

# What's On in Libraries



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## Story Garden

Adventures in Nature and the Great Outdoors

THE  
**READING**  
AGENCY

**Summer Reading Challenge**

Delivered in partnership with libraries

2025



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# July 2025

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## Love your libraries!

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](https://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.

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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 [HLS@haringey.gov.uk](mailto:HLS@haringey.gov.uk) to join

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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](https://libraries.haringey.gov.uk/digital-content/meeting-room-hire)





# Library of the Month

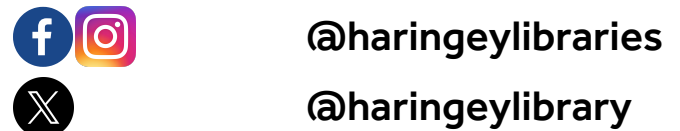


Wood Green Library is the Library of the Month for July: there have been exciting renovations happening to spaces at Wood Green Library! Follow our social media channels to find out all about them and lots of content throughout the month.

Follow Haringey Council social media:



And don't forget to also follow Haringey Libraries:



Library of the Month is our campaign celebrating everything that is great about Haringey's Libraries. Each month we will be looking at a different library, highlighting its unique features and the many wonderful services it provides to the local community.

## 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: [friendsofmgl@gmail.com](mailto:friendsofmgl@gmail.com)

### Muswell Hill Library is currently closed for refurbishments

We look forward to welcoming you back in the future!

### 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.

## The Summer Reading Challenge is a free holiday activity for children.

It's all about reading for fun, aiming to improve children's reading skills and confidence. The Challenge launches Saturday 5 July and runs throughout the summer holidays, and all children aged 4-11 are welcome to take part.

Children can read anything they like and collect free rewards for their reading.

This year's Challenge theme, Story Garden, is an enchanting take on nature and the great outdoors. Through reading, children will uncover magical creatures, vibrant plants, and enchanting landscapes brought to life by award-winning illustrator Dapo Adeola. Libraries will be transformed into immersive gardens of adventure where children's imaginations can flourish, supported by free activities and resources.

You can sign up at your local library and take part. A librarian will give you a special collector folder and help you find books to read. You'll collect special stickers and rewards for your reading.



### SRC Activities Coombes Croft Library

**Tuesdays, Wednesdays and  
Saturdays 2-3pm**

Sign up at Coombes Croft Library and join us every Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday for an interesting and fun filled activity relating to the Story Garden theme for this year.

Suitable for ages 8-11



### Art and Craft St Ann's Library

**Saturday 5 July 10.30-12pm**

Make a tree - and decorate it with colourful birds. During August, the craft sessions will be on Wednesday mornings as well.

Fun craft activities for children aged 4 to 12 - instruction given but younger children will need parent's/carer's assistance. Children under 9 should be accompanied by a parent/carer.







## **Leafy Little Flyers Craft Hornsey Library**

**Monday 7 July 3.30-4.30pm**

Come along for this leaf art project and explore the Summer Reading Challenge theme by using naturally fallen leaves of various shapes to create some charming little birds.

Suitable for ages 4+



## **Animal Origami Hornsey Library**

**Friday 11 July 3.30-4.30pm**

Enjoy staff-assisted origami paper folding for all sorts of outdoors animals. Make your favourite animal and take it home with you!

Suitable for ages 4+



## **Art and Craft St Ann's Library**

**Saturday 12 July 10.30-12pm**

Make a butterfly - paint and fold to create its vibrant patterns. During August, the craft sessions will be on Wednesday mornings as well. Fun craft activities for children aged 4 to 12 - instruction given but younger children will need parent's/carer's assistance. Children under 9 should be accompanied by a parent/carer.



## **Garden Art Craft Hornsey Library**

**Monday 14 July 3.30-4.30pm**

Come and make your own garden art craft at Hornsey Library on Monday 14th July from 3.30pm-4.30pm. Have fun colouring in, sticking it all together, and adding sparkles!

Suitable for ages 4-11

## **Nature Storytime Hornsey Library**

**Tuesday 15 July 10.30-11am**

Join us for our special Nature Storytime!

Suitable for ages 1-5





## **Bean Planting Morning** **Hornsey Library**

**Saturday 19 July 10.30-12.30pm**

Come along for a 'Bean Planting Morning', learn how to plant a bean and help it grow throughout the summer holiday. The child with the best plant will win a prize at the end of the challenge!

Suitable for ages 4+



## **Mini Farmer Landscape** **Hornsey Library**

**Wednesday 23 July 3.30-4.30pm**

This year's Summer Reading Challenge, is all about getting creative. This 3D paper landscape card activity is a fantastic opportunity to dive into this adventure of exploring nature from seeds to plants!

Suitable for ages 5+



## **Art and Craft** **St Ann's Library**

**Saturday 26 July 10.30-12pm**

Make an owl - it'll be a hoot! During August, the craft sessions will be on Wednesday mornings as well. Fun craft activities for children aged 4 to 12 - instruction given but younger children will need parent's/carer's assistance. Children under 9 should be accompanied by a parent/carer.



