

HILLINGDON CULTURE AND HERITAGE

SUMMER 2023



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THEATRE AND MUSIC

FESTIVALS

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FAMILY ACTIVITIES

AND LOTS MORE...



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WED 12 – SUN 16 APRIL

dk productions & Hillingdon Council
present

EASTER
PANTO
RETURNS!

THE WONDERFUL WIZARD OF OZ



COMPASS THEATRE

GLEBE AVENUE, ICKENHAM, UB10 8PD

BOX OFFICE: 01895 250615

www.hillingdontheatres.uk

No booking fees



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THE WONDERFUL WIZARD OF OZ

Pantomime returns to Compass Theatre in the Easter holidays.

Young Dorothy finds herself whisked somewhere over the rainbow to the magical Munchkin Land by a Kansas cyclone. Follow her journey along the yellow brick road with the Tin Man, the Cowardly Lion and Scarecrow.

Expect all the usual panto jokes, songs and audience participation in this timeless tale.

**MEET THE CAST OPPORTUNITY
AFTER EVERY SHOW!**

SHOW TIMES AND TICKET PRICES

Adults £17 / Under 16s £14 / Family of 4* £56 / Groups of 10+ £14

*2 adults and 2 under 16s or 1 adult and 3 under 16s.

Wed 12 April	12:30pm	4pm
Thurs 13 April	12:30pm	4pm
Fri 14 April	12:30pm	4pm
Sat 15 April	12:30pm	4pm
Sun 16 April	12:30pm	4pm



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CHILDREN AND FAMILY

UXBRIDGE LIBRARY, LEVEL 6

STEAM TRAIN MAKING FAMILY WORKSHOP

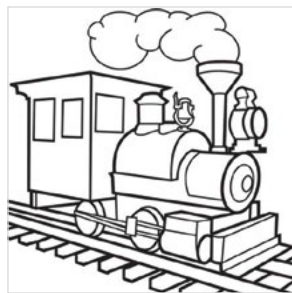
Monday 3 April, 2pm to 4pm

Create your very own steam train.

Suitable for families with children aged four years and above.

Cost: Free, but booking is essential.

Book: @ archives@hillingdon.gov.uk



CRANFORD PARK

STICKFEST! A FAMILY NATURE EVENT

Thursday 6 April, 10am to 4pm

The humble stick as you've never seen it before! Join us for stick games, stick craft and stick adventure.

Suitable for families with children aged three years and above.

Cost: Free, but booking is essential.

Book: @ archives@hillingdon.gov.uk



CRANFORD PARK

THE GRAND CRANFORD PARK EGG HUNT

Wednesday 12 April, midday to 2pm

Are you ready for a hunt like no other? Hundreds of eggs have appeared all over Cranford Park and we need your help to track them down. How many will you find? Be warned though, once they are gone, they're gone!

Suitable for families with children aged three years and above.

Cost: Free but booking is essential.

Book: @ archives@hillingdon.gov.uk



WINSTON CHURCHILL THEATRE

GREASE SCHOOL EDITION

Friday 5 and Saturday 6 May, 7.30pm and
Sunday 7 May, 3pm

Everyone's favourite musical has been adapted for younger performers and audiences, but retains the spirit and songs that make the show a firm favourite. Featuring *Grease*, *Summer Nights*, *Greased Lightnin'*, and of course *You're The One That I Want*, this family-friendly show will get feet tapping and hands jiving!

Cost: £15 plus £1.50 booking fee per ticket / Concessions (under-16s and over-60s) £13 plus £1.50 booking fee per ticket

Book: 📞 www.ensemblejuniortheatre.co.uk 📞 01895 737374



UXBRIDGE LIBRARY, LEVEL 6

1980S T-SHIRTS

Wednesday 31 May, 10am to 1pm

Make your own spectacular t-shirt with a 1980s theme, led by artist Olivia Davies.

Suitable for families.

Cost: Free but booking is essential.

Book: @ archives@hillingdon.gov.uk



MANOR FARM

BEASTLY TALES FROM THE CASTLE

Thursday 1 June, 10am to midday and 2pm to 4pm

Join Edinburgh Comedy Award nominated storyteller, The Story Beast (aka John Henry Falle from BBC's *Ghosts* and Sky's *SoBeano*) for medieval mischief and trickster tales about Reynard The Fox as he pranks his way through the animal kingdom. Recommended for families with children aged six and above.

Cost: Free but booking is essential.

Book: @ archives@hillingdon.gov.uk



7 DECEMBER 2023 – 6 JANUARY 2024

DK PRODUCTIONS & HILLINGDON COUNCIL PRESENT

Dick Whittington

TICKET PRICES AND SHOW TIMES

OFF PEAK SHOWS

Adults £19
Under 16s £15
Family of 4* £60
Groups of 10+ £15

* 2 adults and 2 under 16s or
1 adult and 3 under 16s

PEAK SHOWS

Adults £19
Under 16s £15

SCHOOL TIME SHOWS

Schools £10
Adults £19
Under 16s £15
Groups of 10+ £10

Thurs 7 Dec	10:00am	1:00am	Fri 22 Dec	1:30pm	5:00pm
Fri 8 Dec	10:00am	1:00am	Sat 23 Dec	11:30am	3:00pm
Sat 9 Dec		1:30pm	Sun 24 Dec		1:30pm
Sun 10 Dec		1:30pm	Tues 26 Dec		2:30pm
Tues 12 Dec	10:00am	1:00pm	Wed 27 Dec	11:30am	3:00pm
Wed 13 Dec	10:00am	1:00pm	Thurs 28 Dec		1:30pm
Fri 15 Dec		7:30pm	Fri 29 Dec		1:30pm
Sat 16 Dec		1:30pm	Sat 30 Dec		1:30pm
Sun 17 Dec		1:30pm	Sun 31 Dec		12:30pm
Mon 18 Dec	10:00am	1:00pm	Thurs 4 Jan		1:30pm
Tues 19 Dec	10:00am	1:00pm	Fri 5 Jan		1:30pm
Thurs 21 Dec		4:00pm	Sat 6 Jan		1:30pm
		7:30pm			5:00pm

