**Here comes the sun!**

**CAMDEN CALLING**

After a year like no other, the summer of 2021 is so close and we are really excited about giving our children and young people the best summer ever.

We know that many Camden residents - particularly children, young people and families - have found the pandemic and its impact on their lives extremely difficult. However, we are delighted that at last we can open up again and offer the opportunity for Camden’s rich and vibrant community to come together to enjoy an ambitious programme of unforgettable and engaging activities.

Every summer, Camden has offered an inspiring range of activities for our children and young people to experience culture and creativity, participate in sports, have fun, make new friends and learn new skills. We know that this was not possible to the same extent in 2020, with many activities held online or in a socially distanced way, and that it has been a hard year for Camden children and young people.

That’s why we want to make sure that this summer we give them more opportunities than ever - with additional activities, expanded experiences and bigger and better promotion of everything that is on offer for children, young people and families in the borough.

**Join us to make it a spectacular summer!**

We are calling for your involvement and support to develop the best ever summer programme for our children and young people. Under an umbrella programme, called **Summer In Camden,** we want to bring together everything being offered across Camden for children and young people (ages 0 to 19), showcasing a wealth of activities across the whole of the summer for all who want to participate.

**Summer In Camden** will be widely promoted by the Council, using all of our communication channels, networks and community relationships. We want you to send us information on your summer projects or opportunities, so we can add them to our **Summer In Camden** programme.

Whether you are a business, a cultural and education institution or part of Camden’s rich youth, play and community sector, we are asking you to join us and be part of our celebratory **Summer In Camden**.Together, we can rebalance the lives of Camden’s children and young people, helping them achieve a brighter future.

Best wishes and thank you for all you are doing for local children, young people and families,



**Councillor Georgia Gould**

**Leader of Camden Counci**l

*We are attaching / will be sending you a proforma soon so we can capture your programmes and offers.*