

Liberty Festival

presented at World Para Athletics Championships

PROGRAMME

Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park Saturday 15 July • 1.30pm – 6.30pm • Free







Welcome to Liberty Festival

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Foreword

I am delighted to welcome you to the fantastic Liberty Festival. As Mayor I have pledged to do all that I can to make our city the most accessible and inclusive on the planet for every Londoner and visitor; so that we are truly open to all. That is why I am so proud of this ground-breaking festival and its brilliant line-up.

Prepare yourself for live music, dance, circus, street theatre and fantastic food. If that is not enough you can try out wheelchair basketball, boccia, sitting volleyball and even new age kurling. There is something for everyone - and while you are here why not grab a ticket to the World Para Athletics Championships?





Sadiq Khan Mayor of London

It is wonderful to welcome back the Liberty Festival to Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park for its 5th year.

Liberty Festival is one of the highlights in the Park's calendar, when the parkland and open spaces burst into life with an amazing array of community sports and arts. I hope you enjoy everything on offer, whether it's your first visit to the Festival, or you're a regular attendee!

It's particularly timely for the Festival to be back at this time, as it is also one year on since the launch of our Global Disability Innovation Hub, a new international research centre at Here East aiming to improve the lives of disabled people worldwide; and in the middle of the World Para Athletics Championships at the London Stadium - a 10 day celebration of world class sport.

I look forward to it being the best Liberty Festival yet!



David Goldstone Chief Executive Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park



Enjoy the very best of Deaf and disability arts

This year's amazing line-up has something for everyone, with accessible art, music, circus, dance, street arts and spectacle. Discover a forgotten story with Admiral Pullen's Party, compose your own soundtrack with interactive Planted Symphony and

check out the extraordinary skills of international breakdance crew ILL-Abilities. There's a packed programme from local disability arts champions Together! 2012 plus plenty of opportunities to take part in arts workshops throughout the day. Enjoy!







Free sports for everyone to try

If you fancy getting active, you can have a go at lots of different inclusive sports throughout the day. All ages and abilities can come and try wheelchair basketball, inclusive cycling,

boccia, dance, New Age Kurling, Parkour, wallball, golf and sitting volleyball. To find out more about inclusive sport in east London, visit the Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park stall or motivateeast.co.uk





Map Key

FESTIVAL LINE UP

- A. Caliper Kid Totem by Jason Wilsher-Mills
- B. Work in Progress by Oliver MacDonald
- C. What Am I Worth by Extraordinary Bodies
- D. Together! 2012
- E. Mirror Mirror by Mind The Gap
- F. Corazón a Corazón by Deaf Men Dancing
- G. Liberty Carnival by Wac Arts and Mahogany
- H1. Accessible viewing platform
- H2. Music stage and screen
- I. Stelli by Teatro Stalker
- J. Liberty Parade exhibition by David Hevey
- K. Planted Symphony by Drake Music
- L. Taking Flight by Rogue Play
- M. Three Seater Syndrome by Oliver MacDonald
- N. Admiral Pullen's Party by Vital Xposure
- O. ILL-Abilities









1. Cycling

2. Tennis

3. Boccia and New Age Kurling

4. Sport and dance

5. Wheelchair basketball

6. Boxing

7. Sitting volleyball

8. Fencing

9. WallBall

10. Golf

Also don't miss Parkour. Sessions run at 2pm, 3pm, 4pm and 5pm. Meet at H1.



Access Information

Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park has been designed to be as accessible as possible. Liberty Festival takes place across the Park which is predominantly a hard standing area, with step-free access.

ACCESS FACILITIES AT THE EVENT WILL INCLUDE:

- Audio description headsets available at the Event Information and Access Points.
- BSL interpretation, induction loops and 'speech to text services' available at various locations. Also roaming Personal Assistants, BSL interpreters and audio describers.

- BSL and audio-described tours start at Event Information and Access Point.
- Rest area located at the northwest corner of the site next to the Mobiloo Changing Places unit. Please see Event Map.
- Changing Places facilities available at The Podium, next to the ArcelorMittal Orbit.
 A Mobiloo Changing Places unit is also available on site, near the Rest area. See Event Map.
- Assistance dogs welcome; spend area available. See Event Map.
- Mobility equipment available from the Park Information & Access Point. Please note a form of identification is required as a deposit.



- A free Dial-a-Ride bus service for disabled people will run between Stratford station (exit at platform 13) and the drop-off point near the festival. Quote: Liberty Festival.
- Blue Badge temporary parking at Multi Storey Car Park, on Waterden Road off Eastway London E9 5JH. Pre-booking essential. Tel: 0800 0722 110. Quote: Liberty Festival.
- Free shuttle service available from Blue Badge parking to festival drop off point. Quote: Liberty Festival.

