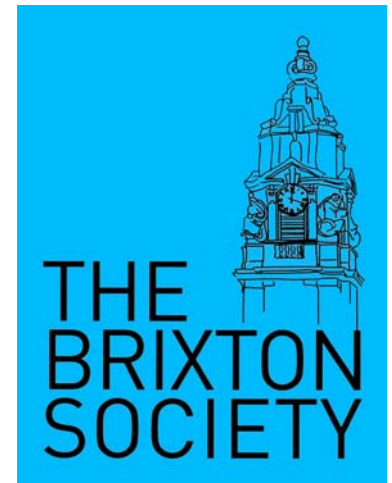


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Open Garden Squares Weekend in Windrush Square

11 June 2011
Growing in Brixton

12 June 2011
Art in Brixton



Clockwise from the top left: the Square was busy in the fine Saturday weather; "Green Workshop" from Brixton Village (Granville Arcade) promoted themselves; Veolia, Lambeth's parks contractor, gave away compost; Herbal Haven offered a great choice of herbs; The Friends of Windmill Gardens sold plants to raise funds; and south London Master Gardeners gave free advice.



Other people at the event were: the Culinary Herb Company (selling herb plants), Little Coppice Nursery (selling a wide range of perennials), Brixton£ (promoting the local currency), Transition Town Brixton, Brixton Green, London Farmers' Markets, Elin Aromatics (selling herbal cosmetics). *We thank everyone for their support.*



On the Sunday, it rained all day. We persevered and a few brave souls visited our tent and the marquees hosting the exhibitions and workshops. Amazingly the weather did not seem to dampen the spirits of either the Brixton Society volunteers or the art exhibitors. At the end of the day, all the exhibitors seemed to want to know was, “when are you doing this again?”



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Participants: Pam Williams; Wendy Sullivan; Marilyn Rogers; Becca Thackray - Coldharbour Arts; Anne-Marie Sandos - BCA; Abena Addo; Sue Edwards; Erica Tate - Age UK-Lambeth (Vida Walsh Centre); Barby Asante - 198 Contemporary Arts and Learning; Estelle Vincent - Zoom In; Year 1 & 2 BA (Hons) Fine Arts Student - City & Guilds of London Art School; Max A Rush; Ritzy Cinema.
Workshops: Pam Williams; Marilyn Rogers; Lemonté.

Many thanks to all for their support and especially for running the workshops.