

Camden Youth Safety 2023 – Programme of activities and events

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Date and time	Name of event or group	Type of event – drop-in / private / pre-register	What's happening	Where	More info / contact details
Friday 16 June Early evening (invitation-only event)	Launch event and Multimedia Competition awards	Invited guests only	Opening event to launch youth safety with local politicians. Awards ceremony for winners and runners-up of the multimedia competition and showcase of winning entry. Honest Grind Coffee will have a stall at the event, with merchandise and free coffee to try	Crowndale Centre, 218 Eversholt Street, London NW1 1BD.	Invitation-only event: saima.downes@camden.gov.uk
Monday 19 June 10am to 4pm	One-to-one support for young people - British Somali Community	By appointment between these times	BSCC's young people's advice and support sessions aim to empower and support young people in our community	British Somali Community Centre 7-9 Crowndale Road London, NW1 1TU	info@britishsomali.org 020 7383 2803 fadumah@bitishsomali.org or khadija@britishsomali.org
Tuesday 20 June 4.30pm to 6pm	Arsenal in the Community football coaching	Pre-register by filling in this online form	Free football coaching sessions for 8 to 14-year-olds with Arsenal in the Community	Peckwater Estate Football Pitches The Hut, Islip Street, NW5 2TU	jironside@arsenal.co.uk
Thursday 22 June	Get to know what is on offer in your local youth and community centres	Open / drop-in session	Three youth centres in Somers Town, including Somers Town Youth Centre, Somers Town	Somers Town Youth Centre , Somers Town Community Centre and New Horizon Youth Centre .	Please contact: joanne.peet@camden.gov.uk or

3.30pm to 8pm	– taster sessions for young people and their families		Community Centre, and New Horizon Youth Centre, are organising taster sessions for young people and their families to raise awareness about the activities and services available at each centre. Participants have a chance to win prizes, and refreshments will be provided.	Note: In addition to their youth safety workshops, STYC is open Mon to Fri, 5.30 to 8.30pm, offering a diverse range of youth work sessions such as gym, healthy cooking, arts and crafts, youth forums, sports programmes, music, table tennis, the Duke of Edinburgh's Award, and an inclusive project. For further details, please reach out to our team.	million.hailemariam@camden.gov.uk
Thursday 22 June 6pm to 8pm	Why do some young people carry a bladed article?	Free online session aimed at Camden and Islington parents or carers who have children aged 10 to 18 - register on Eventbrite here	This webinar will explore why some young people carry bladed articles and some ways we can influence that decision and safeguard them. The session will be delivered by Marcel Campbell, who has several years' experience of working with young people, supported by Eldridge Loftman, who is a Parent Champion and delivers workshops within the community.	Online (via Zoom) – sign up via Eventbrite here	VRUREFERRALS@islington.gov.uk Support group for parents / carers in Camden and Islington Funded by the Mayor of London's Violence Reduction Unit
Thursday 22 June 6pm to 9pm	Fresh Youth Academy and Lauderdale House	Open / drop-in session	Young people using art to promote youth safety	Lauderdale House Highgate Hill, N6 5HG	Mukith.Miah@camden.gov.uk 07957 987349, or Aaron.Pownall@camden.gov.uk 07771 974551

Thursday 22 June 4.30pm to 6pm	Arsenal in the Community football coaching	Pre-register by filling in this online form	Free football coaching sessions for 8 to 14-year- olds with Arsenal in the Community	Peckwater Estate Football Pitches The Hut, Islip Street, NW5 2TU	jironside@arsenal.co.uk
Thursday 22 June 5.30pm to 7pm	Young Guardians	Closed – members of this group only	A group of young people who meet weekly to explore the concerns and local safety issues on the Regent's Park Estate, recognising harm and playing a safeguarding role with the right local support. Part of the wider Regent's Park Estate Community Guardianship Programme	Old Diorama Arts Centre 201 Drummond Street Regent's Place, NW1 3FE	Camden Detached Youth Team DYT@camden.gov.uk 020 7974 2180
Thursday 22 June 5pm to 8pm	Detached Street Session	Open	The Detached Youth Team (DYT) forms part of the Reducing Youth Violence and Exploitation Service, part of Camden Youth Service. The DYT is a mobile street-based team of youth workers that engages with young people in a community setting – i.e. local estates, parks and community spaces. Our aim is to reach young people who don't access mainstream youth provision	Central area (of the borough)	Camden Detached Youth Team DYT@camden.gov.uk 020 7974 2180
Thursday 22 June	Project Health Resilience	Fully booked – no spare places available	A school and youth-setting based health education intervention for young	Talacre Community Sports Centre Dalby Street, NW5 3AF	Lee.Davis@camden.gov.uk