COMPASS THEATRE, ICKENHAM

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WWW.HILLINGDONTHEATRES.UK

NO BOOKING FEES



CRANFORD PARK

WONDERS OF NATURE

Saturday 24 June, 10.30am to 4pm

Meet environmental artist, Tim Pugh, in the glorious woodland of Cranford Park. Create your own special art out of natural materials from around the park.

Cost: Free, no need to book.



BATTLE OF BRITAIN BUNKER

FAMILY ACTIVITIES

Various dates

Enjoy family activities at the Battle of Britain Bunker while exploring the bunker and current exhibitions.

Find out more and book:

 battleofbritainbunker.co.uk



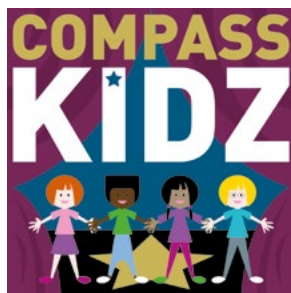
COMPASS THEATRE

COMPASS KIDZ

Saturday mornings, term-time

A fun and safe creative environment in which children aged four to 16 can increase confidence, improve communication skills, develop performing arts disciplines in drama, music and dance with end of term performance opportunities. Classes led by experienced, DBS checked tutors.


Find out more:  www.dk-pro.co.uk/join-in/#compasskidz



STARS AT KNIGHT SCHOOL OF DRAMA

Saturday mornings, term-time

The home of speech and drama in Hillingdon and the perfect way for young people, aged five to 18, to build confidence and make new friends, in one-hour lessons full of challenging games and improvisations – plus optional preparation for Trinity Drama exams with DBS checked and fully trained tutors.

Find out more:  starsatknight-schoolofdrama.co.uk
 07890 061651  020 8866 2067



STAGE TALENT ACADEMY

Various after-school and weekend classes available

Developing children's talent, confidence, educational and social skills with various individual and group weekly classes in piano, ukulele, singing and more.

Find out more:  www.stagetalent.co.uk
 020 3012 0134




PEGASUS DANCE ACADEMY

After school in term-time

Following the Imperial Society of Teachers of Dancing Board (ISTD) in Imperial Classical Ballet, Tap Dance and Modern Theatre, and the Acrobatic Arts Syllabus. The joint principals are fully qualified in all dance genres and acrobatic arts, with a variety of dance training programmes to suit each individual with classes for ages two-and-a-half to 18 years.

Cost: Trial sessions available at £5 per genre

Find out more:  thepegasusdanceacademy1@hotmail.com



THEATRE

COMPASS THEATRE

COMPANY

Wednesday 10 to Saturday 13 May, 7.30pm and
Saturday 13 May, 2.45pm


Pastiche Musical Theatre are thrilled to present Stephen
Sondheim's multi-award winning and ground-breaking
musical, looking at the pros and cons of marriage and
relationships, featuring iconic songs such as *Not Getting
Married*, *You Could Drive a Person Crazy* and *Being Alive*.

Cost: £15 / Over-60s and under-16s £13

Book:  www.hillingdontheatres.uk  01895 250615



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OPEN MIC NIGHTS

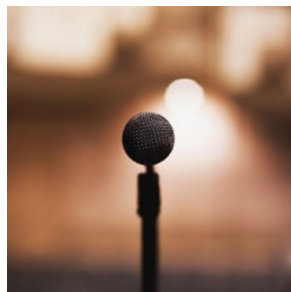
Fridays 12 May, 14 July, 8 September
and 10 November, 7pm to 8pm

Singers, poets, songwriters, spoken word artists, comedians and actors – your five-minute performance segment awaits.

Potential performers can email @ library-events@hillingdon.gov.uk in advance, to participate.

Cost: Free but booking is essential.

Book: 📧 discover.hillingdon.gov.uk/events @ library-events@hillingdon.gov.uk



COMPASS THEATRE

BEDROOM FARCE BY ALAN AYCKBOURN

Wednesday 17 to Saturday 20 May, 7.45pm

Four couples, three bedrooms, two celebrations, one blazing row and an illicit kiss (or two) provide the ingredients for this hilarious comedy presented by **Ruislip Dramatic Society**. Trevor and Susannah's marital problems doom their friends' evenings to disaster as they descend on everyone in turn leaving chaos in their wake! Comical, touching and fast paced, *Bedroom Farce* is one of Ayckbourn's funniest plays.

Cost: £14 / Over-60s £13 (Wednesday and Thursday only)

Book: 📧 www.hillingdontheatres.uk ☎ 01895 250615 📞 01895 632300



COMPASS THEATRE

THE MAGIC FLUTE

Wednesday 24 to Saturday 27 May, 7.30pm and
Saturday 27 and Sunday 28 May, 2.30pm

Be transported for a night to a world of magic and mystery, where love becomes the centre of a battle for power and control. **Harrow Opera** presents the opportunity to be totally spellbound by the passion and vibrancy of Mozart's astonishing music and the twists and turns of a truly incredible story.

