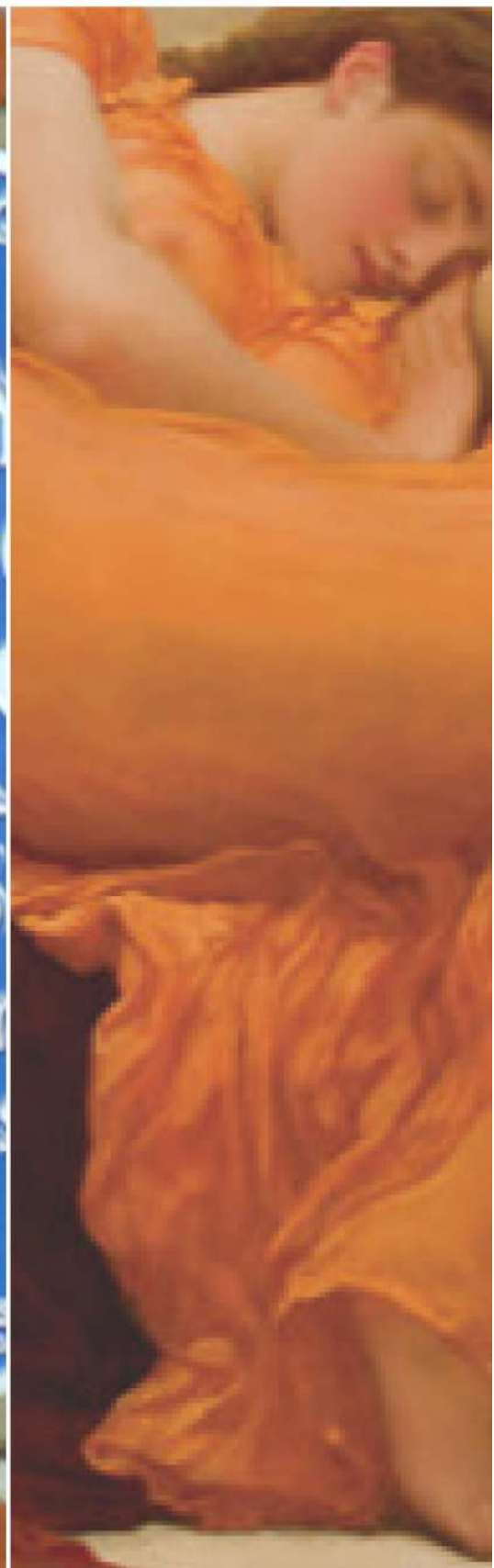
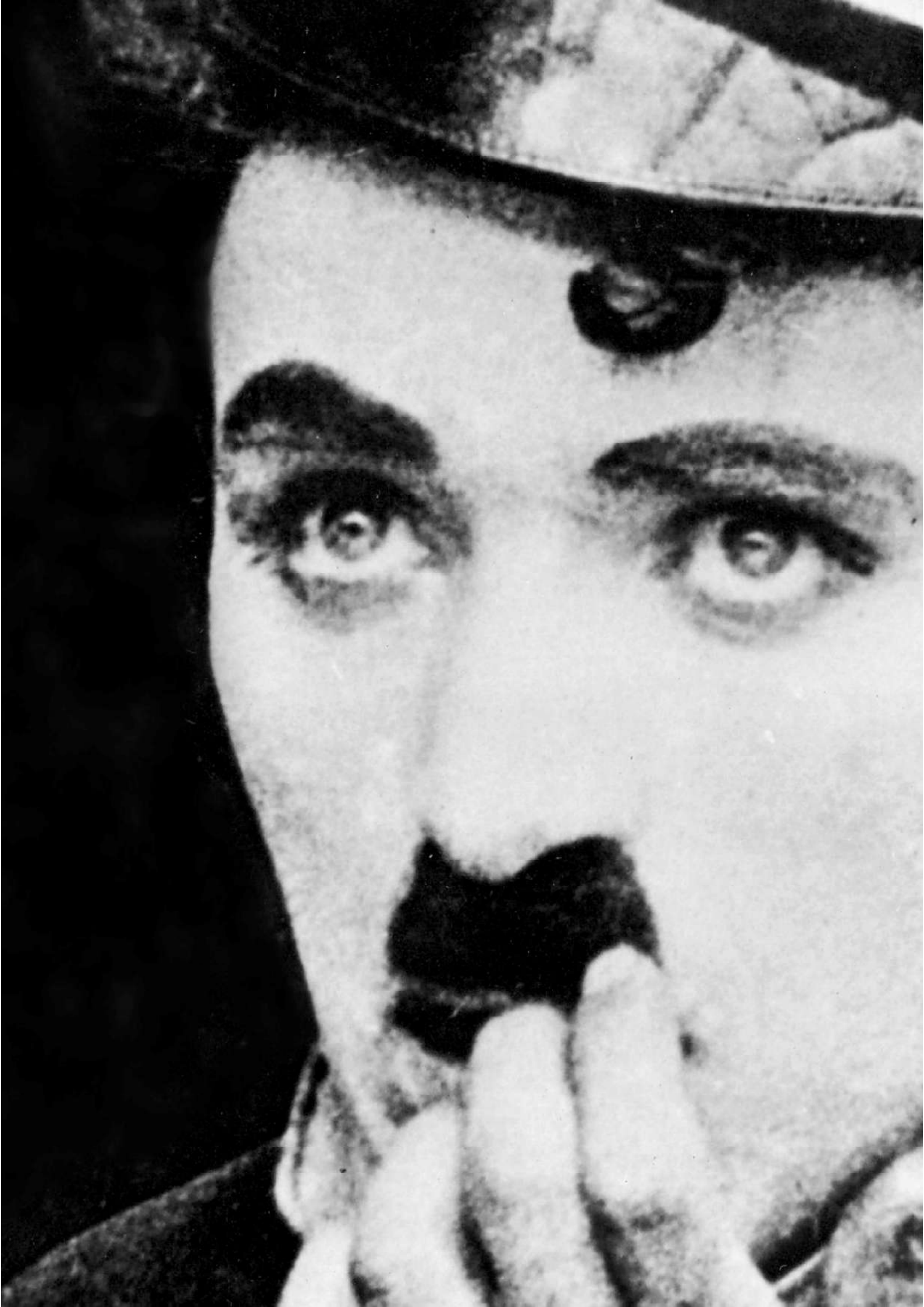