			people aged 16 to 18 across London, which consists of four bespoke health literacy modules which have been developed with young people and teachers by a team of doctors and professionals. Modules are delivered in-person by doctors and public health professionals who specialise in these topic areas.		
Friday 23 June 4pm to 7pm	Fresh Youth Academy	Open / drop-in session	Girls' safety campaign - launch event Speakers, discussions, and funding bid	Ingestre Community Centre Ingestre Rd, NW5 1UX	Mukith.Miah@camden.gov.uk 07957 987349, or Aaron.Pownall@camden.gov.uk 07771 974551
Friday 23 June 6pm	The risks of vaping	Open / drop-in session	Discussion and quiz on the dangers of vaping	Netherwood Youth and Family Hub 5 Netherwood St, NW6 2QU	Vanessa.Simon@camden.gov.uk
Friday 23 June 6.30pm	Healthy cooking	Open / drop-in session	Promoting a healthy lifestyle through a healthy diet	Netherwood Youth and Family Hub 5 Netherwood St, NW6 2QU	Vanessa.Simon@camden.gov.uk
Friday 23 June 2pm to 5pm	Community Kitchen - Regent's Park Estate	Open / drop-in session	Weekly Community Kitchen to help support some of the most vulnerable families in the borough. Offers a warm space weekly, along with	Surma Community Centre 1 Robert Street, NW1 3JU	The Detached Youth Team's Guardians Project, in partnership with the Regent's Park Estate Community Champions DYT@camden.gov.uk

			a hot nutritious meal, while supporting community togetherness through activities such as board games, arts and crafts, and a cinema space that brings people together. Information stalls by Camden Job Hub, Community Safety, and drop-in surgeries by local councillors, allow residents to raise concerns and seek support		020 7974 2180
Friday 23 June 4.30pm onwards (two slots)	Arsenal in the Community football coaching	Pre-register by filling in this online form	Free football sessions for 8 to 13-year-olds, with Arsenal in the Community coaches, from 4.30pm to 6pm and 14 to 17-year-olds from 6pm to 7.30pm	Fleet Road Football Pitches Fleet Primary School, NW3 2QT	jiironside@arsenal.co.uk
Saturday 24 June 10am to 3pm	British Somali Supplementary School	Please contact the centre for more details and to enrol	Weekend free, mixed supplementary school for primary and secondary aged children, which aims to enhance Somali children's educational achievement. KS2 (primary): maths, English and Arabic	British Somali Community Centre 7-9 Crowndale Road London, NW1 1TU	info@britishsomali.org 020 7383 2803

			<p>KS3 (secondary): maths, English, science and Arabic.</p> <p>KS4 (secondary): maths, English, science and Arabic.</p> <p>Other activities: sports (including football and tennis), trips / outings, parents' evenings and conferences, yoga</p>		
<p>Saturday 24 June</p> <p>11am to 2pm</p>	<p>Sisters Sessions - British Somali Community Girls' Group</p>	<p>Please contact the centre for more details and to join</p>	<p>Our 'Sisters Sessions' aim to listen to and understand the power of the female voice and to help girls and young women of all backgrounds to meet up and understand their self-worth, build self-confidence, gain social and leadership skills. Each session is interactive and includes debates, discussion, real life testimonies, sporting activities, beauty, and wellness. There's no judgement - the aim is to make BSCC a safe space for young women and girls</p>	<p>British Somali Community Centre 7-9 Crowndale Road London, NW1 1TU</p>	<p>info@britishsomali.org 020 7383 2803</p> <p>fadumah@bitishsomali.org or khadija@britishsomali.org</p>
<p>Sunday 25 June</p>	<p>The Homecoming - Camden's Windrush 75 Celebration</p>	<p>Free family event – all ages</p>	<p>Explore the music, food and arts and crafts of the Caribbean culture at our special Windrush Day</p>	<p>Talacre Town Green (Talacre Gardens and Open Space), NW5</p>	<p>For full details of all the Windrush celebration events taking place in Camden visit, LoveCamden</p>

