

# CMA Saturday Centre April 2026



## Rehearsal Dates

April 18, 25    May 2, 9, 16    HALF TERM    June 6, 13, 20, 27    July 4, 11 (concert)

## Performances and groups performing

### **Junior Showcase Concert Fairfield, July 6 at 7 pm**

Junior Strings, Junior Band, Junior Keyboards and Guitars

*There will be no rehearsals for these groups on July 11. Normal rehearsal times on July 4*

### **CMA Showcase Concert Fairfield, July 7 at 7 pm**

Concert Band, Intermediate Strings, String Orchestra, Access Classes, Creative Music Makers, Rockworks, Vocal Stars, Djembe Grooves

*There will be no rehearsals for these groups on July 11. Times for July 4 rehearsals to be confirmed*

### **Oasis Shirley Park, July 11 11.00 am**

Violin, Cello and Drama Star Classes, Endangered Species, Keyworks, Dance Stars, Percussion Stars

*No rehearsals for Dance and Percussion Stars on July 4, but Star Classes and ESC rehearse as normal*

## New group starting this term

Djembe Grooves! If you want to have fun learning to play Djembe join Cheikh at 11.15 - 12.00.

## CYM Entrance and Exits

**ARRIVING:** all groups should use the main entrance on Shirley Road.

**LEAVING:** please see the attached list of groups and rooms to see where to meet your child after their last activity.

**We do not allow children to leave without an adult unless I have been given written permission from a parent or carer.**

## Attendance and Punctuality

In order that rehearsals can run efficiently it is important that children are punctual. It is disruptive to classes when children arrive late. If you are unable to attend a rehearsal, please email the CMA office in advance.

## **IMPORTANT: Safeguarding and Health & Safety Update Please read carefully - ACTION REQUIRED**

With the introduction of new guidance for schools later this year, Croydon Music and Arts (CMA) is reinforcing its commitment to safeguarding, and health and safety, to ensure the highest level of care for everyone who attends our provision. All CMA staff receive regular safeguarding training, and qualified first aiders are always on site. To support our staff in looking after your child/ young person, and to ensure we can respond effectively in an emergency, we require all families to complete the following actions:

- Log in to your child's Speed Admin profile immediately and check that all SEN/D and medical information is accurate and up to date. (If you need support with this, please contact the office 020 8681 0909)
- Ensure at least two emergency contact numbers are listed on Speed Admin.
- If we cannot reach you in an emergency, we must be able to contact an alternative trusted adult without delay.
- If your child carries an EpiPen or similar AAI adrenaline device, please email [lucie.vezey@croydon.gov.uk](mailto:lucie.vezey@croydon.gov.uk) to arrange a short but essential discussion about how CMA will safely support its use.

## **Safeguarding contacts**

Our Designated Safeguarding Leads (DSLs) are:

Lucie Vezey - [lucie.vezey@croydon.gov.uk](mailto:lucie.vezey@croydon.gov.uk) and Izzy Fixter - [izzy.fixter@croydon.gov.uk](mailto:izzy.fixter@croydon.gov.uk)

If you have any safeguarding concerns or questions, please contact one of the DSLs as soon as possible.

Thank you for your cooperation in helping us keep all children and young people safe.

## Saturday Centre Contact

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