perfect for treats, treasures, and springtime surprises. Decorate and build colourful Easter boxes, use stickers, ribbons, and lots of crafty materials. Enjoy a relaxed, friendly space to get creative. Who can join: Children of all ages who love making things with their hands. A chance to get creative, meet new friends, and take home something you made yourself.

Easter Bunny Headband Craft

Hornsey Library

Tuesday 7 April 3.30-4.30pm

Hop into spring with us for a super-fun, hands-on, Easter craft celebration!

We're making adorable Bunny Headbands, come along for creativity, giggles, and plenty of bunny-themed fun!

Titanic Craft

Muswell Hill Library

Tuesday 7 April 3.45-4.45pm

The 114th anniversary of the sinking of the RMS Titanic after it hit an iceberg is 15 April 2026. Come along to Muswell Hill Library and make this cardboard ship in memory of the Titanic. Cut, fold, glue, colour and take home your little ship.

Suitable for ages 3+

Children's Events

Externally booked event



Our parent-present classes introduce the very young to rhymes, songs and signs. Every child taking part has the chance to sing, play a musical instrument, be amazed by the parachute and get lost in a world of bubbles!

Vibrant Music and Movement Classes for Babies and Toddlers.

Alexandra Park Library,
Thursdays 10.30-11am.
Hornsey Library,
Fridays 10.15-10.45am.



Alexandra Park

Library

Hornsey Library



These classes are provided by Movers and Shakers - each class costs £8 and tickets must be purchased in advance via Happy:

Storytime at Easter Muswell Hill Library

Wednesday 1 April 11-11.30am

Easter comes to Storytime this week. Some of our favourite picture-book characters are hunting for eggs and meeting fluffy spring ducklings. Come and join the fun.

You might also get some good ideas about the type of storybooks you want to borrow and read at home.

Suitable for ages 2-5

Hooyo Hub
Marcus Garvey Library
Friday 17 April 10.30-11.30am

Story time lead by mothers from the Somali community.

Hooyo Hub will be a fortnightly event

Make an Easter Card
Coombes Croft Library
Tuesday 31 March 3.30-5pm

Get ready to snip, stick, colour, and create. We're inviting all children to join us for a fun Easter craft session where we'll be making our very own Easter cards, full of springtime colours, cheerful designs, and lots of imagination.

Suitable for ages 4-12

Haringey Libraries Room Bookings

We have a variety of meeting rooms and exhibition spaces for hire at all our libraries, all at competitive prices. A community rate for qualifying non-profit organisations makes it even more affordable!

All rooms are set-up appropriately with chairs and tables. Flip charts and/or a projector may also be added to your booking.

Suitable for face-to-face or virtual meetings, seminars, workshops, birthday parties, exhibits, podcasting, open mic sessions, book launches, and much more...

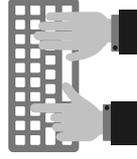
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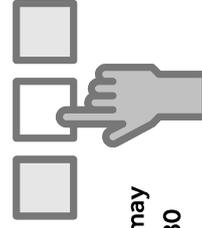
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Complete application online

Your application will be reviewed to ensure the room is suitable for your requirements.

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Select your desired library and room.

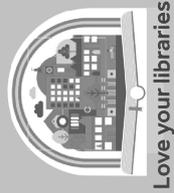
Room bookings may be made up to 180 days in advance.

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Pay online or in your local library



Once your booking is confirmed you will be sent a link to pay online, or take your reference into a library and pay there.



Love your libraries!

Children's Events

Children's Events

Library	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Alexandra Park Library	Storytime 10.30-11am Ages 0-5	Get Creative 10.15-11.15am Ages 4+		Movers and Shakers Music and Movement for 0-3s 10.30-11am Ages 0-3 <small>Paid activity - see page 22</small>		
Coombes Croft Library	Rhythm & Rhyme by Rowland Hill Nursery 10.30-11.30am Ages 0-5					Get Creative 11-4pm Ages 4-12
Highgate Library	Rhyme Time 10.30-11am Term time only Ages 0-5	Storytime 10.30-11am Term time only Ages 0-5				
Hornsey Library	Story & Rhyme Time 10.30-11.15am Ages 0-4	Storytime 10.30-11am Term time only Ages 0-6		Song & Rhyme 10.30-11am Term time only Ages 0-6	Movers and Shakers Music and Movement for 0-3s 10.15-10.45am Ages 0-3 <small>Paid activity - see page 22</small>	
Marcus Garvey Library			Story & Rhyme Time 10.30-11.15am Ages 0-4			
Muswell Hill Library	Stay & Play 10-11am Ages 0-5	Story & Rhyme Time 11-11.30am Ages 0-5	Story Time Rhyme & Play 11-11.30am 2-3pm Ages 2-5 Ages 0-3		Stay & Play 10-11am Ages 0-5	
St Ann's Library	Rhyme Time 10.30-11am Ages 0-5		Stay & Play 11-12pm Ages 0-5	Storytime Stay & Play 10.30-11am 11-12pm Ages 0-5 Ages 0-5	Stay & Play 11-12pm Ages 0-5	Spanish Rhyme Time 2-2.30pm Ages 3+
Stroud Green & Harringay Library	Get Creative 3.30-4.30pm Term Time Only Ages 5+		Rhyme & Play Time 10.15-11.30am Ages 0-6		Storytime 10.30-11am Ages 0-6	
Wood Green Library	Rhyme Time 10.30-11am From 20 April		Get Creative 10.30-11.30am Ages 2+ From 22 April		Storytime 10.30-11am	

Storytimes
Encouraging active listening and participation through stories and songs.

Song & Rhyme
Join the popular sessions of traditional nursery rhymes & songs.

Stay & Play
Drop in session for babies and toddlers to meet new friends!

Get Creative!
Messy fun for little hands - make, stick, colour and paint.