

TREE PLANTING AT FURZE GREEN - SATURDAY 23RD OCTOBER 2021

VOLUNTEER INFORMATION PACK AND GUIDANCE



Activity	<p>Trees for Cities is delighted to be working in partnership with the London Borough of Tower Hamlets to plant 24 mature trees as well as smaller trees, bulbs, shrubs and plants. As part of this project we are pleased to be able to hold a community planting day for local residents.</p> <p>Tools, guidance on tree planting and supervision will be provided.</p> <p>We endeavour to make our events safe and welcoming for people of all ages and abilities. While the risk of transmission is quite low during this outdoor event we do ask that attendees help us manage the risk by avoiding congregating at the entrances and exits to the park and around the marquees.</p>
Time	<p>10am – 3pm.</p> <p>When you arrive at the event please come to one of the marquees to sign in. We will aim to start planting shortly after 10am.</p>
Contact	<p>John Keaveny Volunteer and Education Co-ordinator johnk@treesforcities.org 07730666152</p>
What to wear and bring	<p>Please bring your own pair of gardening gloves if possible, wear sturdy shoes suitable for digging, bring layers and waterproofs just in case!</p> <p>We will provide snacks and a hot vegan lunch for volunteers, to minimise our environmental impact please bring your own bottle of water, a bowl or tupperware and cutlery.</p> <p>Trees for Cities cannot be responsible for any lost or stolen belongings. Please bear in mind that anything brought into the park may get muddy.</p>

Location

The site is 20 minutes' walk from Mile End Station or 10 Minutes' from Devons Road DLR, meet us in the black circle shown on the map. Please check TfL updates for any disruption to services.

Parking is limited in the local area so please walk or cycle to the site if possible.

Address - 12 Furze St, London E3 3RY



Meeting Point

TREES FOR CITIES COVID-19 VOLUNTEER DISCLAIMER

Before attending any Trees for Cities' community tree planting workshops and events, all volunteers must read the following:

1. Do not attend any Trees for Cities event if you or a member of your household has exhibited signs of Covid-19, or if you have received a contact-tracing alert, in accordance with current government guidelines.
2. Trees for Cities staff are not responsible for ensuring volunteers maintain social distancing, but are but will support those who wish to social distance,
3. Trees for Cities staff will wear a mask if requested to do so. If any volunteers are not comfortable with breaching 2m social distancing whilst wearing a mask, they shall not be asked to do so.
4. **Gloves must be worn at all times** when handling any Trees for Cities tools. Volunteers are asked to bring their own gardening gloves with them where possible.