

Festive Family Rave with Big Fish Little Fish

Saturday 30 December, 14:00 – 16:00, Sackler Centre for arts education

Wear your festive best for a fun family get together with rave music, crafts and merry-making with award winning Big Fish Little Fish.

Recommended for families with 0-8 year olds but all ages welcome. Booking essential. £12 per adult, £8 per child, non-walkers go free (price includes 2 x complimentary drinks for adults and unlimited squash and water for children). Children must be accompanied by an adult. No unaccompanied adults. Max. 3 children per adult. Max. 4 adults per child. Terms and Conditions apply.

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World famous, award winning, Glastonbury Festival performing, family rave sensation Big Fish Little Fish comes to The Victoria and Albert Museum for the first time. This is family fun for the post-rave generation of parents. Helping parents be responsibly irresponsible since 2013.

At the V&A BFLF will put a fun, modern twist on the traditional Christmas family event - bringing their own unique combination of rave music, crafting, fancy dress and intergenerational merry-making. A true celebration - with music at its heart.

Live DJ plays house/rave/techno/drum'n'bass/bass/garage/hip hop on the multi-sensory dancefloor with glitter cannons, bubbles, giant balloons and parachute dance. Captain Cookie Crafts tables with giant mural and themed crafts.

There will be a play area with tents and tunnels and a baby chill out sensory space with mats and soft-play ball pool.

Optional fancy dress: Musical Christmas!

Tickets

Recommended for families with 0-8 year olds but all ages welcome. Booking essential. £12.00 per adult, £8.00 per child, non-walkers go free. Prices includes 2 x complimentary drinks alcoholic and or non-alcoholic available for adults and unlimited squash and water for kids. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Max. 3 children per adult. Max. 4 adults per child. Adults are not admitted unless accompanied by a child. For group bookings of 10 people or more, the ratio needs to be 1 adult per 2 children of any age. There will be no discounts for group bookings.

If there are more than 4 adults per child in your group please email contact@vam.ac.uk for pre-approval before buying tickets.

Tickets are non-refundable.

Each member of your group must have a ticket, pre-walking infants are free but must have a ticket.

Please arrive via the nearest entrance - the new Exhibition Road Quarter, Sackler Courtyard.

Bag checks may be taking place so please allow enough time for this upon arrival.

You are welcome to arrive from 1PM for ticket checking so you are able to get a stamp and then return easily at 2pm on the door.

Please do not bring any extra guests who do not have tickets as they will not be permitted into the rave.

Food & Drink

Each adult ticket entitles each adult to two free drinks of beer or wine, or non-alcoholic refreshments. Free water will be provided for all and unlimited squash will be available for children. There will be no bar facilities and so adults will not be able to buy extra alcoholic drinks. Adults are not permitted to bring their own alcoholic drinks and drinks will be confiscated or adults may be asked to leave by security staff if found with alcoholic drinks brought into the venue. Please note there will be no food available but families can bring packed lunches, snacks and their own soft drinks. Drinks (in plastic cups) may be taken into all parts of the event but not into the galleries.

Face painters

Be transformed! With PHACE by Philly. Kids £5 – Adults £7 www.facebook.com/PHACEbyphilly. Only children over 2 can be face painted. CASH ONLY.

Safety

Please remember that you remain responsible for your children at all times.

Inside the venue we ask that for the safety of all there is no running, no standing on furniture and no aggressive or rowdy behaviour.

There will be a lost kids point in the craft room.

Each event is stewarded and risk assessed in advance. Music is monitored and played at a safe level.

The event is likely to be sold out and will be busy.

There will be lower lighting in some areas to create a club ambience so please allow a few minutes for your eyes to adjust when entering a darker area.

Club lighting rigs (no strobes) are used – which helps create the rave ambience.

The event is also run as a standing event with limited seating.

No buggies are allowed on the dance floor and MUST be left in the buggy park.

A buggy park is available next to the Exhibition Road Quarter Cloakroom. Limited locking facilities are available, tokens can be bought from the cloakroom. Bags must be left in the cloakroom.

There will be a large unstaffed buggy park within the Sackler Centre for arts education event space. Items are left at owner's risk.

For more information on cloakroom facilities - <https://www.vam.ac.uk/visit>

Documentation

Photographs and videos will be taken of the Festive Family Rave by the V&A and Big Fish Little Fish. By entering you are give your permission for us to use the images for BFLF or V&A publicity. If you do not want your image taken – please make yourself known to the photographers/videographers.

Baby Change

There are baby change facilities [throughout the Museum.](#)

FAQs

Are there ID or minimum age requirements to enter the event?

All ages welcome but activities are designed with 0-8 years olds in mind. Music is played at safe levels for everyone.

What are my transport/parking options for getting to and from the event?

Very close to South Kensington and Knightsbridge tube stations and lots of buses nearby.

There is very limited parking near the V&A. Visit <https://www.vam.ac.uk/visit>

How can I contact the organiser with any questions?

info@bigfishlittlefishevents.co.uk