A month long festival led by Lambeth Archives and the Lambeth Local History Forum

# Lambeth Heritage Festival

## September 2022







[www.lambeth.gov.uk/heritagefestival](http://www.lambeth.gov.uk/heritagefestival)

## Foreward

I am delighted to welcome you to the programme of events for the 2022 Lambeth Heritage Festival which is taking place throughout the month of September. In the Festival's tenth year, a varied line up of over 40 events will represent our fantastic and diverse communities here in Lambeth.

I am passionate to ensure that the history of Lambeth's people and places is shared widely, both with residents and with other Londoners, and is preserved for generations to come. This year there are a range of activities available for residents to get involved in, from talks, music and films to exhibitions, walks and workshops, uncovering local "secrets" and histories known often by few.

The festival also offers the occasion to uncover the more unusual places, such as the new Lambeth Palace library, Brixton Windmill, the Heathwall River or Brixton's Blue Plaques. We also take this opportunity to celebrate the diversity that makes our borough the fantastic place it is, with events talking about the history of local Black, Muslim and Polish communities. Make sure to not miss the Lambeth Local History Fair at St John's Church, Waterloo on Saturday 3rd September.

The Lambeth Heritage Festival really does showcase some of the best things that are taking place in Lambeth, and I look forward to celebrating our borough and its history with you. I would like to thank the Lambeth Archives and the Lambeth Local History Forum for bringing forward such an innovative programme of events.



Councillor: **Donatus Anyanwu**  
Cabinet Member for Stronger Communities,  
Leisure and Sport. Lambeth Council

## The History of Clapham Common

**WALK**

Thursday 1st September

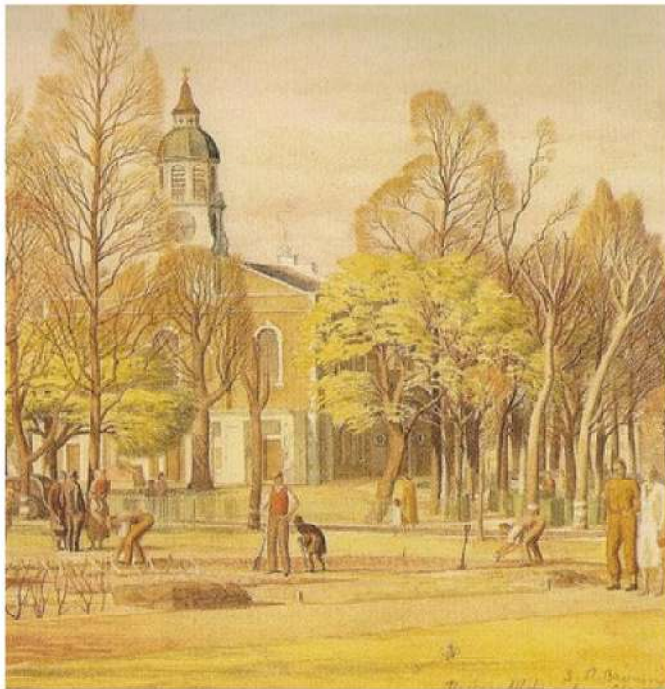
TIME: 6pm

Bandstand on Clapham Common

Tom Jansz leads this walk, tracing the history of Clapham Common from medieval grazing ground through place of recreation for eighteenth century incomers who built villas around it, transformation from rural village to Victorian suburb, home of some notable residents, to its important community role in WW2, and today's green heart of a thriving, multi-cultural area.

**Free, Booking essential:**

Contact: [tom.jansz@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:tom.jansz@hotmail.co.uk)



## Herbal Heritage - Edible and Medicinal Plants

**WALK**

Friday 2nd September

TIME: 11am

Junction Glasshouse Walk and Tyers Street SE11

A botanical walk in Spring Gardens, Vauxhall, led by Roy Vickery.

**Free, Booking and information:**

Contact: [info@slbi.org.uk](mailto:info@slbi.org.uk)

## Tour of the new Lambeth Palace Library

**TOUR**

Thursday 1st September

TIME: 15.30pm

Lambeth Palace Library, London SE1 7JU

Learn about the new building and the history of the library and its collections. See areas of the library not usually open to the public, including the eighth-floor conference room/terrace with its spectacular views across London. View an exhibition of maps and prints related to Lambeth.

**Free, Booking essential:**

Book: <https://1-september-guided-tour-lambeth-palace-library.eventbrite.co.uk>





## LAMBETH LOCAL HISTORY FAIR

TIME: 10:00am-4:30pm

**Saturday 3rd September**

St. John's Waterloo Church, 73 Waterloo Road SE1 8TY

The year's Local History Fair will be held in St. John's Waterloo Church, just a couple of minutes' walk from Waterloo Station.

A great opportunity to visit and learn about this historic, Grade II\* listed church, which will have just re-opened following a major restoration project.

Meet many members of the Lambeth Local History Forum to learn about their work and how you might join in. There will be local history publications on sale.

**Entry FREE**

Refreshments available.

### FREE ILLUSTRATED TALKS

11:30am

**"200 years of Waterloo Bridge"**

Chris Everett, Course Tutor, Lambeth Tour Guides

13:30pm

**"That region of brutality and bestiality across the water"; How Londoners saw Lambeth.**

Jon Newman, Lambeth Archivist

15:30pm

**"What's in a Name? The Curious Origins of Lambeth's Public Parks and Open Spaces"**

Dr Iain Boulton, Environmental Compliance Officer, L.B. of Lambeth

### WALKS

10:30am 12:30pm and 14:30pm

**"The real Waterloo?"**

Join Lambeth Tour Guides Association for a circular walk around the lesser-known streets of Waterloo.