12noon to 6pm			<p>celebration event. There will be DJs and live music featuring special guests Jazzie B from Soul II Soul, Queen of Lovers Rock Carroll Thompson, Dave Barker of Double Barrel fame and the Reggae Choir; a Carnival-themed 'Mas Camp' with Costume and Steel Pan workshops; Sound System Culture, learn DJ skills, mixing and the influence of Sound System; family sports activities, including mini athletics, tug of war, dominoes, treasure hunt and much more.</p> <p>For full details of all the Windrush celebration events taking place in Camden visit, LoveCamden</p>		
Monday 26 June 5.30pm to 8.30pm	Know your rights during a stop and search	Open / drop-in session	Our local neighbourhood police officer will conduct a stop and search session, offering young people the opportunity to gain knowledge about stop and search procedures, understand their rights, and	Somers Town Youth Centre 134 Chalton Street, NW1 1RX	Please contact: joanne.peet@camden.gov.uk or million.hailemariam@camden.gov.uk

			answer any questions they may have.		
Monday 26 June 6.30pm	Tackling misogyny	Open / drop-in session	Viewing a video of Andrew Tate and discussing his impact on young men	Netherwood Youth and Family Hub 5 Netherwood St, NW6 2QU	Vanessa.Simon@camden.gov.uk
Monday 26 June 6.30pm	Signs of online grooming	Open / drop-in session	How to spot the signs	Netherwood Youth and Family Hub 5 Netherwood St, NW6 2QU	Vanessa.Simon@camden.gov.uk
Monday 26 June 4.30pm to 7.30pm	Fresh Youth Academy	Pre-register or drop in	Make-up and beauty course	Ingestre Community Centre Ingestre Rd, NW5 1UX	Mukith.Miah@camden.gov.uk 07957 987349, or Aaron.Pownall@camden.gov.uk 07771 974551
Monday 26 June 2.30pm to 7.30pm	Camden Youth Assembly	Closed event for pre-registered participants - young women and girls only	This year's assembly will look at youth safety, specifically the safety of and the violence against young women and girls. The event will explore this issue and hear from our young women and girls to get their voices to the forefront	Crowndale Centre, former Council Chamber	Camden Detached Youth Team DYT@camden.gov.uk 020 7974 2180
Monday 26 June 1.30pm to 2.30pm	Choices: Weapons Awareness Programme	Closed – for students at the CRiB only	The Camden Reintegration Base (CRiB) offers a 12-week programme for secondary students in Years 7 to 9 of any Camden school, who are at risk of permanent exclusion. As part of the	Camden Reintegration Base (CRiB) at Haverstock School	Camden Detached Youth Team DYT@camden.gov.uk 020 7974 2180

			programme, lessons are complemented by enrichment activities delivered by a range of partners, such as Camden Detached Youth Team (DYT), who deliver the Choices: Weapons Awareness Programme		
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Tuesday 27 June 6pm	Scooterbility	Open / drop-in session	Scooter safety training course	Netherwood Youth and Family Hub 5 Netherwood St, NW6 2QU	Vanessa.Simon@camden.gov.uk
Tuesday 27 June 6pm to 7.30pm	Substance misuse awareness session	Open / drop-in session	Offers young people informal education and support in understanding the risks and consequences of substance abuse, as well as promoting healthier choices and lifestyles, where to find help, and open discussions about this topic	Somers Town Youth Centre 134 Chalton Street, NW1 1RX	Please contact: joanne.peet@camden.gov.uk or million.hailemariam@camden.gov.uk
Tuesday 27 June	Fresh Youth Academy and Thanet Youth & Community Centre	Pre-register	First aid course	Thanet Youth & Community Centre Herbert Street, NW5 4HD	Mukith.Miah@camden.gov.uk 07957 987349, or Aaron.Pownall@camden.gov.uk 07771 974551

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Tuesday 27 June 4.30pm to 6pm	Arsenal in the Community football coaching	Pre-register by filling in this online form	Free football coaching sessions for 8 to 14-year-olds with Arsenal in the Community	Peckwater Estate Football Pitches The Hut, Islip Street, NW5 2TU	jironside@arsenal.co.uk
Tuesday 27 June	Responding to Child Exploitation – training for professionals (face-to-face)	Register for a place here – limited availability	Free for any multi-agency professionals working with Camden families who have a foundation knowledge and understanding of child exploitation	Meeting Rooms A and B Vadnie Bish House 33–43 Caversham Road NW5 2DR	aysha.sparks@camden.gov.uk Camden Safeguarding Children Partnership CSCP
Tuesday 27 June 9.30am to 4.30pm	Managing Suicidal Conversations – free online training for adults in Camden and Islington	Register here	The Managing suicidal conversations training is delivered by Samaritans, funded by Camden and Islington Councils, and is for anyone who lives,	Online webinar – register here	We are Rethink Mental Illness

