# **QUEEN'S PARK DAY**

# SUNDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER, 2023 12-5:30 PM







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# All the best from your elected members

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# WELCOMETO QUEEN'S PARK DAY

2023 is the 50th anniversary of OPARA - the Queen's Park Area Residents' Association who host Oueen's Park Day.

It's hard to imagine that QPARA was born in 1973 to fight plans that included building more houses in the park and changing the character of the area we know and love. QPARA has been working to promote a better quality of life in the Queen's Park area ever since.

But our annual highlight is undoubtedly Queen's Park Day. Started 40 years ago and run entirely by QPARA's team of local volunteers, we are thrilled that this community event for all the family attracts over 15,000 visitors - that's three times as many as live here! It's a real London institution.

# **50**//OPARA Anniversary 1978-2028

To celebrate our birthday, there's a special exhibition in the OPARA tent. Do come and have a look and pick up a copy of our QPARA Story. There's even a celebratory mug on sale!

Lastly, I'd like to mention that today wouldn't be possible without our small army of helpers. We always welcome newcomers - young and old, so do get in touch if you'd like to help in 2024.

Flavia Rittner - Chair, OPARA - gpark.org.uk



# THE **COMPETITIONS**

Be creative and pick up some great prizes! All entries to the Competitions tent between 11:30 and 13:00. Registration for the Dog Show from 11:00-12:00 at the main Arena or online via the Allpets website.

**BAKING -** Adults - Lemon Meringue Pie; Children (Up to Year 6) - Rocky Road Judge: Sophie Grey (www.crazybaker.co.uk) Jesse Dunford Wood (www.parlourkensal.com)



**WOODEN SPOON - Showcase your** artistic talents by decorating a wooden spoon. Judge: Nancy Wales

# **ART COMPETITION FOR KIDS -**

Show us what you like best in the Park, in a painting or drawing. Judged in 2 categories: Up to Year 2; Years 3 to 6 inclusive. Judge: Tracy Brent, Rise and Chine Gift Shops.

#### **MADE FROM CARDBOARD -**

Create an object made from cardboard. ludge: Nathan Leeks, Oueen's Park Design & Build www.queensparkdesignandbuild.com





# **COMPETITION PRIZES DONATED BY:-**

- Chine Gift Shop, 70 Chamberlayne Road NW10
- Lexi Cinema, 194b Chamberlayne Rd, NW10 www.thelexicinema.co.uk
- Parlour, 5 Regent St, Kensal Green NW10 www.parlourkensal.com
- Rise Gift Shop, 21 Kilburn Lane W10

**DOG SHOW** 

All Pets Veterinary Clinic

www.allpetsvet.co.uk

Organised by

- Sacro Cuore Pizzeria, 45 Chamberlavne Rd NW IO www.sacrocuore.co.uk
- Scarlet & Violet, 76 Chamberlayne Rd, NW10 www.scarletandviolet.com
- Vicki's, 43 Kilburn Lane W I 0 www.vickislondon.co.uk





# WHAT'S ON IN THE PARK TODAY

# IN THE **ARENA**

### 12:00 **DOG SHOW** (REGISTRATION | 1:00 )

PRETTIEST PUP (UNDER 1 YEAR OLD)
BONNIEST BITCH OR FAIREST MAIDEN (UNDER 7) HANDSOMEST BOY (UNDER 7) BEST SENIOR (OVER 7) BEST CHILD HANDLER (UNDER 12) DOG JUDGE WOULD LIKE TO TAKÉ HOME (OPEN)

- BEST IN SHOW 2:00 PEDAL POWERVS PARKOUR
- **FANTIACROBATS**
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- 4:15 FANTIACROBATS

# HE BANDSTAND

- 1:00 BRENT MUSIC SERVICE SENIOR WIND AND BRASS ENSEMBLE
- IAMARABIA
- SHIK SHAK SHOK BELLY **DANCING SCHOOL**
- HAMMERSMITH MORRIS DANCERS
- MJ'S CHOIRS
- SÚSTAINABLE FASHION SHOW
- **IIANNOULA AND OLIVIA SING**
- **JAMARABIA**
- HAMMERSMITH MORRIS DANCERS

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# ON THE **COMMUNITY STAGE**

- FIREFLIES DANCE SCHOOL
- **ISLAMIA SCHOOL CHOIR** STAGECOACH PERFORMING ARTS
- 2:10 CUBANVIBES
- MAPLE WALK CHOIR
- 3:00 BLUEBIRDS BALLET
- **BRENT FRIENDS OF THE EARTH**
- FLAMENCO DANCE WITH FUSION PEOPLE
- 4:20 FLAMENCO WORKSHOP WITH MAIKA

# **MRALEXANDER'S** TRAVELLING SHOW

Food Area

Near the Bandstand throughout the day

# **FIRST AID** In the OPARA area in the middle of the park

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Mr Alexander's Travelling Show

Rhythm Studio

# IN THE ARENA



## **DOG SHOW**

The arena events open with this popular annual dog show organised by AllPets Vet on Sidmouth Parade, Enter the competitions to win great prizes for you and your canine. www.allpetsvet.co.uk.