**£5/person** Book: [bit.ly/WaterlooWalk](https://bit.ly/WaterlooWalk)

Information: [www.lambethlocalhistoryforum.org.uk](http://www.lambethlocalhistoryforum.org.uk)





## Brixton's Blue Plaques

**WALK**

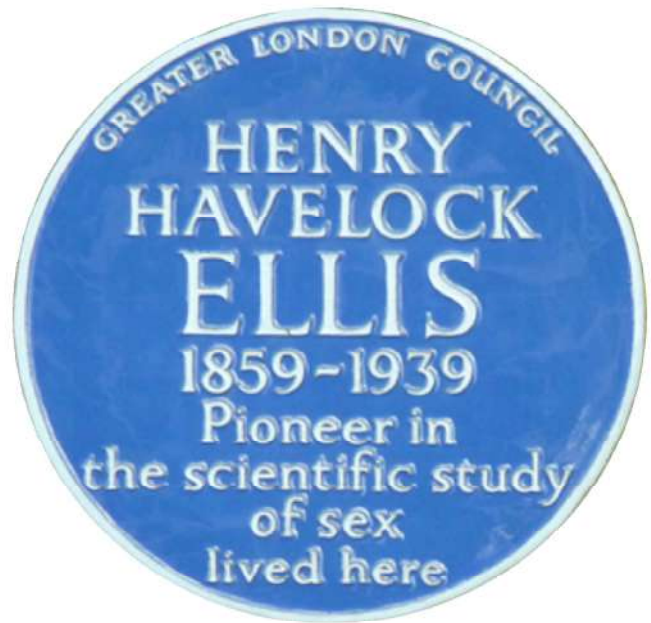
**Sunday 4th September**

TIME: 2.30pm

Brixton Underground station, Brixton Rd, SW9 8HE

Around the middle of Brixton there are many plaques - blue and otherwise - commemorating notable people and events. Find out about them on this 2 hour walk.

**Free**, Donations welcome **Booking essential:**  
Contact: [bill@linskey.org.uk](mailto:bill@linskey.org.uk)



## West Norwood Cemetery Tour

**WALK**

**Sunday 4th September**

TIME: 2.30pm

Cemetery main gate off Norwood Road SE27 9JU

A 1½-2 hour tour. Highlights include monuments of Sir Henry Doulton, Mrs Beeton, Baron de Reuter and Sir Henry Tate.

**Free**, Donations welcome **Booking essential:**  
Contact: [www.fownc.org/events/](http://www.fownc.org/events/)

## The Art of Music Hall

**TALK**

**Tuesday 6th September**

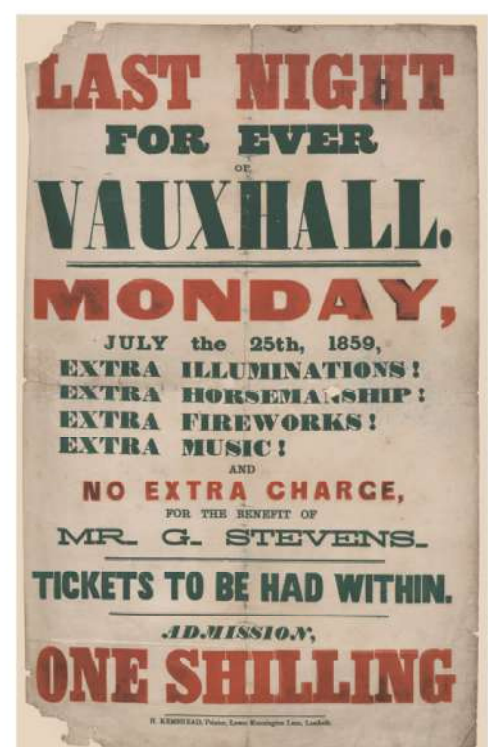
TIME: 7.30pm

St Leonard's Church, Tooting Bec Gardens SW16 1HS

A look at the art and artists inspired and influenced by music hall and variety - sheet music, caricatures and paintings capturing this lively and fascinating world.

Refreshments available.

**Free**, Donations welcome **No booking required.**  
Contact: [www.streathamsociety.org.uk](http://www.streathamsociety.org.uk)





## “Seven turkeys, five sucking pigs, and three miniatures” – A History of Lambeth’s own Art School, the City and Guilds Art School”

**TALK**

**Wednesday 7th September**

TIME: 3.30pm

City & Guilds of London Art School, 124 Kennington Park Road SE11 4DJ

This illustrated talk tells the story of City and Guilds Art School from its 1854 foundation as the Lambeth School of Art, providing instruction to working artisans, to its present day place as a highly regarded, distinctive, independent educational institution. While you are with us visit our MA degree show.

**Free, Booking essential:**

Book: [www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/342843051797](http://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/342843051797)



## Olive Morris House - Gone but not forgotten

**TALK**

**Thursday 8th September**

TIME: 6.00pm

Brixton Library, Brixton Oval, London SW2 1JQ

Most of us took the streamlined sibling of Lambeth Town Hall hovering over Brixton Hill for granted. Opened as Lambeth’s housing office and subsequently named after a powerhouse of the squatter movement, it’s now gone. This talk looks at the architecture, personalities, politics and unique documentation of its premature destruction. We also look forward to a new home for Lambeth Archives.

**Free, Booking essential:**

Contact: [bit.ly/OMHouse](http://bit.ly/OMHouse)



## Tour of the new Lambeth Palace Library

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**Free, Booking essential:**

Book: <https://8-september-guided-tour-lambeth-palace-library.eventbrite.co.uk>



## Walking the Heathwall

**WALK**

**Thursday 8th September**

TIME: 5.00pm

Corner of Clapham Common North Side and Wix's Lane  
SW4 9RX

A walk led by Jon Newman, along one of Lambeth's oldest and least-considered boundaries along the course of the long-vanished Heathwall river. This 2.5 mile walk will finish on the River Thames at Nine Elms/Vauxhall at sunset.

