

LIVE CAMPAIGNS ABOUT RECLAIMING COMMUNITY SPACES

STREET MARKETS & INDEPENDENT SHOPPING PARADES

- **Save Brixton Arches** [<http://www.savebrixtonarches.com/>]
Around 30 local businesses are under threat of being evicted by Network Rail as part of a wide redevelopment of Brixton. Many of these independent traders have been based in Brixton's Arches for over 40 years and are part of the very fabric of what makes Brixton. Save Brixton Arches aims to support the local community and independent traders fight to protect Brixton Arches.
- **Wards Corner Market** [<https://wardscorner.wikispaces.com/> ; <https://n15developmenttrust.wordpress.com/>]
The Wards Corner Community Coalition (WCC) is a grassroots organisation working to stop the demolition of the homes, businesses and indoor market above Seven Sisters tube station and fighting the attempts of Grainger PLC to force out the local community.
- **Berwick Street Market** [[@BerW1ckStMarket](#) ; <https://you.38degrees.org.uk/petitions/keep-berwick-street-market-independent>]
Berwick Street Market has been independent for 300 years yet Westminster City Council has decided to privatise it with barely any consultation. Private operators are already in the tender process and traders' licences have been terminated without warning. This campaign is opposing the privatisation of Berwick street market.
- **Save Chrisp Street Market** [[@SaveChrispSt](#) ; <http://www.chrispstreet.org.uk/>]
Fighting the gentrification and social cleansing of Chrisp Street Market.
- **Friends of Queen's Market** [[@FoQMarket](#); <http://www.friendsofqueensmarket.org.uk/>]
Friends of Queen's Market (FoQM) is a campaigning community group dedicated to protecting and promoting Queen's Market in Newham as a community resource.
- **Latin Elephant** [[@LatinElephant](#); <http://latinelephant.org/>]
Promoting participation, engagement & inclusion of Migrant and Ethnic groups in processes of urban change in London, in particular Latin Americans. They primarily active in the Elephant & Castle area.

GREEN SPACES

- **Save Crown Close Open Space & Children's Play Areas - Save West Hampstead** [<https://savewesthampstead.wordpress.com/>]
Save West Hampstead "Stop the Blocks!" is requesting that Camden Council commission a fully independent lighting study based on the proposals for 156 West End Lane.
- **Westway 23** [<http://www.westway23.org/>; @westway23; <https://www.facebook.com/groups/westway23/>]
Local group campaigning to protect the 23 acres of land under Westway, the elevated motorway which was built between 1964 and 1970, and ensure its continued public use.
- **Save Haggerston Park** [@SaveHaggPark; Save Haggerston Park Facebook page]
A group of residents campaigning to stop Hackney Council plans to build on parkland in Haggerston.
- **Old Tidemill Garden (Deptford)** [@OldTidemillgrdn; https://m.facebook.com/events/304747433227850?context=%7B%22ref%22%3A%22%22%22%2C%22action_history%22%3A%22null%22%7D&aref=3&ref=page_internal]
Local residents fighting against the demolition of this well loved community-run garden in Deptford.
- **Save Lea Marshes** [<http://www.saveleamarshes.org.uk/>; @SaveLeaMarshes]
A group of individuals who are campaigning to ensure that all the Lower Lea Valley marshes – Tottenham Marsh, Walthamstow Marsh, Leyton Marsh and Hackney Marshes – remain open and green.
- **Save Battersea Park – Say No to Formula E** [<http://savebatterseapark.com/>; @SaveBattPark]
- **Save Camberwell Cems** [@SouthwarkWoods; savesouthwarkwoods@gmail.com]
Fighting to save Camberwell cemeteries from grave 're-use' deforestation.

LIBRARIES

- **The Feminist Library** – Finding a new home [<http://feministlibrary.co.uk/support/emergencyfund/>; <http://feministlibrary.co.uk/>]
In 2015 the Feminist Library celebrated 40 years of archiving and activism. But the future is uncertain – due to unsustainable rent increases the building that has been this library home for the past 30 years is no longer viable.