# **PEDAL POWER VS PARKOUR**

The only show of its kind in the UK, combining the skill, balance and power of a trials rider and the finesse of a gymnast.



Golf Simulators

# **FANTIACROBATS**

We welcome the return of these innovative acrobats with stunning routines including pyramid formations, incredibly convoluted contortions and limbo acts. fantiacrobatsinternational.com



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ON THE **BANDSTAND** 

**JAMARABIA** 

through music.

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# **SUSTAINABLE FASHION SHOW**

Sustainable fashion through upcycling. amanda@fashionrebellion.co.uk



# JIANNOULA AND **OLIVIA SING**

Local Musicians. More information at Instagram @inOula8

Arena









**TOILETS** 

FIRST AID









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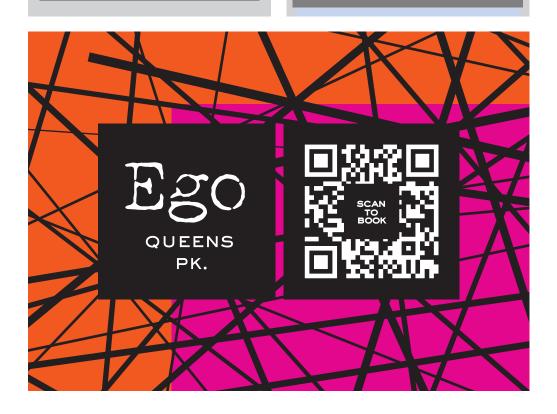
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# WHAT'S ON IN THE PARK TODAY

# ON THE **COMMUNITY STAGE**



# FIREFLIES DANCE SCHOOL

Dancers performing ballet and hip pop. info@firefliesdance.com or 07447 484 937



# ISLAMIA SCHOOL CHOIR

Members of the Islamia Primary School Choir will be performing for us this afternoon. salambassou@yahoo.co.uk



# STAGECOACH PERFORMING ARTS

Watch talented pupils from this performing arts school sing, dance and act. Sign up and join in the fun www.stagecoach.co.uk/queenspark



### **CUBAN VIBES**

Promoting Cuban Salsa and Afro Cuban dance in Brent and neighbouring boroughs. www.cubanvibes.com



# MAPLE WALK SCHOOL CHOIR

Local choir sing their favourite songs.
www.maplewalkschool.co.uk



### **BLUEBIRDS BALLET**

Classes for students from the early years to advanced. nem.becker@gmail.com



# BRENT FRIENDS OF THE EARTH

The group gives a performance to help explain how to protect people and the planet. www.friendsoftheearth.uk



# **FLAMENCO WORKSHOP**

Flamenco and Spanish dance.
All ages and levels welcome.
facebook com/Flamencowith Maika



# FLAMENCO DANCE WITH FUSION PEOPLE

A dance performance combining Flamenco, Salsa and Contemporary. anitabradfield@hotmail.com

# AROUND THE **PARK**



### **CLIMBING WALLS**

Test your climbing skills by trying out these authentic-looking, 7.5m rock faces. Info@eventhigher.co.uk



### **CAVING**

Subterranean adventure in over 30 metres of realistic tunnels. Suitable for ages 4yrs+info@eventhigher.co.uk



### **DONKEY RIDES**

Join the queue, don the hard hat and enjoy a traditional donkey ride in the park today. www.kellysdonkeys.co.uk



# MR ALEXANDER'S TRAVELLING SHOW

A captivating blend of magic, juggling, unicycling, balance and illusion.



# **GOLF SIMULATORS**

Practise and play a round of golf with a friend or take lessons with one of our PGA pros. www.tempogolf.co.uk



# **MORTIER DANCE ORGAN**

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### **EVERYBODY'S CYCLING**

Come and try out their bikes suitable for all the family. www.everybodyscycling.org.uk



# **K2K RADIO**

Come lounge and listen to K2K Radio's DJs spin their tunes. www.ktokradio.com



### A BIGTHANKS

to all who so generously contributed to our crowdfunding appeal! Your support has been invaluable

We are grateful to the City of London Corporation for the use of the Park and to Paul Brown and his park staff for all their assistance









# **All Pets** for the Donkeys and the Dog Show

7 Sidmouth Parade NW2 5HG www.allpetsvet.co.uk



## Maida Vale School

part of the Gardener Schools Group

#### for the PA system and the Bandstand

18 Saltram Crescent W9 3HR www.maidavaleschool.com



LFM (London Farmers' Markets) for the Baking Competitions www.lfm.org.uk





## for the Competition Tents

Livery House, 9 Pratt Street NWI 0AE www.osborneslaw.com

# **OUEEN'S PARK CAFE**

for the Community Stage NW6 6SG

www.hoxtonbeach.com



## for the Cardboard Construction Competition

www.queensparkdesignandbuild.com



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