



Bristol Parks Forum

*Campaigning to protect and enhance all public green space
in the City of Bristol.*

See our Vision for Parks & Green Spaces at

www.bristolparksforum.org.uk/vision

**The next meeting of the Bristol Parks Forum will be on
Saturday 14th October 2023 9.30am
will be held at Eastville Park Community Hub (The Nissan Hut).**

This meeting is organised by the Bristol Parks Forum. The meeting is for representatives of member groups, it is not a public meeting.

If you have not been to one of our meetings before any of our members will be pleased to welcome you and to explain the format and who is who. Please do introduce yourself to anyone in the room when you arrive.

The Hub is at the top end of the park near the bowling green, tennis courts & car park.
What 3 Words: <https://w3w.co/life.dish.double>

If you are walking enter the park from Fishponds Road or from the Frome Valley Walkway.

By Bus: use First Bus 17, 24, 48, 48a, or 49 which stop near to the park.

By Bike: There are a few spaces to lock your bike near the car park.

By Car: Head towards Fishponds Road and turn onto Oakdene Avenue. Take first left onto Park Avenue (BS5 6QL) and there is a small car park, with limited spaces.

Please note the agenda is in draft, and timings are approximate and are likely to change.

Groups, or individuals, can help the Forum by making a suggested donation of £10 a year to cover the hire of halls and refreshments etc. Donations are entirely voluntary. Donations by cash or cheque will be accepted at meetings or contact us for our bank account details.

AGENDA

9:30 Welcomes & Introduction – Len Wyatt, Chair BPF

Introduction to Eastville Park – Sarah West. The Friends have also organised a walk around the Park at the end of the meeting which you are welcome to attend.

9.40 Minutes of the last meeting/ Matters arising from 1st July meeting

BCC to contact Eastside Trust about Future Parks and Chaplin Park.

Frances to contact Sam Thompson about access to ParkHive data and photos.

9.45 From the Committee – Len Wyatt, Chair BPF

9.50 Forum AGM

Please read the document circulated with this agenda explaining what is going to happen before arriving.

Accounts for 2022 to 23 for approval

Elections to formal posts, and agreement on Committee members and helpers.

Chair – Vice Chair – Treasurer – formal nominations and vote

Committee members – show of hands

Helpers – round of applause

10.30 From the City Council – Strategies and other initiatives – Part 1

Parks Strategy and the Tree Strategy – with time for questions.

Intention is to hold a special face to face meeting on this – plus one on Zoom.

11am – Break for networking and refreshments

A chance to talk to members of other park groups; and discuss informally issues raised in the morning sessions

Coffee and tea etc available organised by the Friends of Eastville Park. Donations appreciated, £1 suggested.

11.30 – From the City Council – Strategies and other initiative – Part 2

Local Plan – with time for questions. Colin Chapman – Bristol City Council.

12.00 Your Park – update on activities

12.15 Any other business

Please tell Len in advance of anything you would like to talk about in this section.

Nic and Steff from Bristol City Council Parks Department, covering for Ella Hogg – introduction to what they are doing.

Next Meeting – to be confirmed by the new Committee – Saturday 9th March 2024 in South Bristol.

c12.30 Meeting closes.

If you can't make the meeting but would like your points to be considered, email info@bristolparksforum.org.uk before the day of the meeting.

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