- **Save Lambeth Libraries** (Carnegie; Minet; Waterloo; Upper Norwood) [<http://defendthe10-lambeth.org.uk/> ; @SaveLambethLibs ; @SaveWaterlooLib ; @saveUNLibrary]
In October 2015 Lambeth Council has announced it will decommission half of its libraries. Minet, South Lambeth, Durning, Upper Norwood, Carnegie and Waterloo all might close. This campaign is resisting these plans.
- **Save North Kensington Library** [<https://www.change.org/p/royal-borough-of-kensington-and-chelsea-council-save-north-kensington-library-for-public-use>]
The council is planning to close this historic building on Ladbroke Grove and allow a private prep school to take it over. Campaigners call on the Council to keep North Kensington Library building on Ladbroke Grove in public use.
- **Save Marcus Garvey Library** (Tottenham) [friendsofmg@gmail.com ; <https://www.change.org/p/tell-haringey-council-to-save-tottenham-s-marcus-garvey-library>; <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1527639460848841/?fref=nf>]

COMMUNITY CENTRES

- **Haringey Community Centres Network** [<http://ourtottenham.org.uk/haringey-community-centres-network/>; Contact HCCN c/o info@communitybuilders.org.uk]
Standing up for Haringey's community-run Community Centres of all kinds, linking up and supporting each other throughout the sector, and celebrating the widespread and vital range of services and activities carried out on behalf of a diverse community.
- **Save 365 Community Centre** (Brixton)
[<https://you.38degrees.org.uk/petitions/save-365-community-centre-2?bucket=memblast>]

OTHER PUBLIC SPACES

- **Save Britannia Leisure Centre** [@save_britannia ; Save Britannia Leisure Centre Facebook group; <https://goo.gl/y45vcf>]
A group of Hackney residents who are campaigning to stop Hackney Council demolishing Britannia Leisure Centre.
- **Granville Plus Centre** [@GranvilleComKitchen; <https://granvillecommunitykitchen.wordpress.com/>]
Brent Youth Arts building until 31 March 2016 when the Brent youth service was cut. The Otherwise Club and Granville Community Kitchen, have been tenants in

the building for nearly 24 years. They have recently been emailed saying that they have to leave at the end of the month because there is no fire warden for the building. The building is listed as a community asset.

- **Save Peckham Arch** [@SavePeckhamArch]
- **Save Grove Park Youth Club**
[<https://www.facebook.com/savegroveparkyouthclub/>;
<https://www.change.org/p/clive-efford-save-grove-park-youth-club-from-demolition>; @savegpyouthclub]
Save Grove Park Youth Club is a collective of concerned people who are calling for the local authority owned youth club building on Marvels Lane SE12 to be saved from demolition. They are campaigning to save the building and its use primarily for a Youth Service provision and other community based opportunities.
- **Save Curzon cinema (Soho)** [<http://www.curzonblog.com/savecurzonsoho/> ;
<https://you.38degrees.org.uk/petitions/save-the-curzon-soho>]
Curzon Soho is an independent cinema in London and has recently been declared a 'surface of interest' by Transport for London, meaning that the much loved cinema could be destroyed to make way for Crossrail 2 developments.
- **Reclaim Queen's Crescent** [@QueensCres ; Reclaim Queen's Crescent Facebook page]
Local residents demand a community fit for people, with community/youth facilities, a revived street market and workspaces to boost the area's economy.

MUSIC VENUES & PUBS

- **RVT Future – Future of Royal Vauxhall Tavern** [<http://www.rvt.community/>]
Ensuring a thriving future for the UK's oldest LGBTQ pub and iconic performance space.
- **We Are The Black Cap** [@weareblackcap ; <http://www.weareblackcap.com/>]
Campaign to reopen a well known and iconic LGBTQ performance space in Camden.
- **Save the Gladstone (Pub)** [@SaveTheGlad ;
www.facebook.com/savethegladstone]
- **Save Passing Clouds** [@passingclouds ; www.passingclouds.org]
Campaign to save this popular Hackney music venue from redevelopment.
- **Save the Queen's Head** [Save The Queens Head Facebook page;

<https://www.facebook.com/savethequeensheadchelsea/?fref=ts>

An LGBTQ pub under threat of closure in Chelsea due to astronomical rent hikes.

- **Friends of Joiners Arms** [<https://www.facebook.com/Friends-of-the-Joiners-Arms-859212550775984/>]

LGBTQ pub under threat of closure.

Other useful directories could be the following:

(for housing and economy activists)

INDUSTRIAL & CREATIVE SPACE UNDER THREAT

COUNCIL ESTATES & COMMUNITY LAND TRUST