**Free, Booking not necessary:**

Contact: JNewman@lambeth.gov.uk

## Lambeth, a Muslim History walk

**WALK**

**Saturday 10th September**

TIME: 10.30am

Vauxhall Pleasure Gardens, Tea House Theatre, 139  
Vauxhall Walk, London SE11 5HL

Abdul Maalik Tailor's walking tour explores some of the Muslim connections relating to Lambeth: from the development of mosques, Turkish Baths to individuals such as Duse Mohammad Ali and Leila Hassan who have largely been forgotten now, but were once instrumental in their era. The walk includes a visit to a mosque which previously was a church where William Booth got married.

**Booking essential:**

Contact: [www.halaltourismbritain.com/guided-tours/lambeth-tour](http://www.halaltourismbritain.com/guided-tours/lambeth-tour)

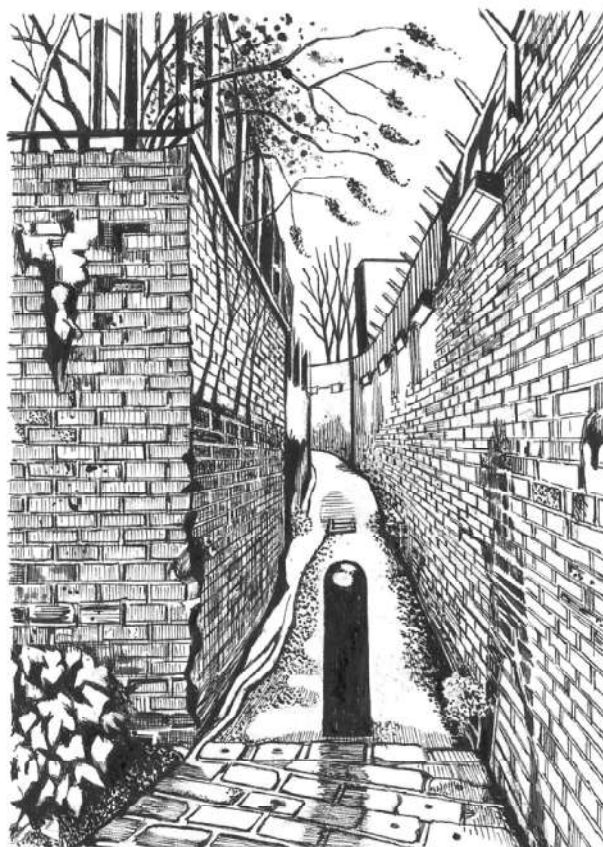


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## Herne Hill Heritage Trail: Central

**WALK**

**Saturday 10th September**

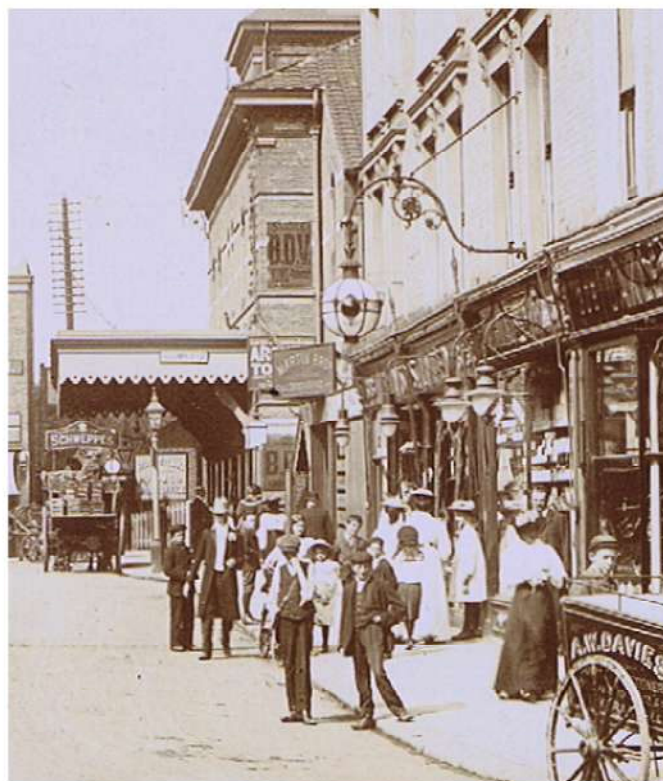
TIME: 10.00am

Herne Hill station, Railton Road SE24 0JW

A guided walk around central Herne Hill

**Free, Booking not necessary:**

Contact: [noticeboard@hernehillsociety.org.uk](mailto:noticeboard@hernehillsociety.org.uk)





## Guided Tours of Brixton Windmill

### TOUR

Saturday 10th September

Sunday 11th September

TIME: 1-5pm

Saturday 24th September

Sunday 25th September

Brixton Windmill, Windmill Gardens, west end of  
Blenheim Gardens SW2 5DA

Visit this wonderful reminder of Brixton's rural past. Discover the two mills in one and learn about the Ashby family, who produced flour at Brixton from 1816-1934. Refreshments, exhibition, Windmill Shop, toilets.

### Free, Booking essential:

40-minute tour to the top must be booked in advance at [www.brixtonwindmill.org/visit](http://www.brixtonwindmill.org/visit)

or just turn up for a shorter guided tour every 20 minutes 1pm-4.40pm



## Brixton Market Heritage Walk

### WALK

Saturday 10th September

TIME: 2:30pm - 3:45pm

Corner of Brixton Station Road and Beehive Place

A 75 minute walk taking in the street markets, covered arcades and high street of this vibrant area.

### £5 includes a booklet, Booking essential:

Book: Eventbrite [bit.ly/MktWalk](https://bit.ly/MktWalk)







## A sedate stroll around the Victorian Kennington Park

**WALK**

**Saturday 10th September**

TIME: 2:30pm

Prince Consort Lodge (Trees for Cities) in Kennington Park, Kennington Park Road, SE11 4AS

On your park perambulation you will hear tales of plants, politics and play; fountains, fitness and spies; revolution, royalty and homes for the "labouring classes". Led by Marietta Crichton Stuart, chair of the Friends of Kennington Park.

