

Neighbourhood FUTURES FESTIVAL 2026

26-28 JUNE

SUNDAY 28TH JUNE

AMPHITHEATRE

12:30pm-1:30pm - Women & Theatre

Exploring our connection to environment.

2:30pm-3pm - Rainbow Fish to the rescue!

Performance by Riverside Performing Arts

4pm-5pm - Immersive Bhangra performance
With DesiBlitz (starts on field).

CREATIVE SHED

12pm-1pm - Nature Navigators

Explore the overnight moth trap and try pond dipping!

2pm-5pm - Board Game Cafe

Play games galore!

WELLBEING TENT

11am-2pm - Reiki Matters

Relax through focusing on body and mind.

12pm-5pm - Connect More

1-to-1 stitching where conversation flows.

CENTRAL FIELD



11:30am-12:30pm - Family Yoga

Join us for an outdoor yoga session for all ages.

1pm-2pm - Tai Chi

Try out the art of Tai Chi with Vinh!

1:30pm & 3pm - West African Drumming and Games

With Afro Creative Legacy.

4pm-5pm - NJoy Yoga

Come together in a summer solstice yoga session in nature.

BONGA TENT

11:30am-12:30pm - Youth Orchestra

With City of Birmingham Symphony Orchestra.

1pm-4pm - Carnival of Plants & Animals

Mask-making drop-in and carnival procession (3:30pm).

KIDS ZONE

2pm-5pm - Chess Club

Suitable for all ages and abilities.

MEET @ POND

12pm-1pm - Community Litter Pick



OFF-GRID ZONE

11:30am-12:15pm - Mindfulness with David

A morning mindfulness session in the peaceful surrounds of nature.

1pm-4:30pm - Silent Disco

Enjoy a peaceful community silent disco in nature.

2pm-4pm - Nature Story Walk with ecobirmingham

Drop-in to explore the natural world through the power of storytelling.

3:30pm-4:30pm - The Monster Clean Up!

Drama adventure for children aged 2-8 with Toni's Tots.

ON ALL DAY!

Plant Zone - Sky Gardening Challenge

Learn how to green up your balcony or small space with National Trust.

Nature Zone - Forest School

A firm favourite with little ones and parents alike! With Grow Wild.

Large Dome & Courtyard - The Settlement Story & Charity Shop

Explore our history exhibition or grab a bargain in the charity shop.

Small Dome & Courtyard - RECLAIM

Co-design your dream community garden with recycled materials.

Central Field - Family Sports

Connect with your community through shared sports.

Kids Zone - Settlement Crafts

Come along and explore your creative side!

Festival Marketplace

Visit a variety of stallholders and community groups:

Birmingham Settlement Healing Arts Showcase

Exhibition of artwork created by activity groups across our centres.

Off Grid Zone - Drop in Nature Crafts

Engage with nature and the environment with Barber Institute.

COMMUNITY MARKETPLACE & INFO POINT

Friends of the Earth | Warm Earth | Incredible Surplus | National Literacy Trust |

Clean Up UK | We Go Outside Too | & many more!



INSTAGRAM
NATURE CENTRE



INSTAGRAM
B SETTLEMENT

Thank you to
our 2026
partners and
sponsors!



DONATE

Delivered by charity Birmingham Settlement with over 40 community partners, the Neighbourhood Futures Festival is a community-powered celebration of nature, creativity & connection. To find out more, visit www.birminghamsettlement.org.uk