Cost: £22 / Over-65s and under-18s £16 / Groups of 8+ £15

Book: 📧 www.hillingdontheatres.uk ☎ 01895 250615



WINSTON CHURCHILL THEATRE

GHOST THE MUSICAL

Thursday 25 to Saturday 27 May, 7.30pm

Based on the hit 1990 film starring Patrick Swayze, Demi Moore and Whoopi Goldberg, *Ghost* is a beautiful retelling of a tragic story. With simply stunning songs from Dave Stewart (Eurythmics) and Glen Ballard (*Jagged Little Pill*, *Thriller*, *Bad*) **Starlight** are thrilled to produce this truly incredible musical.

Cost: £15

Book:  www.starlightytc.com/booking



COMPASS THEATRE

ART BY YASMIN REZA

Wednesday 31 May to Saturday 3 June, 7.45pm

Serge has bought a modern painting for a huge sum of money. Marc hates it and cannot believe his friend could possibly want such a work. Yvan attempts, unsuccessfully, to placate both sides. **Proscenium** presents this dazzling comedy which has won world-wide critical acclaim.

Cost: £15 / Over-60s and students £13 / Groups of 10+ £10 each

Book:  www.hillingdontheatres.uk  01895 250615



WINSTON CHURCHILL THEATRE

MUSIC FROM AMERICA

Saturday 24 June, 7.30pm

Hillingdon Philharmonic Orchestra invites you to a special concert of music by American composers to include favourites by Cole Porter, Copland, Gershwin, Rogers and Hammerstein, Bernstein and Duke Ellington.

Cost: £15 / Concessions (over-60s, students, disabled and unwaged) £12 / Under-16s free

Book:  www.hillingdontheatres.uk  01895 250615  01895 674223



COMPASS THEATRE

COSTUME HIRE

**Wednesdays, 6pm to 8pm and
Saturdays, 10am to 1pm**

The Compass Theatre's volunteer-run wardrobe is found up the spiral stairs from the foyer and features five rooms filled with theatrical costumes and accessories. Items can be hired at reasonable rates at pre-booked appointments on Wednesday evenings and Saturday mornings.

Find out more: www.hillingdontheatres.uk

Book: [@ boxoffice@hgfl.org.uk](mailto:boxoffice@hgfl.org.uk) [01895 250615](tel:01895 250615)



COMPASS THEATRE

COMPASS PUPPET CLUB

Saturdays, 2pm to 4pm

The Compass Puppet Club have been busy making a full cast of puppets with plans to stage a new, puppet version of *Hans, the Witch and the Gobbin*, by Alan Cullen. Now welcoming more volunteers to help puppeteer, voice the characters and make a puppet production. A community arts opportunity for adults and young people aged 14+, or younger with an accompanying adult.

Cost: Free

Book: [@ boxoffice@hgfl.org.uk](mailto:boxoffice@hgfl.org.uk) [01895 250615](tel:01895 250615)



COMPASS THEATRE

BECOME A THEATRE VOLUNTEER

Compass Theatre volunteers offer vital support to the borough's performing arts community in return for experience, broadening skills, a sense of achievement, motivation and meeting people – as well as the chance to see shows for free. Roles include ushers, café bartenders, box office operators, puppeteers and wardrobe assistants.

Register: www.hillingdontheatres.uk

Find out more: [@ boxoffice@hgfl.org.uk](mailto:boxoffice@hgfl.org.uk) [01895 250615](tel:01895 250615)





Celebrating the King's Coronation

Events in Hillingdon




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www.hillingdon.gov.uk/coronation



Ready to celebrate?

All events are free.

Bookings open at  discover.hillingdon.gov.uk/coronation two weeks before the event unless otherwise stated.


**Tuesday 11 to
Wednesday 26 April**

If I were King for a day...

A creative writing competition for children aged seven to 11 years. Write a poem or a story to celebrate the Coronation and drop it in to your local library. Winning entries will be displayed at Uxbridge Library. **Deadline for entries Wednesday 26 April.**

From Monday 17 April

The King's Wardrobe Uxbridge High Street

Follow this virtual reality trail, exploring Uxbridge High Street as you go. You will need a smartphone to take part. **No need to book. Find out more at**  www.hillingdon.gov.uk/coronation

**Monday 24 to
Saturday 29 April**


Create a Coronation Message for our Window Display During opening hours at Hayes End Library

Children and adults can create their personalised best wishes message which will become part of a colourful window display at the library. **Drop in**

The King's Wardrobe

The
**KING'S
WARDROBE**



Bookings open at  discover.hillingdon.gov.uk/coronation
two weeks before the event unless otherwise stated



Friday 28 April

Coronation Coffee Morning

10am to midday at

Charville Library

Coffee morning celebrating the King's Coronation.

Booking essential

Saturday 29 April

Coronation Street Party

10.30am to 4pm at

Botwell Green Library

Join us for a royal-themed street party with various activities throughout the day, including:

- Tiny Tales for the under-fives, 10.30am to 11am
- Crown making for four to 11-year-olds, 11am to midday
- Creative writing workshop for seven to 11-year-olds, midday to 1pm
- Afternoon tea with entertainment and quiz for adults, 2pm to 4pm

Booking essential

Coronation LEGO®

11am to midday at

Ruislip Manor Library

Create a palace out of LEGO®. For children aged five to 11 years.