 388 public bus from Stratford City Bus Station to Park entrance on Westfield Avenue (check for diversions).

Please note: There will be photography and filming at the event. If you don't wish to be filmed or photographed please collect and wear a sticker, available from one of the Information & Access Points.

More information is available from the Event Information and Access Points.

Community Stalls and Workshops

- Shape Arts
- WAC Arts
- Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park and Motivate East
- Together! 2012
- Whizz-Kidz

- Artsline
- Attitude Is Everything
- Transport for London
- Unison
- Thrive London
- Regard

Programme

Details were correct at time of printing and may be subject to change. Check at information points for updates.

Screen Captions

Time	ACROSS SITE	
1.30pm- 6.30pm	Come and Try sports: including wheelchair basketball, inclusive cycling, boccia, dance, New Age Kurling, parkour, tennis, wallball, golf and sitting volleyball	
Time	MUSIC STAGE Compered by Kelly Knox & Samantha Renke	Map Reference
1.30pm- 6.30pm	Highlights from the Together! Disability Film Festival are being screened between the live musical acts	H2
1.45pm- 2.15pm	Namlo - Led by Ganga Thapa, capturing the diverse musical traditions of Nepal	H2
2.50pm- 3.05pm	2 Decks - Hip-hop/rock band taking the UK learning disability music scene by storm	H2
3.15pm- 3.30pm	Daniel Wakeford - Pure and ecstatic pop from charismatic singer songwriter	H2
3.45pm- 4.10pm	Signmark - Deaf Finnish rap artist proving that music is more than what you can hear	H2
4.45pm- 5.15pm	Monica Vasconcelos - Bringing a unique mix of Bossa Nova, jazz and a dash of 'Vintage Brazil'	H2
5.55pm- 6.25pm	Holy Moly and the Crackers - "Wild gypsy troubadours with more than a touch of magic about them"	H2

Time	STREET ARTS, DANCE AND CARNIVAL ADIII	Map Reference
1.45pm- 2.15pm	Mirror Mirror by Mind The Gap - Playful, surreal and thought-provoking street theatre	E
2.15pm- 2.40pm	Corazón a Corazón by Deaf Men Dancing - Exploring themes of passion, politics and power through fusion of dance and BSL	F
3.20pm- 3.50pm	Mirror Mirror by Mind The Gap - Playful, surreal and thought-provoking street theatre	E
4.15pm- 4.40pm	LIBERTY CARNIVAL: a specially created carnival celebration presented by young people from Wac Arts and Mahogany	G
4.40pm- 5.10pm	Mirror Mirror by Mind The Gap - As above	E
5.15pm- 5.40pm	Corazón a Corazón by Deaf Men Dancing - As above 逢	F
1.30pm- 6.30pm	Help make a banner with Regard, the UK's LGBTQ Disabled People's Organisation. Marking the 50th anniversary of the partial decriminalisation of homosexuality	Stalls
Time	TOGETHER! 2012 TENT 🎍 🚥	Map Reference
1.30pm- 6.30pm	Together! 2012 presents poetry, music, dance, cabaret and comedy from locally based disabled artists and some very special guests. plus celebrate the life of Sophie Partridge in Pink Hour from 2.30pm. Produced by Ju Gosling aka ju90	D





Time	JASON WILSHER-MILLS	Map Reference
1.30pm- 6.30pm	Caliper Kid Totem by Jason Wilsher-Mills - Explore 3D printed sculpture and virtual reality installations 2pm-3pm	Α
Time	EXTRAORDINARY BODIES AD	Map Reference
1.30pm- 6.30pm	What Am I Worth by Extraordinary Bodies - Contribute ideas to a new show through work- shops, photography and music 3pm-4pm	С
Time	ADMIRAL PULLEN'S PARTY	Map Reference
1.30pm- 2.25pm	Workshop: Admiral Pullen's Party by Vital Xposure. Discover a forgotten story and take part in workshops	N
2.25pm- 3pm	Performance and Procession: Admiral Pullen's Party by Vital Xposure. Discover a forgotten story and join a giant puppet parade	N
3pm- 5.25pm	Workshop: Admiral Pullen's Party by Vital Xposure	N
5.25pm- 6pm	Performance and Procession: Admiral Pullen's Party by Vital Xposure	N