**Free, Booking not necessary:**

Email: [friends@kenningtonpark.org](mailto:friends@kenningtonpark.org)

## StoryTrails comes to Brixton

**PERFORMANCE**

TIME: see below

**Saturday 10th September** 10:00am to 6:00pm

**Sunday 11th September** 11:00am to 5:00pm

Both at Brixton Reference Library, Brixton Oval, SW12 1JQ

Brixton Library is one of 15 locations where untold stories from the past are brought to life using augmented and virtual reality and with the voices of the local community. As the UK's largest immersive storytelling project, it will change the way we tell stories about ourselves, animating public spaces and inspiring a national conversation about who we are and where we are going.

**Free, Booking not necessary:**

During Library opening times:  
[beta.lambeth.gov.uk/libraries-0/brixton-tate-library](https://beta.lambeth.gov.uk/libraries-0/brixton-tate-library).  
 Information: [www.story-trails.com](http://www.story-trails.com)





## Guided Walk of Brixton Hill

**Walk**

TIME: 12:45pm

**Sunday 11th September**

Brixton Windmill, Windmill Gardens, west end of Blenheim Gardens SW2 5DA

A 1½ hour walk with a Blue Badge Guide, covering 19th- and 20th-century developments near Brixton Windmill including prison, waterworks, trams and telegraphy. Arrive 12.50 for 1pm.

**Fee: £12, or £6 concessions (children free)**

All proceeds to Brixton Windmill.

**Booking essential:**

Contact: [brixtonwindmill.org/visit/guided-walks](http://brixtonwindmill.org/visit/guided-walks)



## Percy Phillips-Adventures with Electricity

**TALK**

TIME: 6:30pm - 8:30pm

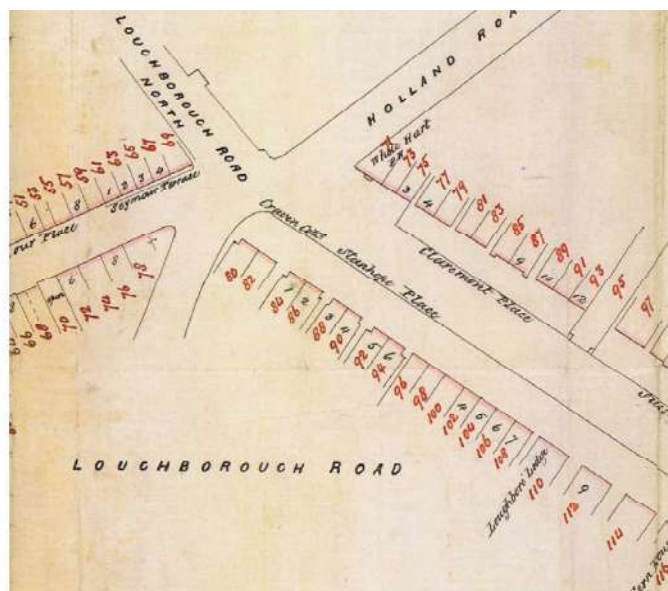
**Tuesday 13th September**

Brixton Library, Brixton Oval, London SW2 1JQ

Peter Phillips a Brixton Musician and writer will discuss Phillips' Sound Recording Service, Liverpool's first recording studio. Peter will share extensive archive material from the studio of his grandfather, Percy Phillips, including photographs and recordings such as the first Beatles records. These are audio snapshots of the social and cultural changes that took place during the 1950s /60s.

**Free, Booking not necessary:**

Contact: [foftlbrixton@gmail.com](mailto:foftlbrixton@gmail.com)



## Loughborough Road Histories

**TALK**

TIME: 7pm - 8:30pm

**Tuesday 13th September**

Carnegie Library 192 Herne Hill Road SE24 0AG

Author and local resident, Tracey Gregory, will give a talk illustrated with images from the book, and some not in the book, to help tell some of the stories of the people and places of Loughborough Road.

**Free, Booking essential:**

Contact: [foclchair@gmail.com](mailto:foclchair@gmail.com)



## September 2022 at a glance

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Tour 15.30pm p2

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#### Brixton Rec - document its histories

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### Saturday 17th

#### The Great North Wood – a Perambulation

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#### Film: “The Last Witness”

Film 6.00pm – 8.30pm p14

### Sunday 18th

#### Brixton West of the High Street

Walk 2.30pm- 4.00pm p15

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#### Charlie Chaplin in Kennington

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## The Development of Clapham Park

**WALK**

TIME: 2.30pm

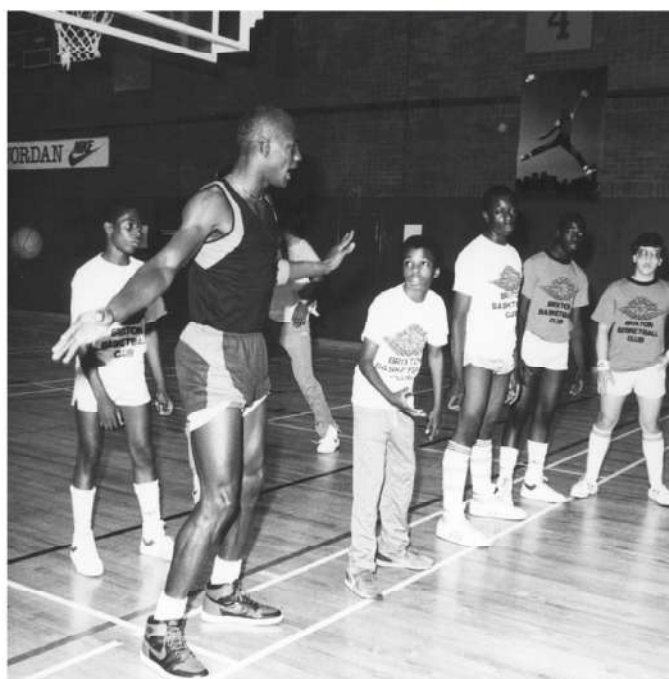
Wednesday 14th September

Agnes Riley Gardens, Atkins Road, SW12 0AH

Alyson Wilson's walk will start close to the site of Lincoln House, the Clapham Park home of Thomas Cubitt (1788-1855) and trace the development of the southern part of his estate from parkland, through 19th century mansions and public housing from the 1930s onwards, to the continuing 21st century rebuilding.