Booking essential

Make a Crown craft activity

11am to 12.30pm at

Eastcote Library

Coronation crafts for four to seven-year-olds.

Booking essential

Tuesday 2 May

Royal-themed Childminders' Group

10am to 11am at Botwell Green Library

Royal-themed story session and Tovertafel play for childminders and their children.

Drop in

Tiny Tales Royal Storytime

10am to 10.30am at

West Drayton Library

Royal-themed storytime for children aged 18 months to five years.

Booking essential

A Very Regal Tiny Tales with Coronation Colouring Craft

10.30am to 11am at Oak Farm Library

Regal tales and nursery rhymes for children aged 18 months to five years.

Booking essential

Royal-themed Storytime

10.30am to 11.30am at

Hayes End Library

Royal-themed storytime with Coronation crafts for children aged 18 months to five years.

Booking essential

Coronation LEGO®





Tiny Tales and Storytimes

Tiny Tales (Storytime) with a Royal Paper Craft

10.30am to 11.30am at

Northwood Hills Library

Storytime including royal stories, followed by a royalty-themed paper craft for children aged 18 months to five years.

Booking essential

Tiny Tales Royal Storytime

11am to 11.30am at

Ruislip Manor Library

Royal-themed storytime with Coronation crafts for children aged 18 months to five years.

Booking essential

Royal-themed Poetry Workshop

11am to midday at

Botwell Green Library

A poetry workshop for adults.

Booking essential

Tiny Tales Royal-themed Story and Craft

11.30am to midday at Charville Library

Royal-themed storytime with Coronation crafts for children aged 18 months to five years.

Booking essential

Coronation Tea and Quiz

2.30pm to 3.30pm at Ickenham Library

Refreshments and a royal-based quiz.

Drop in

Dementia Group with a Royal Paper Craft

2.30pm to 3.30pm at

Northwood Hills Library

The Dementia Group discuss royal memories and enjoy a royalty-themed paper craft.

Booking essential via

@ northwoodhills-library@hillingsdon.gov.uk or ☎ 01895 556460

Wednesday 3 May

Tiny Tales Royal Storytime

10.15am to 10.45am at

Ickenham Library

Royal-themed Tiny Tales for children aged 18 months to five years.

Booking essential

Royal-themed Storytime

10.30am to 11.30am at

Harefield Library

A royal-themed storytime with Coronation crafts for children aged 18 months to five years.

Drop in

Tiny Tales (Storytime) with a Royal Paper Craft

10.30am to 11am at Northwood Library

Storytime including royal stories, followed by a royalty-themed paper craft for children aged 18 months to five years.

Booking essential



Coronation Coffee Morning

10.30am to 11.30am at

Hayes End Library

A coffee morning celebrating the King's Coronation.

Booking essential

Coronation Coffee Morning

10.30am to midday at

Harlington Library

Coffee morning with a table quiz, celebrating the King's Coronation.

Booking essential via

@ harlington-library@hillington.gov.uk

Celebration of the Coronation with Afternoon Tea

2pm to 4.30pm at Ruislip Manor Library

Come to Ruislip Manor Library to enjoy afternoon tea and view displays created by our library groups related to King Charles III's interests and hobbies.

Drop in

Tiny Tales Royal Storytime

3.40pm to 4.20pm at Harlington Library

Royal-themed storytime with Coronation crafts for children aged 18 months to five years.

Booking essential via

@ harlington-library@hillington.gov.uk



Afternoon teas

Royal Animals Stories and Crafts

3.45pm to 4.45pm at Ickenham Library

Stories and crafts for six to eight-year-olds.

Booking essential

Thursday 4 May

Royal-themed Storytime with Coronation Crafts

10am to 11am and 11am to midday at Uxbridge Library

Royal-themed Storytime and simple craft to celebrate the Coronation. For children aged 18 months to five years.

Booking essential

A Very Regal Tiny Tales with Coronation Colouring Craft

10.30am to 11am at Oak Farm Library

Regal tales and nursery rhymes for children aged 18 months to five years.

Booking essential

Coronation-themed Crafty Hour

10.30am to 11.30am at

Hayes End Library

Royal-themed craft session for adults.

Booking essential

Tiny Tales Royal Storytime

11am to 11.30am at Eastcote Library

Royal-themed storytime for children aged 18 months to five years.

Booking essential

Dementia Friends Afternoon Tea – Royal Memories and Memorabilia

2pm to 3pm at Oak Farm Library

Dementia Friends discuss Coronations past and present, and creating Coronation memorabilia.

Drop in



Make a Crown Fit for a King

4pm to 5pm at Hayes End Library

Design your very own paper crown. For children aged four to seven years and their parents/carers.

Booking essential

Make a Crown Fit for a King and Celebratory Crafts

4pm to 5pm at Uxbridge Library

Coronation crafts for four to seven-year-olds.

Booking essential

Friday 5 May

Street Party with Ruislip Belles and Beaux

10am to midday at Uxbridge Library

Celebrate the Coronation with Ruislip Belles and Beaux handbell ringers at our street party.

Booking essential

Tiny Tunes (Rhymetime)

10.15am to 10.45am at

Ickenham Library

Royal-themed songs and rhymes for babies aged up to 18 months.

Booking essential

Tiny Tunes (Rhymetime)

10.30am to 11am at

Northwood Hills Library

Royal-themed songs and rhymes for babies aged up to 18 months.

Booking essential

Hayes Royal Walk

10.30am to midday. Meet at Botwell Green Library

Exploring Hayes' links to royalty.

