

London Heathland Heritage Project

Calling all Nature Artists Croydon's Heathland Art Exhibition

As part of the LHH project Croydon residents and local arts and photography clubs got invited to submit images that capture the essence of Croydon's Heathland.

To inspire them and to explain why and how heathland is managed, 3 guided walks were offered during July on Addington Hills and Croham Hurst.

26 people attended the walks and 19 artists did finally submit a total of 27 images by the deadline in September. They went on show in the Clocktower court area, from 2-25 October.

A panel of judges, consisting of a representative of Croydon's Natural History and Scientific Society, the South London Arts Partnership and the departmental councillor Steve Hollands, chose two images from all the entries which were turned into postcards. These were available for free at the exhibition, and in local libraries and the Council's One Stop shop. Most of the 10,000 cards have already gone during the exhibition.



Heathland introduction walks



Croham Hurst by Lynne Collins



Croham Hurst by Mike Johnston

The two chosen images which got turned into postcards



Private View of the exhibition in the court area of the Clocktower complex, on Thursday 5 October 2006