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Art Invest Canada Water - Physical Activity State of Play

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Introduction

Art-Invest approached London Sport to support them and their partner organisation, Decathlon, to make best use of a health and wellbeing community fund they have created to support local projects to encourage healthy and active lifestyles in Canada Water.

The plans for Canada Water Dockside follow three years of engagement with the community, which has seen over 30 community engagement events, a consultation website and a series of stakeholder meetings, which has seen the development plans evolve in response to community and stakeholder feedback.

The commission included detailed research into the current provision of sport and leisure in the area, the creation of a 'borough profile' to better understand the demographics and attitudes of current residents.





The challenge

Art Invest were keen to identify ways in which the fund can be used to add to and/or improve the active amenity at Canada Water as well as develop a better understanding of the needs and demands of the local community to identify where investment is required.

The partnership with London Sport enables Art-Invest to go further in understanding health and wellbeing provision, providing access to new public realm, establishing connections with surrounding facilities and supporting local initiatives working in sport, play and wellbeing.

Our role



Provided a sense check and an update to an existing 'Health and Wellbeing Hub Map'



Developed a quantitative data led profile of physical activity within the borough of Southwark



Hosted a community stakeholder consultation with 10 individuals with relevant lived and work experience in the local area

Interested in working with London Sport?

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