Booking essential

Royal Quiz Coffee Morning

10.30am to 12.30pm at

Eastcote Library

Royal-themed quiz with refreshments.

Booking essential via

@ eastcote-library@hillington.gov.uk

Royal Tiny Tales Picnic

11am to 12.30pm at

Manor Farm Library

Picnic outside the library in the grassy courtyard and royal-themed storytime with a craft activity (crown making). For children aged 18 months to five years.

Booking essential

Royal-themed Storytime with Coronation Crafts

2pm to 3pm at Uxbridge Library

Royal-themed storytime with Coronation crafts for children aged 18 months to five years.

Booking essential

Tiny Tunes (Rhymetime)

2.15pm to 2.45pm at

South Ruislip Library

Royal-themed songs and rhymes for babies aged up to 18 months.

Booking essential

The Mayor's Coronation Picnic in the Park



Afternoon Tea and a Royal Quiz

2.15pm to 3.15pm at

West Drayton Library

Quiz and refreshments.

Booking essential

Tiny Tales Royal Storytime

3.15pm to 3.45pm at

South Ruislip Library

Regal tales and nursery rhymes for children aged 18 months to five years.

Booking essential

Coronation LEGO®

3.45pm to 4.30pm at Yeading Library

Create Royal scenes from LEGO®. For children aged five to 11 years.

Booking essential

Sunday 7 May

The Mayor's Coronation

Picnic in the Park

2pm to 4pm at Fasnidge Park

Hillingdon's own free outdoor event will feature a live performance of vintage tunes from singing trio, The Candy Girls. Why not bring along your own picnic, something to sit on and enjoy the fun?

No booking required

Monday 8 May

Norman Conquest Family Day

10am to 4pm at Cranford Park

In celebration of the Coronation of the new King, it's time to go back to where it all began for royalty in England – The Norman Conquest. With games, history displays and more, this event is suitable



Norman Conquest
Family Day

Credit: M Highton

for families with children aged three years and above.

Booking essential via

@ archives@hillingdon.gov.uk

Tuesday 9 May

Dementia Friends - Afternoon Tea

2pm to 3pm at Yeading Library

Royal-themed.

Booking essential via

@ yeading-library@hillingdon.gov.uk

or ☎ 01895 556060

Friday 12 May

Royal Coffee Morning

10.30am to midday at Oak Farm Library

History of Royal Coronations.

Drop in

Saturday 13 May

Coronation Crown

Family Workshop

10am to midday at

Uxbridge Library, Level 6

Join in and decorate a crown to celebrate the King's Coronation.

Booking essential via

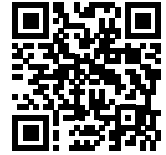
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Event updates

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 www.hillingdon.gov.uk/enews or scan the QR code.



Venues

Botwell Green Library

East Avenue, Hayes, UB3 2HW

Charville Library

Bury Avenue, Hayes, UB4 8LF

Cranford Park

The Parkway, Hounslow, TW5 9RZ

Work has begun on the Cranford Park restoration project and it will continue until spring 2023. During this time, the access road and bridge will be closed and the car park and courtyard area inaccessible. Check  www.hillingdon.gov.uk/cranfordpark for updates.

Eastcote Library

Field End Road, Eastcote, HA5 1RL

Fassnidge Park

Rockingham Parade, Uxbridge, UB8 2UW

Harefield Library

Park Lane, Harefield, UB9 6BJ

Harlington Library

Pinkwell Lane, Hayes, UB3 1PB

Hayes End Library

Uxbridge Road, Hayes End, UB4 8JQ

Ickenham Library

Community Close/Long Lane, Ickenham, UB10 8RE

Manor Farm Library

Manor Farm Site, Bury Street, Ruislip, HA4 7SU

Northwood Library

Oaklands Gate, Northwood, HA6 3AA

Northwood Hills Library

Potter Street, Northwood, HA6 1QQ

Oak Farm Library

Sutton Court Road, Hillingdon, UB10 9PB

Ruislip Manor Library

Linden Avenue, Ruislip Manor, HA4 8TW

South Ruislip Library

Victoria Road, South Ruislip, HA4 0JE

Uxbridge Library

High Street, Uxbridge, UB8 1HD

West Drayton Library

Station Road, West Drayton, UB7 7JS

Yeading Library

Yeading Lane, Hayes, UB4 0EW

Yiewsley Library

High Street, Yiewsley, UB7 7BE

LEISURE

MANOR FARM

COW BYRE GALLERY EXHIBITIONS

Cost: Free entry.

FIELD END PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY

Sunday 7 to Saturday 20 May

OCTAVIA ARTS GROUP

Sunday 21 to Saturday 27 May

HILLINGDON ARTISTS

Sunday 4 to Saturday 10 June

EASTCOTE ART SOCIETY

Sunday 18 to Saturday 24 June

To hire the Cow Byre for your exhibition email [@ artsvenues@hillingdon.gov.uk](mailto:@artsvenues@hillingdon.gov.uk)



MANOR FARM

WILLOW WEAVING

Monday 15 May, 10am to 4pm

Using willow, Gina Martin demonstrates the basic techniques to create your own sculpture. This is a hands-on course for beginners and those at intermediate level. You will go home with your own willow dragonfly, small obelisk, or other creature.

Cost: Free, but booking is essential.

Book: [@ archives@hillingdon.gov.uk](mailto:@archives@hillingdon.gov.uk)



EASTCOTE HOUSE GARDENS

TRAIL MAKING

Wednesday 24 May, midday to 1.30pm

Learn the skill of building scouting trails using natural materials, then put your knowledge to the test by following our route around Eastcote House Gardens to find the secret word.

