



King Edward Memorial Park

Newsletter summer 2022

Share your views on the future of King Edward Memorial Park

Consultation event Saturday 20 August 12noon - 4pm with arts and crafts activity for children.

The council appointed landscape architects, Land Use Consultants, to develop the design for the park. Over the last few months, they have been talking to local groups to help shape ideas.

We will be holding a public exhibition to share the proposed designs with you in King Edward Memorial Park. We would like to hear what you think of the designs and whether we have created a park for the whole community to enjoy.

You told us that the park is a much loved green space where you enjoy peace and quiet, views to the river and a mix of nature and space for sports and play. We want to create an inclusive park that

celebrates its history, provides opportunities for all ages to be active as well as a relaxing, nature-rich spaces for people and local wildlife.

The designs aim to integrate the park with the new foreshore area created as part of the Thames Tideway project, and to create space for events and performances. We would like to know what you think of the designs, what you like and what you think could be improved.

If you are not able to attend, but would like to share your views, please email:

kempproject@towerhamlets.gov.uk



Thames Tideway have been working on the river edge in King Edward Memorial Park since 2017. They have provided funds for the refurbishment of the Park. In 2016-17 the council worked with muf design to create a masterplan for the park based on consultation with the local community.

Since that time, the Thames Tideway project has been delayed due to issues with construction and, more significantly, COVID. The Tideway project is

currently due to complete works in mid 2024. The council will be start work on refurbishing the site from early 2024.

If you would like to be kept informed on the development of the project, or are interested in joining the project advisory group, please contact us at kempproject@towerhamlets.gov.uk and we will add you to the project mailing list.

Children's summer holiday activities

SPLASH Arts will be running arts and crafts activities alongside the consultation on 20 August, as well as activities for children from 5 to 15 years old every Friday during the summer school holidays from 12 noon to 4pm.

These are FREE activities, and booking is not required, but all children must be accompanied by an adult.