## **Mini Cacti Collection Craft** **Hornsey Library**

**Wednesday 20 August 3.30-4.30pm**

In this session you will design your very own Cacti Collection. Cacti are fascinating plants that have adapted to survive in dry environments like deserts. They are known for their ability to store water in their stems, and their spines are actually modified leaves. Cacti are also found in a variety of shapes and sizes, and some can even grow to be very tall.

Come to Hornsey Library to discover more about cacti!

Suitable for ages 5+





# Summer Reading Activities at Wood Green Library.

Speak to your friendly local librarian for more information.

## JULY

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SUNDAY (CLOSED)	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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X <sup>27</sup>	Summer Sing Song <sup>28</sup>	X <sup>29</sup>	Are you Board? Games <sup>30</sup>		Learn Your Craft <sup>31</sup>	

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## AUGUST

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SUNDAY (CLOSED)	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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X <sup>3</sup>	Summer Sing Song <sup>4</sup>	M Kart World <sup>5</sup>	Are you Board? Games <sup>6</sup>		Learn Your Craft <sup>8</sup>	X <sup>9</sup>
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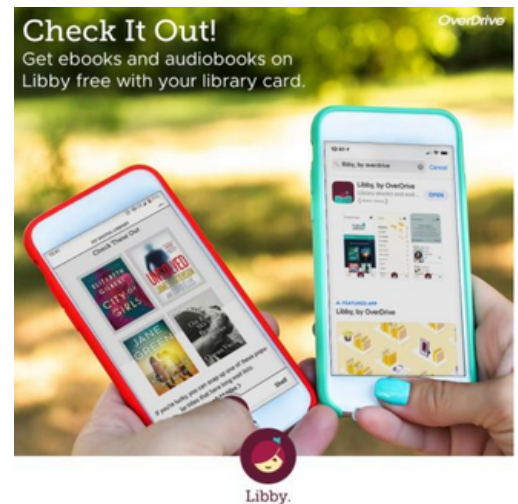
# Digital Library

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](http://haringey.gov.uk/libraries)

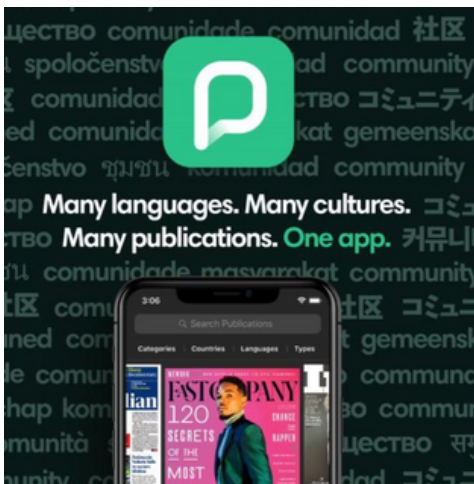
## Overdrive/Libby

Overdrive and its Libby app provide access to thousands of the latest eBooks and eAudiobooks. Works on phones, tablets, computers and e-readers.



## Pressreader

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## Borrowbox

Listen to eAudiobooks on your phone, PC and tablet.





# Returning in August

## A Piano Recital by George Partou: Kaikhosru Shapurji Sorabji

**SORABJI**  
PIANO RECITAL  
BY GEORGE PARTOU

**SAT 16TH AUG 3PM 2025 COOMBES CROFT LIBRARY**  
**SAT 23TH AUG 3PM 2025 MARCUS GARVEY LIBRARY**

**FREE ADMISSION**



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# South Asian Heritage Month

South Asian Heritage Month (SAHM) first took place in 2020 and runs from the 18 July to 17 August each year. SAHM seeks to commemorate, mark and celebrate South Asian cultures, histories, and communities. The month seeks to understand the diverse heritage and cultures that continue to link the UK with South Asia.

The SAHM theme for 2025 is: 'Roots to Routes' ...exploring the rich journey of growth, and the evolving connections we make through generations. Each of us carries a unique story shaped by our roots and the routes travelled to get to where we are. This year, the invitation is to reflect on your journey, whether from ancestral origins to the paths you've taken, or something much more recent, and how these experiences shape your identity today.

Find out more at <https://southasianheritage.org.uk/>

View activities around the borough at [www.haringey.gov.uk/sahm](http://www.haringey.gov.uk/sahm)



## Elephant Craft

### Marcus Garvey Library

**Saturday 19 July 10.30-11.30am**

Come long and make your own Elephant.

Suitable for ages under 10



## Art and Craft

### St Ann's Library

**Saturday 19 July 10.30-12pm**

Make an Indian elephant.

Fun craft activities for children aged 4 to 12 - instruction given but younger children will need parent's/carer's assistance. Children under 9 should be accompanied by a parent/carer.



## Rhymes & Raagas:

### Music and Craft for Babies and Tots

#### St Ann's Library

**Saturday 19 & Tuesday 22 July  
10.30-11.30am**

Come and listen to Monisha performing English nursery rhymes and songs, accompanied by Indian musical instruments. Enhance your child's cognitive development, social skills, sense of rhythm, pitch, counting, colours and more. You're welcome to sing, play, drum, count and dance along! To celebrate South Asian Heritage Month, some songs will be sung in Hindi and there will be an Indian elephant craft at the end of the Saturday session.

