

# Events in London this summer

Enjoy your summer, your way in London – one of the cultural centres of the world, with an array of attractions to suit all tastes.

Whether that means indulging your foodie side or living it up at carnivals and festivals, our unique range of hotels across the capital mean you really can enjoy a unique summer.

Here's our pick of the best events taking place in London over the coming months...

**9 July**

## Red Bull Soapbox Race, Alexandra Palace

Watch homemade vehicles career downhill at this famous race. If you've got tickets, make sure to check out the Best Western London Highbury.

**4 - 14 August**

## IAAF World Championships, Stratford

The Olympic Stadium comes alive with drama again for the 2017 World Championships. The Best Western London Highbury is just a short ride on the Overground train from the stadium.

**1 - 3 September**

## Meatopia, Tobacco Dock

Some of the world's best chefs will gather for this food festival, with highlights including appearances from Yotam Ottolenghi and Nathan Outlaw. The Best Western London Peckham Hotel is just a short tube ride from the event.

**3 - 16 July**

## Wimbledon, SW19

The world's most famous tennis event returns. Will Andy Murray reclaim his title? The Best Western Plus Vauxhall Hotel serves up a great base for lucky ticket holders to attend the event and explore the city.

**15 July**

## The Chap Olympiad, Bedford Square

Join London's best-dressed gents as they take part in a series of events that put more focus on perfectly-pressed trousers than personal bests. The Best Western Mornington Hotel is just a few stops on the tube.

**28 - 29 August**

## Notting Hill Carnival, Notting Hill

Bank Holiday weekend doesn't come much more stylish than this stunning carnival. The Best Western Mornington Hotel is located in the heart of the action.

**16 September**

## Great Gorilla Run, across London

In a bid to raise awareness of the plight of gorillas, thousands of runners don their best monkey suits and race across the city. The Best Western Mornington Hotel is a great base from which to enjoy this rather unusual spectacle.