



# THE ISLINGTON SOCIETY

**The Islington Society works to safeguard and improve the quality of life in Islington.**

The Society was founded in 1960 to involve and support local people in the conservation and regeneration of Islington's built environment and local services.

## What do we offer members?

The Islington Society:

- supports conservation planning work to preserve the borough's historic fabric and individual buildings of distinction
- campaigns for a high standard of design in new buildings
- organises a varied programme of events including talks, walks and site visits
- campaigns for better public transport and for priority for people on foot, bike & public transport
- produces publications that celebrate Islington's architectural history and its social & cultural diversity
- publishes neighbourhood walking trails to encourage exploration, awareness, and pride of place
- builds links between residents, officials and councillors
- publishes a newsletter three times a year



## Who are we?

The Islington Society is a membership organisation of people who live, work or have an interest in Islington. We are a registered charity with an elected committee of officers, drawn from the membership, who manage the work of the Society.

## What else do we do?

The Islington Society:

- sends representatives to advise the Council's committees that deal with development, the environment and transport
- encourages best practice through awards for the best architecture in the borough in new or refurbished buildings
- is represented on the London Forum of Civic & Amenity Societies, which takes up cross-borough issues of concern
- is a member of the Civic Trust