0-6 years old

£8 per child / £4 for siblings and concessions.



# South Asian Heritage Month

## South Asia Heritage Activity

**Coombes Croft Library**

**Saturday 19 July 2-4pm**

**Saturday 16 August 2-4pm**

Join in the celebration by making a Rangoli Design.  
Suitable for ages 8-12



## Stand up Cards

**Hornsey Library**

**Monday 28 July 2-3pm**

Choose a country landscape and decorate it to celebrate South Asia culture and history with us.  
Suitable for ages 4+



## Film Screening:

**The Blood of Hussain (1980)**

**Hornsey Library**

**Tuesday 12 August 4.30-6.30pm**

Join us for a screening of Jamil Dehlavi's 1980 Pakistani film, 'The Blood of Hussain': a dramatic depiction of the life of Hussain, with allegorical references to the history of the Prophet Muhammad and his descendants. It is prophesied that Young Hussain will one day lead the impoverished masses to a better life. It is his brother, Hasan, however who gains in prominence and when the government is overthrown in a military coup, he tries to adapt. Hussain in the meanwhile gets married and leads a small band of rebels in an attempt to fight the military dictatorship.

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## Mehndi Hand Craft

**Marcus Garvey Library**

**Saturday 26 July 10.30-11.30am**

Come long and make your own Mehndi Craft

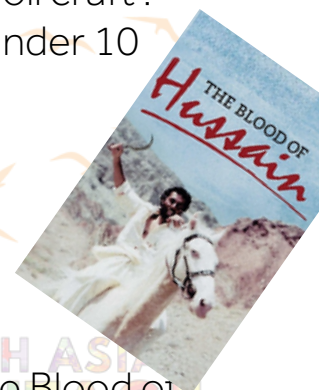
Suitable for ages under 10

## Paper Rangoli Craft

**Marcus Garvey Library**

**Saturday 9 August 10.30-11.30am**

South Asian Heritage Month- its dedicated time to commemorate and celebrate the diverse cultures, histories and South Asia. Come along and make your own torn Rangoli craft .  
Suitable for ages under 10







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# New Piano Bookings in Libraries



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!



Book now! ↗

Go to:

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





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# 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**. It's completely anonymous and you can sign up without any referral.

**kooth**





## 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've met 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.**

# Haringey Libraries Room Bookings



Love your libraries!

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...



## How to book

1



[libraries.haringey.gov.uk](https://libraries.haringey.gov.uk)

2

Select your desired library and room.



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



3

Complete application online



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

4

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.

[www.haringey.gov.uk/libraries](https://www.haringey.gov.uk/libraries)

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# FREE BREASTFEEDING DROP IN



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ROMANIAN, GREEK AND  
ALBANIAN.



















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University Hospital  
NHS Trust

# Children's Events

Library	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
<b>Alexandra Park</b>	 <b>Storytime</b> 10.30-11am Ages 0-5		<b>Get Creative</b> 10.30-11am Ages 4+  <b>Sensory Play</b> 1-2pm Age 0-18mth See page 22
<b>Coombes Croft</b>	<b>Rhythm &amp; Rhyme</b> <b>by Rowland Hill Nursery</b> 10.30-11.30am Ages 0-5 		
<b>Highgate</b>		 <b>Storytime</b> 10.30-11am Term time only Ages 0-5	
<b>Hornsey</b>	<b>Song &amp; Rhyme</b> 10.30-11am Term time only Ages 0-6 	 <b>Storytime</b> 10.30-11am Term time only Ages 0-6	<b>Movers &amp; Shakers</b> 10.45-11.15am  <b>Paid activity</b> - see page 22
<b>Marcus Garvey</b>	 <b>Story &amp; Rhyme Time</b> 10.30-11.15am Ages 0-4 		 <b>Story &amp; Rhyme Time</b> 10.30-11.15am Ages 0-4 
<b>St. Ann's</b>	 <b>Stay &amp; Play</b> 10.30-11.30am Ages 0-5	 <b>Stay &amp; Play</b> 10.30-11.30am Ages 0-5	
<b>Stroud Green &amp; Harringay</b>	 <b>Story &amp; Rhyme Time</b> 11-11.30am Except 28 July <b>Get Creative</b> 2.30-3pm Term time only Ages 1-5 	 <b>Canta Conmigo en Español</b> Rhyme Time in Spanish 11-11.30am Term time only Ages 0-5 	 <b>Song, Rhyme &amp; Play</b> 10.15-11.30am Term time only 0-5 years  <b>Get Creative</b> 3.30-4.30pm Except 30 July, 3-10 years 
<b>Wood Green</b>	<b>Song &amp; Rhyme</b> 10.30-11am Term time only Ages 0-5 	<b>Get Creative</b> 11-11.30am Term time only Ages 0-5 	 <b>Storytime</b> 10.30-11am Term time only Ages 0-5