Cost: Free but booking is essential.

Book: [@ archives@hillingdon.gov.uk](mailto:@archives@hillingdon.gov.uk)



VARIOUS VENUES

ART ON THE CANAL

Hillingdon has more miles of canal than any other London borough. During this event, there will be a series of art/craft workshops with accompanying historic walks and talks.

Cost: Free, but booking is essential.

Book: @ archives@hillington.gov.uk



BRICK ART

Friday 26 May, 2pm, at Botwell Green Library

Walk to Shackles Dock and design a brick. Suitable for over-18s.

CANAL TRAIL

Saturday 27 May, 1.30pm to 3.30pm, at West Drayton Library

Collage and guided walk. Suitable for families.

CHOCOLATE AND DALEKS

Sunday 25 June, 10.30am to 1.30pm, at Botwell Green Library

Collage and guided walk. Suitable for families.

REFLECTIONS IN TIME

Monday 26 June, 2pm or 6.30pm at the Malt Shovel, Cowley Lock

Ink drawing and heritage. Suitable for over-18s.

AFLOAT IN HAREFIELD

Wednesday 28 June, 10am

Art and heritage aboard a narrowboat. Suitable for over-18s.

GRAND UNION CANAL

HAYES CANAL FESTIVAL

Sunday 28 May, midday to 5pm

Visit the museum and archives team at the Hayes Canal Festival – the local waterways highlight of the year. Organised by the Canal and River Trust, with the active support of the Hillingdon Canals Partnership, the festival is a real family event with a mixture of water and land-based activities.

Cost: Free, no need to book.

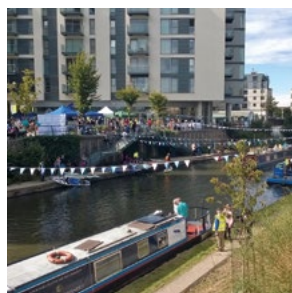


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CRANFORD PARK

WILLOW PONIES

Sunday 4 June, 10am to 4pm

Using willow, Gina Martin will demonstrate the basic techniques you will need to create your own sculpture. This is a hands-on course for adults at intermediate level. You will go home with your own willow pony.

Cost: Free, but booking is essential.

Book: @ archives@hillingdon.gov.uk



EXHIBITIONS AND TALKS

UXBRIDGE LIBRARY

HILLINGDON BY STEAM

**Friday 17 March to Friday 14 April,
during library opening hours**

A Hillingdon Archives and Museums Service exhibition celebrating the age of steam travel on our local railways. The exhibition uses photographs from the borough's collections to explore vanished locomotives and lost lines.

Cost: Free, no need to book.



UXBRIDGE LIBRARY

MEET MAD BESS

Sunday 2 April, 11am

An opportunity to learn more about the steam train history of Hillingdon by accompanying Paul Davidson on a mini bus to the Ruislip Lido Railway. You will hear all about 'Mad Bess' and have an opportunity to be transported by her.

Cost: £4, paid locally.

Book: @ archives@hillingdon.gov.uk



UXBRIDGE LIBRARY

MEMORY LANE - BYGONE SHOPPING AND MONEY

**Friday 14 April to Tuesday 30 May,
during library opening hours**

Take a walk down memory lane, remembering Hillingdon's shopping past and discover the history of the money we spend.

Cost: Free, no need to book.



HILLINGDON'S LIBRARIES

HILLINGDON'S SHOPPING HISTORY

**Wednesday 19 April, 2pm at Uxbridge Library and
Thursday 11 May, 2.30pm at Ruislip Manor Library**

This talk introduces Hillingdon's history with shopping and explores some of the past and present shops in the borough.

Cost: Free, but booking is essential.

Book: @ archives@hillingdon.gov.uk



OAK FARM LIBRARY

HISTORY OF HILLINGDON IN 20 OBJECTS

Monday 24 April, 5.30pm to 6.30pm

Come along for a special talk by Paul Davidson, from the council's Archives team, about the history of Hillingdon in 20 objects.

Suitable for over-18s.

Cost: Free, but booking is essential.

Book: @ www.hillingdon.gov.uk/library-events ☎ 01895 556242



ICKENHAM

A WALK AROUND ICKENHAM

Tuesday 25 April, 1pm to 3pm

Explore Ickenham's history walking through some of its well-known streets.

Cost: Free, but booking is essential.

Book: @ archives@hillington.gov.uk



UXBRIDGE LIBRARY, LEVEL 6

ACCEPTABLE IN THE 80s

**Wednesday 3 May to Friday 29 September,
during library opening hours**

Step back in time at this exhibition showcasing the life and times of the 1980s in Hillingdon, from fashion to technology.

How have things changed – and how have things stayed the same?

Cost: Free, no need to book.



HAYES

RICH AND POOR IN HAYES TOWN

Friday 19 May, 2pm

Join Paul and Sarah of the Archives and Museums Service as they explore historic Hayes Town.

Who inhabited this once rural community? What were their lifestyles, professions and aspirations? What ties linked them?

Cost: Free, but booking is essential.

Book: @ archives@hillington.gov.uk



UXBRIDGE LIBRARY

GRAND UNION CANAL TALK

Tuesday 23 May, 11am

Brian Johnson of the London Canal Museum gives an overview about this major transport artery connecting the Midlands manufacturing complex with the Thames at Brentford and its major branch into London at Paddington.