Time	ILL-ABILITIES 🚵 🗚D))	Map Reference
2.45pm- 3.15pm	ILL-Abilities - International all-star disabled breakdance crew	0
5.55pm- 6.25pm		0
Time	OLIVER MACDONALD ADIII	Map Reference
1.30pm- 6.30pm	Work In Progress - Installation - One of two public artworks by recipient of Shape Arts' Adam Reynolds Memorial Bursary	В
1.30pm- 6.30pm	Three Seater Syndrome - One of two public artworks by recipient of Shape Arts' Adam Reynolds Memorial Bursary	М
1.30pm- 3.45pm	Oliver MacDonald leads a willow weaving workshop	M
4.15pm- 6.30pm		IVI
Time	TALKING FLIGHT 🔌 🗚D	Map Reference
1.55pm- 2.20pm	Performance: Taking Flight by Rogue Play - Follow the journey of two friends and a bird across land and sea, then join in circus skills workshops	L
2.25pm- 3.25pm	Workshop: Taking Flight by Rogue Play - Follow the journey of two friends and a bird across land and sea, then join in circus skills workshops	L
4.55pm- 5.20pm	Performance: Taking Flight by Rogue Play	L
5.25pm- 6.25pm	Workshop: Taking Flight by Rogue Play	L

Time	GIANT RAINBOW COLOURED PICK UP STICKS (AD)	Map Reference
2.30pm- 3pm 4.30pm- 5pm	Stelli by Teatro Stalker - Create a large scale architectural construction from rainbow coloured wooden sticks	I
Time	PLANTED SYMPHONY 🚵 🗚	Map Reference
2.00pm- 2.30pm 3pm-	Planted Symphony by Drake Music with Arts and Gardens - Compose your own horticultural soundtrack with assistive music technology	K
3.30pm 4pm- 4.30pm		
5pm- 5.30pm		
6pm- 6.30pm		
Time	LIBERTY PARADE	Map Reference
1.30pm- 6.30pm	Portraits of Disabled People by David Hevey - Vibrant and empowering large scale photographic portraits of disabled people	J
Time	SPORT AND DANCE AD	Map Reference
1.30pm- 2pm	Performance and Workshop: Join Step Change Studios for a feel-good Foxtrot performance followed by a fun, inclusive Latin and Ballroom dance taster, giving everyone a chance to have a taste of the 'Strictly' experience	4

2.05pm- 2.15pm	Performance: #MyStrengthSolo by Laura Dajao - Solo dance incorporating Hip Hop, Krump, Waacking and contemporary	4
2.20pm- 2.40pm	Performance and Workshop: ³ Urban Motivation ² by Wac Arts - Young people share inspiring dance moves	4
2.45pm- 3.15pm	Performance: Signdance Collective International and Together! 2012 present a special edition of their touring production Carthage, highlighting themes of slavery and human trafficking	4
3.20pm- 3.45pm	Performance and Workshop: 'Dance in the Dark' workshop by Illuminate Freedom. Uplifting gentle dance and exercise based movement [2] (AD)))	4
3.50pm- 4.15pm	Workshop: Wheelchair Dance Sport Association - Come try Inclusive Dance and Dancesport - everyone can dance!	4
4.20pm- 4.50pm	Cheerleading - Watch a performance from professional cheerleaders. Learn a routine and perform it with friends and family!	4
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Coming soon

14-23 July: World Para Athletics
Championships London 2017
and 4-13 August: IAAF World
Championships London 2017,
London Stadium, Queen
Elizabeth Olympic Park
Don't miss out on the world's
biggest sporting event taking place at the London
Stadium this summer.
London2017athletics.com

28-30 July: Prudential RideLondon, Central London Don't miss Prudential RideLondon, this three-day world-class festival of cycling

world-class festival of cycling in London and Surrey.
London.gov.uk/ride

26 August: Living Arts Festival, Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park

Free creative workshops centred around the Timber Lodge in the north of the Park, and delivered by five local arts charities.

QueenElizabethOlympicPark.
co.uk/events

28 August: East London Waterways Festival, Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park

Elizabeth Olympic Park
Celebrate the reopening
of Carpenters Road Lock
and the regeneration of
east London's waterways.
QueenElizabethOlympicPark.
co.uk/events

24 September: Harvest Stomp, Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park

Try local growing and produce from around the Park. There'll be live music and dancing, plus workshops, entertainment, stalls and more.

QueenElizabethOlympicPark. co.uk/events

14 October: Africa on the Square, Trafalgar Square

Enjoy African culture in the heart of London, with music, dance, a market, food stalls, fashion and loads for the kids. London.gov/Africa

15 October: Diwali Festival, Trafalgar Square

Celebrate the Hindu, Sikh and Jain festival of lights with lively performances, street food market, craft and community stalls. London.gov.uk/Diwali

ArcelorMittal Orbit and The Slide

While you're here, don't miss stunning views of London. Take a trip down the world's longest and tallest tunnel slide! (Book ahead at peak times) ArcelorMittalOrbit.com



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