# Scheduled activities for infants and young children

## Thursday

**Movers & Shakers**  
10.30-11am  
Ages 0-3

**Paid activity**  
- see page 22

## Friday

## Saturday

## 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.

Alexandra Park Library

Coombes Croft Library

Highgate Library

Hornsey Library

Marcus Garvey Library

St. Ann's

Stroud Green & Harringay Library

Wood Green Library

**Get Creative**  
11-12pm  
Ages 4-11



**Get Creative**  
3.30-4.30pm  
Term time only  
Ages 3-10



**Get Creative**  
10.30-12pm  
Ages 4-12



**Stay & Play**  
10.30-11.30am  
Ages 0-5



**Song, Rhyme & Play**  
2-3pm  
Ages 0-3





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# Film Festival

03/07/25  
Thur - 5PM



At a home for retired musicians, the annual concert to celebrate Composer Giuseppe Verdi's birthday is disrupted

10/07/25  
Thur - 5PM



After their father passes away, four grown siblings are forced to return to their childhood home and live under the same roof for a week

17/07/25  
Thurs- 5PM



The Kadam family leaves India for France where they open a restaurant directly across the road from Madame Mallory's Michelin-starred eatery.

24/07/25  
Thurs- 5PM



A retired film star's wedding to her fourth husband brings chaos when their families show up for the festivities

## HERE COMES THE SUN!



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# JANE AUSTEN FILM SEASON

CELEBRATING JANE  
AUSTEN ON SCREEN  
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BIRTH, JOIN US FOR A  
SEASON OF FILMS ADAPTED  
FROM THE WORK OF ONE OF  
OUR MOST CELEBRATED AND  
ENDURING AUTHORS.



EMMA (2020) - MON JUL 21<sup>ST</sup> 12PM / THURS JUL 24<sup>TH</sup> 4PM

MANSFIELD PARK (1999) - MON JUL 28<sup>TH</sup> 12PM / THURS JUL 31<sup>ST</sup> 4PM

PERSUASION (2007) - MON AUG 4<sup>TH</sup> 12PM / THURS AUG 7<sup>TH</sup> 4PM

LOVE & FRIENDSHIP (2016) - MON AUG 11<sup>TH</sup> 12PM / THURS AUG 14<sup>TH</sup> 4PM

CLUELESS (1995) - MON AUG 18<sup>TH</sup> 12PM / THURS AUG 21<sup>ST</sup> 4PM

# Children's Events

Externally  
booked event



Vibrant Music and Movement  
Classes for Babies and Toddlers.

**Alexandra Park Library,  
Thursdays 10.30-11am.**

**Hornsey Library,  
Wednesdays 10.45-11.15am.**



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!

These classes are provided by Movers and Shakers - each class costs £7 and tickets must be purchased in advance via Happity:



Alexandra Park  
Library

Hornsey Library



**Sensory Play  
Alexandra Park Library  
Wednesdays 1-2pm**

Provided by West Children's Centre team. A playtime using sensory toys, and including singing. At the end of the session there will be time for one-on-one advice regarding breastfeeding and introduction to solid foods.

Suitable for ages 0-18 months

**Seaside Storytime  
Hornsey Library  
Tuesday 1 July 10.30-11am**

Come along for this special Seaside Storytime!

Suitable for ages 1-5



**Rhymes & Raagas:  
Music and Craft for Babies and Tots  
St Ann's Library**

**Saturday 19 & Tuesday 22 July 10.30-11.30am**

Come and listen to Monisha performing English nursery rhymes and songs, accompanied by Indian musical instruments. Enhance your child's cognitive development, social skills, sense of rhythm, pitch, counting, colours and more. You're welcome to sing, play, drum, count and dance along! There will also be a simple craft to make after the Saturday session. 0-6 years old

£8 per child / £4 for siblings and concessions.



# Family Events

## Piano Academia

### Coombes Croft Library

**Mondays & Wednesdays 3.30-6.30pm**

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,

• **Mondays 4.00pm to 4.30pm**

Children's book group : sharing stories, songs, free style drawing and colouring in. 6+ age group

• **Wednesdays 4.00pm to 4.30pm**

Children's book group : sharing stories, reading aloud, poetry recitals, songs, free style drawing and colouring in. 6+ age group,

Externally booked event

## Black Arts Production Theatre

### Saturday Drama Classes

#### St Ann's Library

**Every Saturday (Term Time Only)**

**12-2pm**

For 8 to 16 year olds

Classes charged per term, contact:

[info@baptheatre.com](mailto:info@baptheatre.com) or call

07958 946 273



## Teens Book Club

### Coombes Croft Library

**Saturdays 3-4pm**

Join us every Saturday to read and discuss the latest teenage books. Please contact reception for more details.



## Checkmates Chess Club

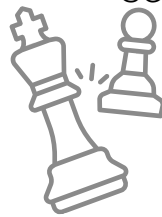
### St Ann's Library

**Mondays 4-5pm Term Time Only**

Learn to play chess with Emma - even if you don't know a rook from a bishop! Experienced players are also welcome.

Maximum of twelve children per session - first come, first served.

Suitable for ages 7-16



## 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

**Thursdays 5-6.30pm**

**Except 4 & 11 July**

Table Top Role-Playing Games

(TTRPGs) are social games of collaborative storytelling.