			works, studies or volunteers in the two boroughs. It is run in conjunction with Rethink Mental Illness. This course is aimed at delegates whose job/volunteer role could bring them into contact with a suicidal person, providing them with the knowledge and skills to provide support to an individual. This is a one-day course, you need to attend the full day to receive a certificate.		
Wed 28 June 5pm to 8pm	Fresh Youth Academy	Open / drop-in session	Knife crime awareness workshop	Ingestre Community Centre Ingestre Rd, NW5 1UX	Mukith.Miah@camden.gov.uk 07957 987349, or Aaron.Pownall@camden.gov.uk 07771 974551
Wed 28 June 12noon to 2pm	Wednesday Girls Groups	For students at the school only	Weekly topical workshops for students in Years 8 and 9 (12.15pm to 1pm) and Year 10 (1.15pm to 2pm), with the aim of giving girls and young women a safe space to discuss things which matter to them and build up their confidence and self-esteem	Parliament Hill School Highgate Road, NW5 1RL	Camden Detached Youth Team DYT@camden.gov.uk 020 7974 2180
Wed 28 June	Regent's Park Estate Community	Open / drop-in session	This group of residents explore the concerns and local safety concerns in	Old Diorama Arts Centre 201 Drummond Street Regent's Place, NW1 3FE	Camden Detached Youth Team DYT@camden.gov.uk

17:30 – 19:00	Guardianship Programme		the Regents Park Estate area. The groups focus is on recognising harm and playing a safeguarding role with the right local support. To do so, they have developed a community guardians programme that is targeted through in-depth mapping with young and adult residents of a local / hyper-local area to identify areas where adults who spend time in those space can provide a safeguarding role and to recruit, train and support them to do so.		020 7974 2180
Thursday 29 June 6pm to 7.30pm	Learn about online safety	Open / drop-in session	Helping young people navigate the digital world safely, understand online privacy, identify and respond to online threats, practice responsible online behaviour - plus how to find help and support	Somers Town Youth Centre 134 Chalton Street, NW1 1RX	Please contact: joanne.peet@camden.gov.uk or million.hailemariam@camden.gov.uk
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Friday, 30 June 5.30pm to 8.30pm	Zero responder workshop – how to respond in an emergency	Open / drop-in session	90 minute-workshop - young people learn how to respond effectively to an emergency before the first emergency teams arrive	Somers Town Youth Centre 134 Chalton Street, NW1 1RX	Please contact: joanne.peet@camden.gov.uk or million.hailemariam@camden.gov.uk
Friday, 30 June 4.30pm onwards (two slots)	Arsenal in the Community football coaching	Pre-register by filling in this online form	Free football sessions for 8 to 13-year-olds, with Arsenal in the Community coaches, from 4.30pm to 6pm and 14 to 17-year-olds from 6pm to 7.30pm	Fleet Road Football Pitches Fleet Primary School, NW3 2QT	iironside@arsenal.co.uk
Wed 5 July 2.30pm to 5pm	Community Kitchen - Somers Town	Open / drop-in session	Weekly Community Kitchen to help support some of the most vulnerable families in the borough. Offers a warm space weekly, along with a hot nutritious meal, while supporting community togetherness through activities such as board games, arts and crafts, and a cinema space that brings people together. Information stalls by Camden Job Hub, Community Safety, and drop-in surgeries by local councillors, allow residents	Somers Town Youth Centre 134 Chalton Street, NW1 1RX	Camden Detached Youth Team DYT@camden.gov.uk 020 7974 2180

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7 to 9 July	Residential	Closed	Weekend residential with a group of 20 young people, as part of the ongoing work towards phase 2 of the Camden youth Assembly work. The residential will focus on personal development, peer-education training and event planning.	Avon Tyrell	Camden Detached Youth Team DYT@camden.gov.uk 020 7974 2180
Tuesday 18 July 9.30am to 4.30pm	Managing Suicidal Conversations – free online training for adults in Camden and Islington	Register here	The Managing suicidal conversations training is delivered by Samaritans, funded by Camden and Islington Councils, and is for anyone who lives, works, studies or volunteers in the two boroughs. It is run in conjunction with Rethink Mental Illness. This course is aimed at delegates whose job/volunteer role could bring them into contact with a suicidal person, providing them with the knowledge and skills to provide support to an individual. This is a	Online webinar – register here	We are Rethink Mental Illness

			one-day course, you need to attend the full day to receive a certificate.		
13, 14, 19 and 20 Sept 2023, 9.30am to 12 noon	Youth Mental Health First Aid – online training (four sessions)	Register here – free for Camden and Islington residents	<p>Rethink’s Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) teaches people how to give initial mental health care until professional treatment is accessed. It also helps to dispel fears some people have when coming across someone who seems to be experiencing mental ill health.</p> <p>Our MHFA courses have input from co-trainers with lived experience of mental health problems.</p> <p>This online course trains you as a Youth Mental Health First Aider. There are four two-hour and 30-minute sessions. You must attend all four sessions to be awarded a certificate</p>	Online	Contact Rethink Mental Illness

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