**Free, Booking essential:**

Contact: [history@claphamsociety.com](mailto:history@claphamsociety.com)



## Revisiting Brixton Rec - Help us to document the histories of The Rec

**EVENT**

TIME: 6.30pm - 8.30pm

Thursday 15th September

Brixton Recreation Centre, 27 Brixton Station Road  
SW9 8QQ

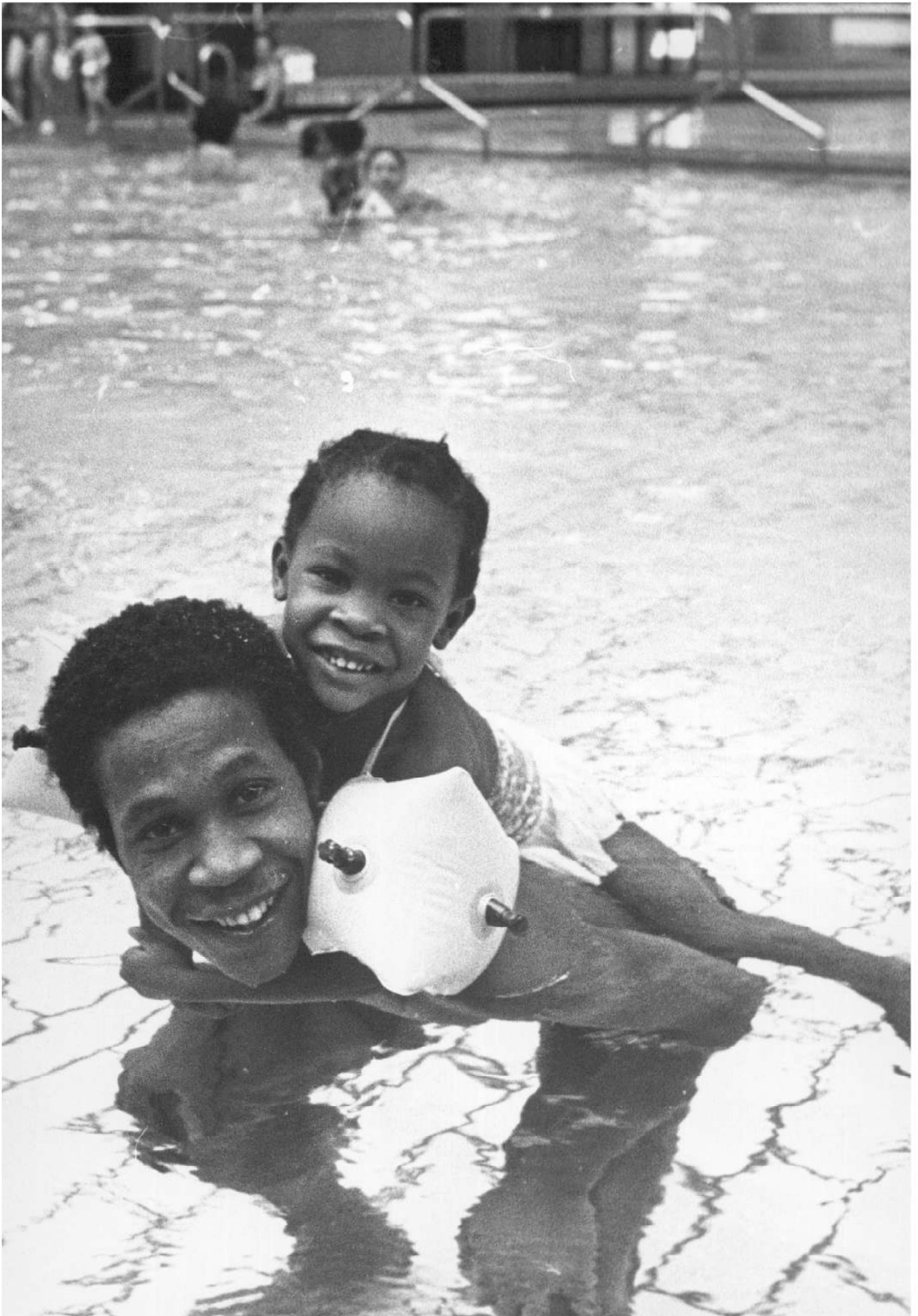
Help us to document and record the often-neglected histories of Brixton Recreation Centre. Bring your photographs, trophies or medals, memories and stories. We want to capture your experiences of the energy, tournaments, conferences, exhibitions and parties at The Rec that make our building, and the ways we use it so special. All memories and materials will form part of the collection at Lambeth Archives.

**Free,**

Contact: [www.revisitingbrixtonrec.org.uk](http://www.revisitingbrixtonrec.org.uk)









## Herne Hill Heritage Trail: North

**WALK**

TIME: 10.00am

**Saturday 17th September**

Herne Hill Velodrome entrance at 104 Burbage Road  
SE24 9HE

A guided walk around north Herne Hill.

**Free, Booking not necessary:**

Contact: [noticeboard@hernehillsociety.org.uk](mailto:noticeboard@hernehillsociety.org.uk)



## The Great North Wood – a Heritage and Wildlife Perambulation

**WALK**

TIME: 2.00pm - 4.00pm

**Saturday 17th September**

Streatham Common (meet outside the Rookery Café,  
Streatham Common South)

A gentle walk around a number of open spaces in Lambeth that were once part of the 'Great North Wood', an extensive area of woodland that once covered much of South London. A delve into their fascinating history, evolution, ecology and present and future uses. Led by Dr Iain Boulton.