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+



## Kumon Maths & English

### St Ann's Library

**Mondays & Wednesdays 3.30-5.30pm**

**Saturdays (info only) 9.30-10.30am**

**Term time only**

Classes to help children improve their numeracy and literacy. Ages 4+

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We show regular films throughout the month,  
picked from our wide catalogue of feature length  
films.

**All showings are free!**

# Film Showings

Monday		Thursday		Saturday
		<div>3</div> <b>Wood Green Library:</b> Film Festival <b>Quartet (2012 - "12")</b> 5pm (98min)		<div>5</div>
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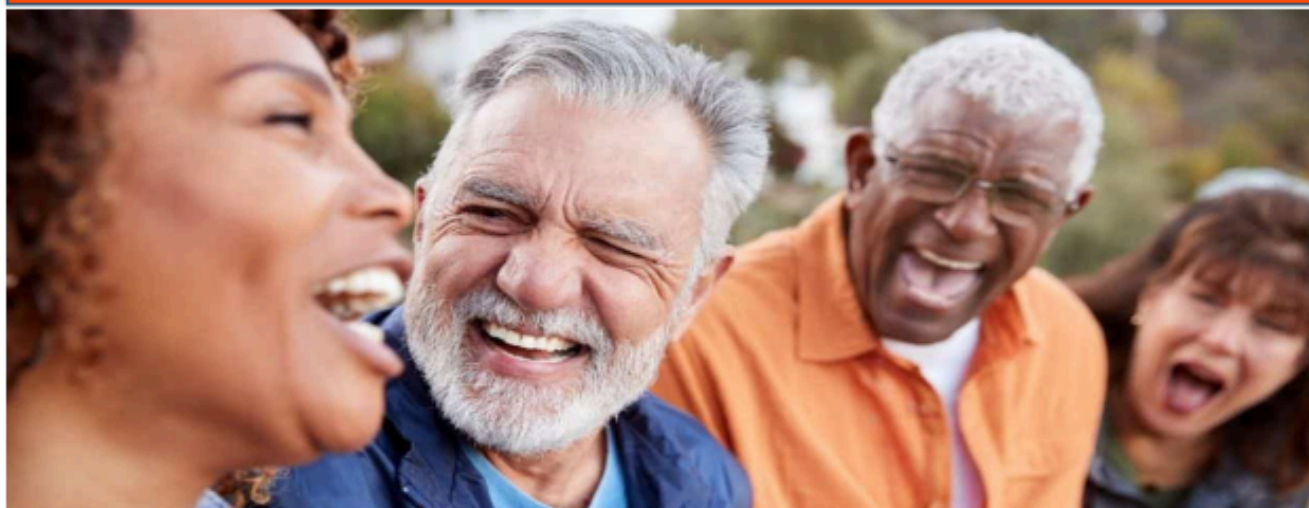
# Are you over 50 and living in Haringey?

Join our FREE all nations over 50s English  
CONVERSATION CAFÉ

Every Thursday from 2-3.30pm

ALL WELCOME!

Please contact Alessandra Santos  
Email: [alessandra@reachandconnect.net](mailto:alessandra@reachandconnect.net)  
Mobile: 07485393587



**Join us at our Coffee and chat launching:**

**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*

# Adult's Events



## **Book Groups**

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

### **Alexandra Park Library**

Wednesday 9 July 2.15-4pm

'One Hundred Years of Solitude'

by Gabriel García Márquez

Contact [angelainlondon@gmx.com](mailto:angelainlondon@gmx.com) to register interest

### **Coombes Croft Library**

Saturday 26 July 3-4.30pm.

'The Book of Disappearance'

by Ibtisam Azem.

### **Marcus Garvey Library**

Monday 28 July 5-6pm

Contact Doris at Marcus Garvey Library for more information.

### **St Ann's Library**

Thursday 24 July 6-7pm

'Persuasion' by Jane Austen

## **Creative Writing Workshop**

### **Coombes Croft Library**

**Mondays 3.30-4.30pm**

Introducing a Creative Writing Workshop for adults every Monday from 3.30pm to 4.30pm. Achieve your writing goals with a friendly creative writing workshop designed for writers of all levels.

## **Shared Reading Groups**

The book group with no preparation required: Shared Reading groups are open to all and free to attend.

A group of people, one of them a trained Reader Leader, reads a great novel, short story or poem aloud. We stop and talk about what we have read. There is no need for group members to read aloud or speak – it's fine to just listen. The idea is to create a space where people feel at ease.

Reading the literature aloud in real-time, means that everyone is involved in a shared, live experience. Group members are encouraged by the Reader Leader to respond personally, sharing feelings, thoughts and memories provoked by the reading.