Cost: Free, but booking is essential.

Book: @ archives@hillingdon.gov.uk



UXBRIDGE LIBRARY

SCANDAL!!

Friday 2 to Thursday 29 June,
during library opening hours

An exhibition exploring instances of scandalous behaviour through history. The exhibition examines how our attitudes to scandal have changed over time. What exactly was seen as scandalous in the past, and why?

Cost: Free, no need to book.



UXBRIDGE LIBRARY

BEHAVIOUR UNBECOMING

Monday 5 June, 5pm

Local history is full of examples of anti-social behaviour. But what exactly was considered anti-social or unacceptable in the past?

Join Paul Davidson from the Archives and Museums Service as he searches for answers.

Cost: Free, but booking is essential.

Book: @ archives@hillingdon.gov.uk



CHRISTINE KEELER

Thursday 15 June, 5pm

Christine Keeler, born in Uxbridge, was involved in the notorious Profumo affair of the 1960s. Join Christine's son Seymour, as he recalls his mother's life and times.

Cost: Free, but booking is essential.

Book: @ archives@hillingdon.gov.uk



EXERCISE AND HEALTH

VARIOUS VENUES

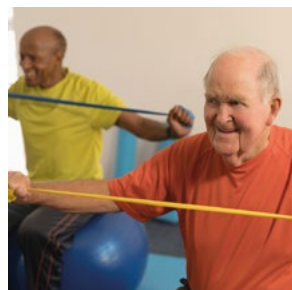
STRENGTH AND BALANCE CLASSES

Various days and times from Saturday 1 April

These sessions are designed to help residents stay strong and are aimed at anyone who would like to feel steadier on their feet, retain their mobility and/or reduce their risk of falling.

Download our new toolkit to help you assess your risk of having a fall at www.hillingdon.gov.uk/fall-prevention

Find out more: discover.hillingdon.gov.uk/strength-balance
@ sportandphysicalactivity@hillingdon.gov.uk ☎ 01895 277137



MIDDLESEX SUITE, CIVIC CENTRE

TEA DANCES FOR OVER-65s

Mondays 17 April, 15 May and 19 June,
1pm to 3pm (doors open at 12.30pm)

Hillingdon Council invites you to put on your dancing shoes, dance the session away and socialise with friends.

Open to residents aged over 65 (with a Hillingdon *First* card) and up to two guests.

Cost: Free, but booking is essential.

Book: www.hillingdon.gov.uk/dances ☎ 01895 556688





HILLINGDON LIBRARIES

MOVES – CHAIROBICS FOR OVER-65s

Join in with low impact chair-based exercise classes that give you a full aerobic fitness session, working on your strength, flexibility, co-ordination and stamina.

BOTWELL GREEN LIBRARY

Fridays, 10am

Book: @ botwellgreen-library@hillingdon.gov.uk ☎ 01895 558633

CHARVILLE LIBRARY

Thursdays, 10am and 11am

Book: @ charville-library@hillingdon.gov.uk ☎ 01895 558296

EASTCOTE LIBRARY

Tuesdays, 10am

Book: @ eastcote-library@hillingdon.gov.uk ☎ 01895 558230

HAREFIELD LIBRARY

Mondays, 11am

Book: @ harefield-library@hillingdon.gov.uk ☎ 01895 558184

HARLINGTON LIBRARY

Fridays, 11.30am

Book: @ harlington-library@hillingdon.gov.uk ☎ 01895 556275

MANOR FARM LIBRARY

Mondays, 10am and 11am

Book: @ manorfarm-library@hillingdon.gov.uk ☎ 01895 558234

NORTHWOOD HILLS LIBRARY

Mondays, 9.30am and Thursdays, 2pm

Book: @ northwoodhills-library@hillingdon.gov.uk ☎ 01895 556460

OAK FARM LIBRARY

Thursdays, 11am and midday

Book: @ oakfarm-library@hillingdon.gov.uk ☎ 01895 556242

RUISLIP MANOR LIBRARY

Thursdays, 9.30am

Book: @ ruislipmanor-library@hillingdon.gov.uk ☎ 01895 556262

SOUTH RUISLIP LIBRARY

Wednesdays, 2pm to 2.50pm

Book: @ southruislip-library@hillingdon.gov.uk ☎ 01895 556536

UXBRIDGE LIBRARY

Wednesdays, 10am and 11.15am

Book: @ uxbridge-library@hillingdon.gov.uk ☎ 01895 277798

Cost: Free, but booking is essential

Find out more: 📄 www.hillingdon.gov.uk/chairobics

HILLINGDON'S GREEN SPACES

MINDFUL WALK

Thursdays 20 April, 11 May and 8 June, 10.30am to 11.30am at Eastcote House Gardens

Friday 28 April, 10.30am to 11.30am at Barra Hall Park

Come and join Pravit, who will help take your senses out for a walk in beautiful surroundings. Take some time to relax and unwind.

Cost: Free, but booking is essential.

Book: @ archives@hillingdon.gov.uk



BOTWELL GREEN SPORTS AND LEISURE CENTRE

DESI DANCES FOR OVER-65s

Fridays 28 April, 26 May and 30 June, 11am to 1pm

These free desi dances are suitable for beginners, intermediate dancers and those who just want to enjoy the atmosphere. Seated and standing exercise to the beat of Bollywood music.

Open to residents aged 65+ (with a Hillingdon *First* card) and up to two guests.

Cost: Free, but booking is essential.