**Free, Booking essential:**

Contact: email, [parks@lambeth.gov.uk](mailto:parks@lambeth.gov.uk)



## Feature film screening: "The Last Witness"

**FILM**

TIME: 6.00pm-8.00pm

**Saturday 17th September**

West Norwood Picturehouse, 1-5 Norwood High Street  
SE27 9JX

An ambitious journalist risks all to uncover the true identity of an Eastern European refugee and his connection to the British government's collusion in the cover up of one of Stalin's most notorious crimes, followed by a Q&A with Director Piotr Szkopiak.

**Free, Booking essential:**

Book: [www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/367144718737](http://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/367144718737)



## Heritage Walk – Brixton West of the High Street

**WALK**

TIME: 2.30pm - 4.00pm

**Sunday 18th September**

see booking details

Brixton West of the High Street - exploring the backwaters behind the big stores.

### **Free, Booking essential:**

Details of meeting point, and to book places  
email: [info@brixtonsociety.org.uk](mailto:info@brixtonsociety.org.uk)



## Charlie Chaplin in Kennington

**TALK**

TIME: 6.45pm

**Monday 19th September**

Durning Library, 167 Kennington Lane, SE11 4HF

The Cinema Museum presents an illustrated talk by Martin Humphries. Charles Chaplin was brought up in Kennington, mainly by his mother Hannah (a music hall performer) until he was 5. Poverty meant they lived in numerous places. We look at some, including the Museum's home, and see home movie footage of Chaplin revisiting Kennington in the 1950's.

### **Free, Booking essential:**

Book: [www.eventbrite.com/e/353748399987](http://www.eventbrite.com/e/353748399987)

Refreshments £3

## Flaming Dene – A Victorian stunner, actress and nude model.

**TALK**

TIME: Bar from 6.00pm talk at 8.00pm

**Monday 19th September**

Omnibus Theatre, 1 Clapham Common North Side, SW4 0QW

Eilat Negev and Yehuda Koren will introduce their book about Dorothy Dene, muse of Pre-Raphaelite painter Frederic Leighton and model for his famous painting Flaming June. The painting was found behind panelling during the restoration of a Clapham house in the 1960s, and sold for a mere £50 at a time when Victorian art was seriously out of vogue.

### **Free, Booking not necessary:**

Contact: [alysonwilson.sw4@gmail.com](mailto:alysonwilson.sw4@gmail.com)





## Industrial Lambeth - Walk Along Lambeth's waterfront

**WALK**

**Thursday 22nd September**

TIME: 11.00am

Vauxhall Underground station opposite Vauxhall Mainline SW8 2LN

Find out how the marshy acres of Water Lambeth became a bustling hive of industry as we trace the development and demise of the munitions factories and glassworks of the mid-seventeenth century to the vinegar works, potteries and breweries of the nineteenth.

**Cost: £12, Booking essential:**

Contact: [www.lambethtourguides.org/news](http://www.lambethtourguides.org/news)



## Herne Hill Heritage Trail: South

**WALK**

**Saturday 24th September**

TIME: 10.00am

All Saints' church, Lovelace Rd, Norwood SE21 8JY

A guided walk around south Herne Hill

**Free, Booking not necessary:**

Contact: [noticeboard@hernehillsociety.org.uk](mailto:noticeboard@hernehillsociety.org.uk)



## Harvest Festival at Brixton Windmill

**FESTIVAL**

**Sunday 25th September**

TIME: 1.00PM -5.00pm

Windmill Gardens, west end of Blenheim Gardens SW2 5DA.

This free family festival will celebrate the annual wheat harvest and the histories and crafts of milling and artisan bread making with live music, fun games for children, and craft workshops for both adults and children.

**Free, Booking not necessary:**

Contact: [www.brixtonwindmill.org/news-events/all-events/](http://www.brixtonwindmill.org/news-events/all-events/)

### Saturday 24th and Sunday 25th tours

A 40-minute tour to the top must be booked in advance or just turn up for a shorter guided tour every 20 minutes 1pm-4.40pm



## Tour of the grounds of Henry Tate's house, Park Hill

### TOUR

TIME: 2.00pm and 3.00pm

Sunday 25th September

Henry Tate Mews, Streatham Common North, SW16 3HA

Park Hill was built in c.1830 by William Leaf a banker and silk merchant. Henry Tate, the sugar magnate, lived here from 1885. A philanthropist and art collector, he opened his gallery here to the public once a year and later donated most of his collection to the Tate Gallery, which he established in London. St Michael's Convent later occupied what is now a private residential site.

**Free,** Donations welcome **Booking essential:**  
Book: Eventbrite [bit.ly/Tate2pm](https://bit.ly/Tate2pm) [bit.ly/Tate3pm](https://bit.ly/Tate3pm)  
There are no toilets on site



## 6th Annual Windmill Lecture Milling at Brixton Windmill – past, present and future

### LECTURE

TIME: 7.15pm - 9.15pm

Wednesday 28th September

Brixton Windmill Centre, 100 Blenheim Gardens, (in Windmill Gardens park) SW2 5DA

The Windmill Lecture this year looks at the subject of milling. How the Brixton-based milling business established by John Ashby in 1816 survived until 1934, how FoWG volunteers have been milling flour once again since 2014 and how flour production might change in the future.