### **Hornsey Library**

Tuesdays 2.30-4pm

### **Coombes Croft Library**

Tuesdays 3.30-5pm

### **Marcus Garvey Library**

Wednesdays 2.30-4pm





# Adult's Events



Externally  
booked event

## **Line Dancing** **St Ann's Library** **Tuesdays 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](mailto:danceuphoric1@gmail.com) or call 07831 268053

Externally booked event

## **Black Arts Production Theatre** **Drama Classes for Adults** **St Ann's Library** **Every Saturday 2.30-4.30pm**

For ages 16+

Classes charged per term, contact: [info@baptheatre.com](mailto:info@baptheatre.com) or call 07903 749 752



## **Piano Tuition for Adults** **Coombes Croft Library** **Mondays & Wednesdays** **5.30-6.30pm**

Free Piano Tuition for adults. Ages 16+

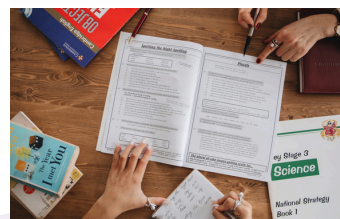
## **Games Club** **St Ann's Library** **Saturdays 1-3pm**

Come and play classic favourites like Monopoly, Scrabble, Rummy (card game) and many more. Snacks and hot/cold drinks included.



## **Coffee Morning** **Alexandra Park Library** **Tuesdays 10.30-12.30pm**

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



## **ESOL & Literacy Support Class** **Coombes Croft Library** **Wednesdays 10.30-12pm**

Join us for support with literacy, grammar, conversation and vocabulary support followed by a meditation session and Arts workshop

# Adult's Events

## **Knitting and Crochet Workshop Coombes Croft Library Mondays 1-3pm**

An informal drop in, just to work on any knitting/crochet projects people have on the go and chat.

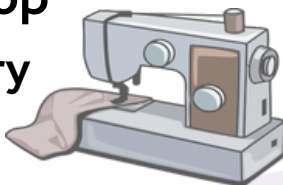


## **Charity Knitting Group Hornsey Library Tuesdays 2 to 4pm**

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.

## **The Sewing Workshop Coombes Croft Library Wednesdays 1-3pm**

Come along to create your project and carry out long overdue repairs. Bring your patterns and materials. Skilled guidance is available to enable you to explore your creativity.



## **Crochet Club St Ann's Library Thursdays 4-5pm**

**Saturday 12 & 26 July 2-3pm**

Suitable for all levels - please bring double knit yarn and a 3.5mm or 4mm crochet hook.

## **Knitting and Crochet Club Marcus Garvey Library Fridays 3-4.30pm**

Please come and join us and bring along your wools & needles.



## **Knitting Club Alexandra Park Library Saturdays 2.30-4pm**

**Except Saturday 5 and 26 July**

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



# Haringey Learns Courses Starting September 2025

## Free Courses at Wood Green Library

Haringey Learns provides a supportive, welcoming environment for adult learners. Our courses, taught by experienced tutors, are designed to help you:

- Gain new skills and explore new career paths
- Achieve new qualifications and build confidence
- Meet new people

### Available courses

- Career in Childcare - An introduction to Early Years Settings
- Level 3 Award for Teaching Adults
- Bookkeeping: How to use 'Quick books'
- Counselling
- ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages)
- Functional English and Maths
- Digital Skills for Work and Everyday Life
- Careers in Schools
- Careers in Health & Social Care
- Digital Skills for Work and Life
- Introduction to Volunteering
- Life skills: Managing Life Transitions
- Stress Awareness

### How and when to apply

The courses will be published on [Haringey Learns Web.Enrol](https://www.haringeylearns.com) some time in July or August. Please check the link and QR Code.

**To apply for the courses scan the QR code opposite or visit [www.webenrol.com/haringeylearns](https://www.webenrol.com/haringeylearns)**

**Changes to the advertised courses** -The course information provided on the flyer is accurate at the time of printing. However, Haringey Learns retains the right to make modifications as necessary throughout the term. If you are enrolled in a course, you will be informed of any relevant changes.





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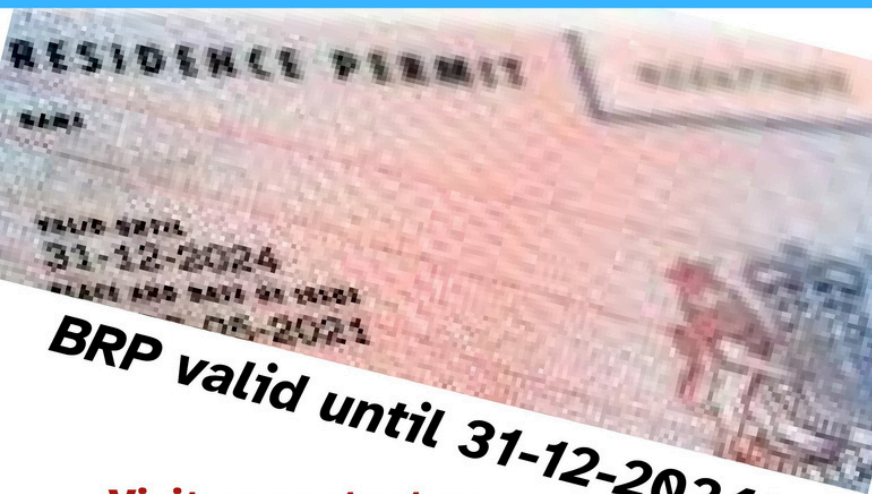
**Every Monday  
11 AM-12:30 PM  
WOOD GREEN LIBRARY  
N22 6XD**



# eVISA

Digital Support Centre

**HoPEC Centre Wood Green**  
**Wood Green Library**  
**N22 6XD**  
**2nd Floor Room 9**



**BRP valid until 31-12-2024?**

**Visit or contact us  
to schedule  
your FREE appointment  
Monday - Friday**

**info@hopec.org.uk**



**www.hopec.org.uk**

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If you did not receive this email directly from the Home Office, it may not be possible to create your account or view your eVisa yet.

