

School Partnerships and Enrichment Team

Let's Get Out & About Autumn Term 2020 COVID19 Edition

SPOTLIGHT ON - How to stay safe when out and about.



With the COVID19 pandemic still changing the way we live and go about our daily lives, it can be confusing to know which children's activities and venues are open and how to access them safely. We have put together a short summary of some local places of interest and their current access and opening arrangements to help you make the most of the up and coming half

term break and Autumn term. **TOP TIP: Advanced booking is essential for most, if not all activities and venues. Planning your day including travel and refreshment stops will help to maximise your time in venues as many have introduced time limits.**

Please note, the information included is subject to change in accordance with any government changes in restrictions. You are advised to check before attending and please do not attend if you have any symptoms of Coronavirus. Please follow social distancing requirements, wear a mask where necessary and continue to wash hands frequently.

Pitzhanger Manor House & Gallery, Mattock Lane, London, W5 5EQ



Enjoy a day out exploring the Manor House, Soanes Garden and taking a stroll in Walpole Park. Opening hours have changed; **Thursday - Sunday: 11:00 - 19:00.** A reminder that Ealing residents can attend for free all-day Thursdays and on Sundays 11am – 2.30pm. Please bring proof of address. Visit <https://www.pitzhanger.org.uk/visit/ticket-information/> to book your tickets in advance.

Gunnersbury Park & Museum, Gunnersbury Park House, Popes Lane, London, W5 4NH

Meeting friends, walking the dog, going for a run, enjoying a Sunday afternoon stroll, wandering around the museum or boating on the lake. Opening hours have changed: **Park:** Open daily 7am – dusk **Museum:** Open Thursday - Sunday, 12 - 4pm. Entry to the museum is free, however donations are welcomed. Please note the shop only accepts payment by card.



Water and Steam Museum, Green Dragon Lane, Brentford, London, TW8 0EN



The museum is currently closed however, they hope to reopen for October half term, Saturday 24th October – Sunday 1st November. Then they plan to open at weekends during the winter, from Saturday 7th November onwards. Ticket are not yet available but you can sign up for membership which has a number of benefits. More information can be found here.

<https://waterandsteam.org.uk/plan-your-visit/>

Questors Theatre, Mattock Lane, Ealing W5 - Horror Stories for Hallowe'en

31 Oct Trick or Treat might be off bounds this year, but we're bringing you three terrifying tales of monsters, madness and malignant forces. Let's hope it's not a full moon...! Tickets go on sale to members on Friday 16th October at 3pm and then to non-members on Wednesday 21st October at 3 pm. <http://www.questors.org.uk/event.aspx?id=890>



Swimming is an enjoyable activity for people of all ages and is a vital skill to have. There are 3 centres in the borough with pool facilities, that offer swimming lessons, lane use, pool fitness classes and more. All centres are run by Everyone Active. It is recommended that you download the Everyone Active App which will allow you book time slots, classes, swimming lessons and more.

<https://www.everyoneactive.com/centre/dormers-wells-leisure-centre/>

<https://www.everyoneactive.com/centre/northolt-leisure-centre/>

<https://www.everyoneactive.com/centre/everyone-active-acton-centre/>



Horsenden Hill Activity Centre, Woodland Rise, Greenford, UB6 0RD



Discgolf, Footgolf, pitch & putt mini golf & more... Adult 18 Holes £12 / 9 Holes £8 Junior 18 Holes £8 / 9 Holes £5 Ball Hire £2 Open 7 days a week from 11 am to Dusk. To book a tee time please call 0203 609 9449 / 07814 217612 or www.ukfootgolf.com **Social Distancing Rules Apply. Max Group Size 6**

<https://www.londonpitchnputt.com/footgolf> You can also try

<https://www.footgolfrency.com/footgolf-course/hanger-hill-park-footgolf/> for more FootGolf fun!

Hounslow Urban Farm, Faggs Road, Feltham, Middlesex, TW14 0LZ

Open but with COVID 19 restrictions. You can book online or pay on entry (Cash and Cards accepted) BUT YOU MUST TELEPHONE 020 8831 9658 to book slot and day required due to Coronavirus attraction government guidelines to avoid overcrowding. Prices start from £5 for children aged 2 years upwards. <https://hounslowurbanfarm.co.uk/>



Hanwell Zoo Brent Lodge Park, Brent Lodge Park, Church Road, Hanwell, W7 3BP



Little Zoo – Big Impact! Home to a unique range of birds, mammals, invertebrates and reptiles, Hanwell Zoo is your local window into nature and conservation. Prices start at £2.50 for over 3 years (FREE for under 3's). With a maximum capacity of 100 people in the zoo at any one time, booking is essential.

<https://hanwellzoo.co.uk/booking-form/>

Discover London Transport Museum's Depot with 1/3 off tickets, Acton Town.

Local residents in Ealing, Hounslow and Hillingdon can enjoy 1/3 off adult and child tickets to discover London Transport Museum's Depot in **Acton Town!** This half-term families can follow a special trail to track down Billy Brown of London Town, a vintage character from 1940s transport posters, amongst the buses and trains on display. Tickets include a special activity pack to complete during your visit as well as fun quizzes and a transport inspired experiment to try out at home. [Book your timed entry tickets online](#)



Oxygen Free Jumping, Unit 15, Vision Industrial Park, Kendal Avenue, Acton, W3 0AF



Need somewhere for the kids to burn some energy for an hour? Prices from £6 for toddlers and £13 for free jumpers. Open 10am – 7pm Mon – Sunday. FREE parking available but limited. Advance booking available online

<https://oxygenfreejumping.co.uk/locations/acton/>

And finally . . . a London museum round up and link to websites for bookings. Please note that many of the museums have limited availability.

- Be wowed by the Rosetta Stone and Egyptian mummies at the [British Museum](#)
- Come face-to-face with a roaring T-Rex and experience the earthquake simulator at the [Natural History Museum](#).
- Explore the fascinating history of England's capital at the [Museum of London](#).
- Hold a genuine bar of gold at the [Bank of England Museum](#).
- Learn about the history of the river Thames at [Museum of London Docklands](#).

We make every effort to ensure that the details above are correct, but we recommend that you check with the venue before attending. Please contact sthompson@ealing.gov.uk with any comments or suggestions for items to include in future newsletters.