friends of BISHOP'S PARK



14 July 2019

Fielder's Meadow

Co Chair Update

The Church Commissioners have signed off on the lease for the park. The contractors have started work in the park. The summary document S123, will be on the website shortly. outlines and lists all the concerns and questions that we and others have asked. We understand the concern that everyone has about protection of the trees, planning creep and reinstatement of the park after works have been completed and to this end the Friends have had numerous meetings with Fulham Football Club and the council officers dealing with the development to ensure that the needs of the parks users and the park its self will have had representation. When we have more detailed information we will inform you by email and post it on the website.

SPACEHIVE ROSE GARDEN CROWD FUNDING UPDATE

43 people have pledged **£4651** towards our total of **£3,945**

We are **119%** funded!

Any additional funds will be used in the park.

Thank you to all of you that have supported us already.

GARDENING CLUB and other dates for the diary

Gardening Club

Next meeting: **Monday 8th July**, 9.30am meet outside the Community Rooms, by the Cafe

Farmers Market

14th July, Sunday

The Friends of Bishop's Park will have a stand at the Farmer's Market.

Hope to see you then

AGM

16th October at the Palace Gardener

Time: TBC

NATURE NOTES FROM BISHOP'S PARK

from Jane Swithinbank

On 16th May a friend and I observed eight bird species in twenty minutes in

the boundary wall bed beside Fielder's Meadow - pair of chaffinches, wren,

robin, great tit, male blackbird, goldfinches, blue tit and wood-pigeon in

spite of the bird scarers! On Good Friday we saw wrens, great tits and

blackbirds nesting. As this excellent habitat will be lost it would be great

if our members of Friends of Bishop's Park would keep an eye out for other

habitats in the park which are good spots for birdwatching and observing other wildlife.

I hope everyone saw the wonderful blooms on the pyracantha

To join the Friends of Bishop's Park email:

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