Dear Sir/Madam,

We have previously contacted you to take action to create a UKVI account and access your eVisa.

To do this, go to <https://www.gov.uk/get-access-evisa> to get access to your eVisa.

Your biometric residence permit (BRP) will expire on 31 December 2024. To prove your immigration status after this date you will need to replace your BRP with an eVisa, which is free and easy to do. The expiration of your BRP card does not affect your immigration status.

**E-mail from Home Office about  
eVisa & UKVI account?**



## HoPEC



### Join HoPEC Common Room Discover, Connect, Create!

Looking for a joyful space to unwind, express your creativity, and connect with a vibrant community? Join us at HoPEC Common Room, where every session is designed to uplift and inspire you!

#### What We Offer:

- ☀ Creative Workshops: Candle decorating, card-making, and more.
- 🌻 Peer Support: Share experiences and build meaningful friendships.
- ☀ Health & Well-being: Discover valuable tips and access helpful resources.
- 🍵 Refreshments: Savor tea, coffee, and delicious homemade treats.

**Why Join?** Our activities are specially crafted to foster connection, enhance mental well-being, and empower you to thrive in a warm, inclusive environment.

 **When?** Check our Facebook page for upcoming session dates.  **Where?** Wood Green Library, HoPEC Common Room.

**Come and experience a place where creativity blossoms and community thrives!**



# Advice & Support Sessions

## **Sexual health information, advice and guidance**

**Embrace UK** - Free advice and information on sexual health

Monday 1-4pm Wood Green Library

Wednesdays 2-6pm at Marcus Garvey Library

**Wise Thoughts** Wednesdays 2-4pm at Wood Green Library

## **Healthy Living**

**Reed Wellbeing Drop In** - Free advice on healthy living programme

Mondays & Wednesdays 10-1pm at Wood Green Library

**Haringey GP Federation** - Get help to connect to local health services via your mobile phone, laptop or computer. Drop-in for digital assistance with booking online appointments, ordering repeat prescriptions online, using the NHS app, and finding local health services near you.

Wednesdays 10-3pm at Hornsey Library

Fridays 10-1pm at Coombes Croft Library

**Haringey Advice Partnership** - Do you need information or guidance on health and care services in Haringey?

4th Tuesday of the month 9.30-1pm at Coombes Croft Library

## **Legal Advice**

**Free Advice Drop-In** - Free advice on Benefits, Employment, Family, Housing and Business matters.

Tuesdays 10-12pm, except last Tuesday of the month, last Wednesday of the Month 10-12pm at Coombes Croft Library

**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.

For more information, contact us via email at [info@springsolicitor.com](mailto:info@springsolicitor.com)

Thursdays 1-3 pm at St Ann's Library



# Councillor/MP Surgeries

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

## Alexandra Park Library

Name	Ward	Date / Time
<b>Cllr Dawn Barnes</b>	Fortis Green Ward	<b>Saturday 12 July</b> (2nd Saturday / month) <b>11-12pm</b>
<b>Cllr Joy Wallace</b>	Fortis Green Ward	<b>Saturday 19 July</b> (3rd Saturday / month) <b>9-10am</b>
<b>Cllr Mark Blake</b>	Fortis Green Ward	<b>Saturday 26 July</b> (4th Saturday / month) <b>9-10am</b>

## Coombes Croft Library

Cllrs from Bruce Grove and  
Northumberland Park wards  
Every Saturday 10-11pm

Bruce Castle: Cllr Ibrahim Ali,  
Cllr Erdal Dogan & Cllr Sue Jameson  
Northumberland Park:  
Cllr Kaushika Amin



## Highgate Library

Name	Ward	Date / Time
<b>Cllr Isilar-Gosling</b>	Highgate	<b>Saturday 5 July</b> (1st Saturday / month) <b>11-12pm</b>
<b>Cllr Emery</b>	Highgate	<b>Tuesday 8 July</b> (2nd Tuesday / month) <b>10-11am</b>
<b>Cllr Da Costa</b>	Highgate	<b>Saturday 19 July</b> (3rd Saturday / month) <b>11-12pm</b>

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## Hornsey Library

Name	Ward	Date / Time
<b>Cllr Crawley-Harrison</b>	Crouch End	<b>Saturday 5 July</b> (1st Saturday / month) <b>10.30-11.30am</b>
<b>Cllr Buxton</b>	Crouch End	<b>Saturday 12 July</b> (2nd Saturday / month) <b>11-12pm</b>
<b>Cllr Johnson</b>	Crouch End	<b>Saturday 12 July</b> (2nd Saturday / month) <b>11-12pm</b>