Book: 📞 www.hillingdon.gov.uk/dances 📞 01895 556688



PARKS AND GREEN SPACES

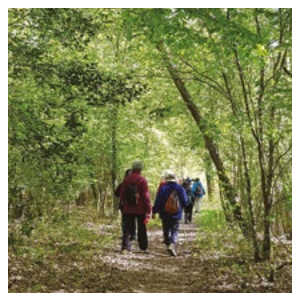
LED WALKS

Various dates and times

Explore Hillingdon's award-winning parks and green spaces while keeping fit and meeting new people on a free guided walk.

Cost: Free

Find out more: 📱 discover.hillingdon.gov.uk/led-walks



DEMENTIA-FRIENDLY ACTIVITIES

COMPASS THEATRE

DAYTIME DISCOS

Tuesdays 25 April, 23 May and 27 June, 1pm to 3pm

Friendly sessions for those living with dementia and their carers, with Brian Rowan singing songs and playing music from the 60s, 70s and 80s. Advance booking is advised. Send song requests via the box office @ boxoffice@hgfl.org.uk

Cost: £5 (includes one free carer ticket)

Book: www.hillingdontheatres.uk 01895 250615



YEADING LIBRARY

DEMENTIA ACTION WEEK

To mark Dementia Action Week, we are hosting a number of talks and activity sessions.

Cost: Free, but booking is essential.

Book: 01895 556060

TALK BY HILLINGDON CARERS

Monday 15 May, 11am

Hillingdon Carers give a talk on dementia, in Punjabi and Urdu.

TALK BY THE ALZHEIMER'S SOCIETY

Tuesday 16 May, 11am

The Alzheimer's Society give a talk on dementia.

REMINISCENCE SESSION

Tuesday 16 May, 2pm

Join in a reminiscence session and bring along your favourite food to showcase your heritage. For people with dementia and their carers.

TOVERTAFEL GAMES

Tuesday 16 May, 3pm

Come along and play interactive games on the library's Tovertafel table. For people with dementia and their carers.



VENUES

BARRA HALL PARK

Freemans Lane, Hayes, UB3 2NH

BATTLE OF BRITAIN BUNKER EXHIBITION AND VISITOR CENTRE

Wren Avenue, Uxbridge, UB10 0GG

BOTWELL GREEN SPORTS AND LEISURE CENTRE (INCLUDES LIBRARY)

East Avenue, Hayes, UB3 2HW

CHARVILLE LIBRARY

Bury Avenue, Hayes, UB4 8LF

COMPASS THEATRE

Glebe Avenue, Ickenham, UB10 8PD

CRANFORD PARK

The Parkway, Hounslow, TW5 9RZ

Work has begun on the Cranford Park restoration project and it will continue until spring 2023. During this time, the access road and bridge will be closed and the car park and courtyard area inaccessible. Check  www.hillingdon.gov.uk/cranfordpark for updates.

EASTCOTE HOUSE GARDENS

High Road, Eastcote, HA5 2QS

EASTCOTE LIBRARY

Field End Road, Eastcote, HA5 1RL

FASSNIDGE PARK

Rockingham Parade, Uxbridge, UB8 2UW

GRAND UNION CANAL

Station Road Bridge, Hayes

HAREFIELD LIBRARY

Park Lane, Harefield, UB9 6BJ

HARLINGTON LIBRARY

Pinkwell Lane, Hayes, UB3 1PB

ICKENHAM LIBRARY

Community Close/Long Lane, Ickenham, UB10 8RE

MANOR FARM (INCLUDES LIBRARY AND THE COW BYRE GALLERY)

Bury Street, Ruislip, HA4 7SU

THE MALT SHOVEL

Iver Lane, Uxbridge, UB8 2JE

MIDDLESEX SUITE

Civic Centre, High Street, Uxbridge, UB8 1UW

NORTHWOOD HILLS LIBRARY

Potter Street, Northwood, HA6 1QQ

OAK FARM LIBRARY

Sutton Court Road, Hillingdon, UB10 9PB

RUISLIP MANOR LIBRARY

Linden Avenue, Ruislip Manor, HA4 8TW

SOUTH RUISLIP LIBRARY

Victoria Road, South Ruislip, HA4 0JE

UXBRIDGE LIBRARY

High Street, Uxbridge, UB8 1HD

WEST DRAYTON LIBRARY

Station Road, West Drayton, UB7 7JS

WINSTON CHURCHILL THEATRE

Manor Farm, Pinn Way, Ruislip, HA4 7QL

YEADING LIBRARY

Yeading Lane, Hayes, UB4 0EW

VENUE HIRE

The council arranges the hire of performance/class/meeting spaces at the Compass Theatre, Winston Churchill Theatre and Manor Farm, Battle of Britain Bunker and the Open Air Theatre at Barra Hall Park.

For rates of hire and space details, visit  www.hillingdontheatres.uk and to enquire about availability, email @artsvenues@hillingdon.gov.uk or call  01895 277643.

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5 DAY WORKSHOPS

Ages 7-14 yrs

Monday 24 - Friday 28 July 2023

Monday 21 - Friday 25 August 2023

10am - 4pm daily

£130 per 5 day workshop

Tickets to the final performance £6

2 DAY WORKSHOPS

Ages 4-6 yrs

Thursday 27 & Friday 28 July 2023

Thursday 24 & Friday 25 August 2023

10am - 4pm daily

£60 per 2 day workshop

Tickets to the final performance £6

01895 250615

www.hillingdontheatres.uk

Compass Theatre, Glebe Avenue, Ickenham UB10 8PD