**Free, Booking essential:**

Contact: [www.brixtonwindmill.org/news-events/all-events/](http://www.brixtonwindmill.org/news-events/all-events/)

## Clapham Film Unit Screening

### FILM

TIME: 6.30pm - 8.30pm

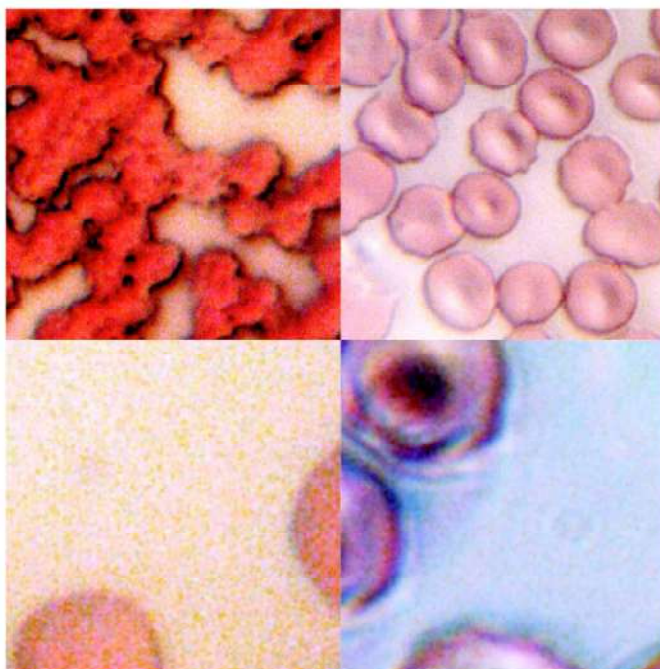
Thursday 29th September

Ritzy Cinema, Brixton Oval, Coldharbour Lane SW2 1JG

A collection of Lambeth-related short films made by Clapham Film Unit members and friends: Chaplin was Here by Darren Zlatareff; Blood Film by Karolina Raczynski; People's Piano by Tom Rochester and Maureen Ni Fiann; Brixton Bustle by Shaun Clark; Under the Stone by Charlotte Bill; Surviving Suicide/Mental Health Tree by Elizabeth McMullan; Bronze Woman by Ego Ahaiwe.

**Free, Booking essential:**

Book: [www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/clapham-film-unit-screening-tickets-341650825817](https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/clapham-film-unit-screening-tickets-341650825817)





## Month long events

### The History of Lambeth River Station

#### EXHIBITION

1st-30th September

#### ONLINE

A online exhibition by the London Fire Brigade Museum bringing together the Brigade's photography archive and the Massey Shaw Education Trust's collection to celebrate the history of London Fire Brigade's river station in Lambeth.

#### No booking required.

ONLINE at [www.london-fire.gov.uk/museum](http://www.london-fire.gov.uk/museum)



### The Polish experience in South London

#### EXHIBITION

1st-30th September

West Norwood Library, 1-5 Norwood High Street  
SE27 9JX

An exhibition curated by Karolina Jonc-Buczek exploring the experiences of Poles who settled in South London shortly after World War II and reflecting on the Polish identity, culture, and heritage through the decades; including Home to Home: Polish community portraits by Urszula Soltys which confronts Polish stereotypes.

#### No booking required.

Contact: [beta.lambeth.gov.uk/libraries-0/west-norwood-library](mailto:beta.lambeth.gov.uk/libraries-0/west-norwood-library)

### A Snapshot of a Clapham street 50 years ago

#### EXHIBITION

7th-30th September

Omnibus Theatre Café/Bar, 1 Clapham Common  
North Side, SW4 0QW

In 1972 John S. Webb held an exhibition at Clapham Library, showing photographs of Stonhouse Street, shortly before much of it was demolished for redevelopment. This year the same photographs shown at the same venue, now Omnibus Theatre, provide a fascinating insight into life in Clapham 50 years ago.

#### No booking required.

Open Friday to Saturday 9.00am -6.00pm  
and evenings from 6.00pm when a show is on.  
Contact: [www.omnibus-clapham.org](http://www.omnibus-clapham.org)





## Florence Nightingale Museum

### EXHIBITION

Wednesdays to Sundays

10am – 5pm (Last Entry 4:30pm)

1st-30th September

Florence Nightingale Museum, Lambeth Palace  
Road, SE1 7EW

For the Lambeth Heritage Festival 2022, the  
Florence Nightingale Museum will be offering free  
entry to Lambeth residents across September.

### No booking required.

but bring proof of postcode to gain free entry.

Contact: [info@florence-nightingale.co.uk](mailto:info@florence-nightingale.co.uk) or

Tel: 020 7188 4400





# Heritage Playback Stories

## PERFORMANCE

1st-30th September

Various

Heritage Playback Stories (HPS) is a intergenerational storytelling performance project which aims to celebrate, commemorate and educate people about Lambeth Heritage by using personal stories as source material. Life stories are volunteered by audience members and then enacted on the spot by the HPStorytellers accompanied by musicians.

5 free of charge HPS events will occur throughout September 2022 that will deepen awareness of Lambeths Heritage in the borough.

**No booking required.**

Contact: [www.492kornaklub.com](http://www.492kornaklub.com)  
for booking details or Tony Cealy: 07956 877358





# Lambeth Archives

Lambeth Archives is the local history library and archive for the borough.

The Archives collects, makes available and preserves historic records and published material relating to Lambeth and its people, past and present. These collections chart the growth and histories of Lambeth over the centuries.

You can visit Lambeth Archives to trace your family history, your house history, to discover the origins of your neighbourhood or look at how the area is governed. Staff are on hand to assist you. Access is free and appointments can be made by phone or email.

## Lambeth Archives

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London, SE5 9QY

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Image website [www.landmark.lambeth.gov.uk/default.asp](http://www.landmark.lambeth.gov.uk/default.asp)

Twitter: @LambethArchives

We are open:

Monday 1pm - 8pm

Tuesday 10am - 6pm

Thursday 10am - 6pm

Friday 10am - 3pm

Alternate Saturdays  
9am - 1pm, 2pm - 5pm



## Lambeth Local History Forum

The Lambeth Local History Forum is the umbrella body for the local history and amenity societies in Lambeth. It runs a summer walks programme and works with Lambeth Archives to promote the history and heritage of the borough. [www.lambethlocalhistoryforum.org.uk](http://www.lambethlocalhistoryforum.org.uk)





A month long festival led by Lambeth Archives and the Lambeth Local History Forum