## St Ann's Library

Name	Ward	Date / Time
<b>Cllr Ruairidh Paton</b> <a href="mailto:Ruairidh.Paton@haringey.gov.uk">Ruairidh.Paton@haringey.gov.uk</a> Tel: 07814373419	St Ann's	<b>Saturday 19 July</b> (3rd Saturday / month) <b>11-1pm</b>
<b>Cllrs Mike Hakata</b> <a href="mailto:mike.hakata@haringey.gov.uk">mike.hakata@haringey.gov.uk</a> Tel: 07976 974321 <b>Cllr Anna Lawton</b> <a href="mailto:anna.lawton@haringey.gov.uk">anna.lawton@haringey.gov.uk</a>	Hermitage and Gardens	<b>Wednesday 9 July</b> (2nd Wednesday / month) <b>1-3pm</b>





# 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](mailto:mail@davidlammy.co.uk) to make an appointment, between 10am - 1pm Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Name	Ward	Date / Time
<b>Cllr Reg Rice</b> <a href="mailto:reg.rice@haringey.gov.uk">reg.rice@haringey.gov.uk</a> Tel: 07854 002 078	Tottenham Hale	<b>Saturday 5 July</b> (1st Saturday / month) <b>11-12.30pm</b>
<b>Cllr Matt White</b> <a href="mailto:matthew.white@haringey.gov.uk">matthew.white@haringey.gov.uk</a> Tel: 07976 975 500	Tottenham Central	<b>Saturday 5 July</b> (1st Saturday / month) <b>11-12pm</b>
<b>Cllr Felicia Opoku</b> <a href="mailto:felicia.opoku@haringey.gov.uk">felicia.opoku@haringey.gov.uk</a> Tel: 07812 677717	Tottenham Central	<b>Tuesday 8 July</b> (2nd Tuesday / month) <b>6-7pm</b>
<b>Cllr Sean O'Donovan</b> <a href="mailto:Sean.Odonovan@haringey.gov.uk">Sean.Odonovan@haringey.gov.uk</a> Tel: 07980 316 787	Tottenham Hale	<b>Saturday 12 July</b> (2nd Saturday / month) <b>11-12pm</b>
<b>Cllr Isidoros Diakides</b> <a href="mailto:isidoros.diakides@haringey.gov.uk">isidoros.diakides@haringey.gov.uk</a> Tel: 07971 804 676	Tottenham Central	<b>Saturday 19 July</b> (3rd Saturday / month) <b>11.30-12.30pm</b>
<b>Cllr Gordon</b> <b>OR Cllr O'Donovan</b> <b>OR Cllr Rice</b>	Tottenham Hale	<b>Saturday 19 July</b> (3rd Saturday / month) <b>11-12pm</b>
<b>Cllr Ruth Gordon</b> <a href="mailto:ruth.gordon@haringey.gov.uk">ruth.gordon@haringey.gov.uk</a> Tel: 07976 974532	Tottenham Hale	<b>Saturday 26 July</b> (4th Saturday / month) <b>11-12.30pm</b>

## Wood Green Library

Name	Ward	Date / Time
<b>Cllr Emine Ibrahim</b> <a href="mailto:emine.ibrahim@haringey.gov.uk">emine.ibrahim@haringey.gov.uk</a> Tel: 07812 677 724	Noel Park	<b>Saturday 5 July</b> (1st Saturday / month) <b>10.30-11.30am</b>
<b>Cllr Khaled Moyeed</b> <a href="mailto:khaled.moyeed@haringey.gov.uk">khaled.moyeed@haringey.gov.uk</a> Tel: 07976 973 851	Noel Park	<b>Saturday 12 July</b> (2nd Saturday / month) <b>10.30-11.30am</b>
<b>Cllr Peray Ahmet</b> <a href="mailto:peray.ahmet@haringey.gov.uk">peray.ahmet@haringey.gov.uk</a>	Noel Park	<b>Saturday 19 July</b> (3rd Saturday / month) <b>10.30-11.30am</b>

# Muswell Hill Library closed for major refurbishment

## 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

Hornsey, Marcus Garvey and Wood Green Libraries

- Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9am to 7pm
- Wednesday 10am to 7pm
- Saturday 9am to 5pm
- Sunday 12 noon to 4pm (Wood Green Library closed)

Alexandra Park, Coombes Croft, Highgate,

Muswell Hill, St Ann's, and Stroud Green & Haringay Libraries

- Monday 9-7pm (Alexandra Park Library closes at 1pm)
- Tuesday 9-7pm (Alexandra Park Library, St Ann's and Stroud Green & Haringay Libraries close at 1pm)
- Wednesday 10-7pm (Highgate Library closed)
- Thursday 9-7pm (Highgate Library closes at 1pm, Coombes Croft and Stroud Green & Haringay Libraries closed)
- Friday 9-7pm (St Ann's Library closed, Coombes Croft Library closes at 1pm)
- Saturday 9-5pm (Alexandra Park, Highgate or Stroud Green & Haringay Libraries will be closed on a rotational basis. These libraries will also be closed 1-2pm)
- Sunday Closed



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