

Summertime, and the living is easy. George and Ira Gershwin

The summer continues to shine. Lido **water temperatures are in the twenties** and people are queuing to get a poolside pitch. Don't forget that if you want to skip the queue for the pool you can buy a **swipe card "carnet" of 5 or 10 swims** (to be used within this season) from Lido reception. Also remember that swim prices are cheapest before 10am and after 5pm. See [Fusion website](#) for details. Good news is **that all six showers in the spa area are now working** (thanks Clare). And just a little reminder that there are some **white plastic chairs available on poolside primarily for those that are less able** and that anyone wishing to use one should ask a lifeguard. Also thanks to all those who helped make the **Windrush Aquathlon** such a great success. There were more than 100 swimmers/runners. And there was a minor triumph achieved by the **Brockwell Icicle Dream Team** at the Tooting Bec Lido Spring Gala which has been delightfully reported in [Katie's blog](#). And lastly, its good bye and good luck to **Alfie Morrison** in the gym as he is leaving but the good news is that he will still work occasionally as a Personal Trainer. Book your session soon!

And some dates for your diary:

Luna films present *Captain Philips* 12A. Thursday 24th July. Doors open: 7:45pm. Performance starts 9:15pm. Tickets: £13.50 Booking line 0844 858 6767.

Meeting to discuss Fun Palace at the Lido. All welcome. Monday, 28th July 6pm at The Lido Café.

Gentle Fit Swim sessions suitable for improver swimmers able to swim a minimum of 400m. The sessions are aimed at swim technique and fitness. Don't panic, the lessons are not aimed at making you into a potential triathlete but being able to swim further with less effort! Every Tuesday 29th July - 2nd September 9.30 - 10.15am. Cost £45. Contact Lido Mike on 07770261809 or www.streamlineswims.com

FREE Brockwell Park Memorial Recital. The Brockwell Park Community Partners together with its Music, Arts, Dance and Drama Committee (MADD) with international and local actors. Theme is 'the last day of Peace' - to view the 100th anniversary of World War 1 in a diverse way and bring in texts that relate to wider perspectives of the conflict. Sunday 27th July 7.30pm

WE LOVE GLEE !!! Dance and Drama Camp Celebrating GLEE. Learn the moves and the songs and celebrate with an end of week showcase! PLUS FREE SWIMMING in the lido every day! 9am-1pm. Age 8-11 29th July-1st August: 12th-15th August: 26th-29th August. Age 12-16 5th-8th August: 19th-22nd August. As this is a funded programme, the places are open only to families on lower income and living in Lambeth. Please get in touch with Kelly Dummer for a booking form - kelly.dummer@fusion-lifestyle.com

Luna films present *Jaws*. Tuesday 12th August. Booking line 0844 858 6767.

Annual swimming races. Everyone welcome to this FREE fun event. No wetsuits! Registration 4.30-5.15pm. Free tea and cake for all participants. Trophies/medals for all races. Saturday 31st August 6-8.30pm

Luna film to be chosen by public vote. Thursday 18th September. Doors open: 7:45pm. Performance starts 9:15pm. Tickets: £13.50. Vote for your favourite 1980s classic by 31st July: check out www.thelunacinema.com to vote and of course buy tickets.

****BLU ANNUAL FORUM**.** Your chance to discuss all aspects of life at Brockwell Lido with BLU, Fusion and Lambeth. Saturday 27th September 10am-12 noon at the Lido.

During September, a **survey of Lido users** will be carried out on behalf of Fusion. If you are asked to take part we hope you will agree and that you will share your views fully and honestly about all aspects of the Lido.

Fun Palace. This will be a FREE event on Sunday 5th October and promises to be wonderful. You can find out more and get involved via Facebook (Fun Palaces). Or come to a meeting at The Lido Café on Monday, 28th July at 6pm.

Our **synchronised swimmers** are perfecting their moves on Wednesday evenings 7-8pm. We hope they will do a public performance before the end of summer. For more info email brockwellmermaids@gmail.com

Look out for **Shiatsu** by the pool on fine days. Karen Livesey offers relaxing and revitalising sessions under her gazebo. www.karenliveseyshiatsu.co.uk or follow @karenlivesey on Twitter.

Jubilee Pool is Penzance's fine 1930's lido which is under threat of permanent closure if funding is not found to support a major investment programme. A bid has been submitted to the Coastal Communities Fund for £1.95m and the investment required is £2.9m. Match funding is being provided by Cornwall Council, Penzance Town Council, The Local Enterprise Partnership and the Friends of Jubilee Pool are committed to raise £160k in

match funding too. Find out more about the Friends of Jubilee Pool on twitter @SaveOurLido and <http://www.jubileepool.co.uk/>

Lambeth Physical Activity and Sports Strategy. Is anyone interested in representing Lido Users and being on the inside track as Lambeth develop a new, community-led sports and physical activity strategy, aimed among other things at reducing health inequalities and supporting sports provision? It's all part of far-reaching changes the borough is making to how they deliver services, and BLU has the chance to participate. If you'd like to get involved for BLU, there's a meeting with community partners on 24 July (probably in the evening) to create an action plan. Please email Ruth Thompson via info@brockwelllido.com and she'll put you in touch with the right people.

So many possibilities at Brockwell Lido! Enjoy the rest of the summer!

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