



Queen's Park

Registered Charity

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IMPACT OF Coronavirus:

How the City of London Corporation is currently managing Queen's Park

We are working hard to keep Queen's Park open during this National Emergency and we are asking all our visitors to help us care for the Park by following the Government's advice to observe social distancing, protect the NHS and save lives.

The health and welfare of our staff and visitors is our overriding priority. Therefore, there are a small number of staff on duty at any one time and they will only be performing Critical Services.

The following key messages, based on Government guidelines, are being promoted using social media and signage on site.

- **Keep at least 2 metres away from others and only visit the Park to get your daily exercise of walking or running.**
- **Take all litter and waste away with you. All waste bins have been removed or sealed as we do not have the staff resources to collect the waste.**
- **Keep dogs under control, if necessary, on a lead, and take dog waste away with you for disposal at home, in your black bin. All dog waste bins have also been sealed.**
- **No picnics, games or social gatherings of any kind.**

The following facilities are closed until further notice:

The Park Café
Playground
Children's Farm
Tennis Courts
Pitch and Putt Course
All public toilets
Staff Office
The outdoor gym / trim trail equipment

All events until June have been postponed and all filming and photoshoots have been suspended. All sports coaching has been cancelled.

A decision has also been taken to hold the closing time at Queen's Park to 7pm to relieve the pressure on staff. The same measures are being taken at Golders Hill Park and Highgate Wood. We are asking visitors to leave these sites promptly.

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Thank you for helping us to keep the Queen's Park open by following these emergency measures.

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