NINE ELMS DOT ORG

CONNECTING PEOPLE IN NINE ELMS TO CREATE A STRONGER COMMUNITY



WWW.NINEELMS.ORG

Five years ago a small team of us began to connect with the people of Nine Elms through www.nineelms.org, a website designed to inform and encourage residents to become engaged in the life of Nine Elms.

Our Focus

From the beginning our focus has been to celebrate community life in Nine Elms especially where it is free at the point of engagement.

The goal is to enhance the lifestyle and wellbeing of everyone living and working in the area and we do this by

Celebrating outdoor spaces and parks Promoting culture in music, dance and art Announcing events that support wellbeing Giving voice to the views of residents

Building on our experience so far we are now looking for partners to help us connect more people with each other through the good things going on in the community.

Here are some of the next steps we want to take in our digital life:

NEXT STEPS

Connect more people

We want to be even more effective in connecting people for friendship and activities

Promote more events

Adding more local events to the calendar and raising the profile of smaller events

Collect more opinions

We want to complete the next stage of our Quality of Life in Nine Elms survey, started on social media

Develop the digital platform

Adding functions to the digital platform to improve its usability and purpose

GETTING INVOLVED

If you are an investor in Nine Elms, perhaps as a developer or employer, then supporting the work of **www.nineelms.org** is an effective way to add value and connectivity to community life.

There are two simple ways you can support this project. The first is by allowing employees to volunteer through CSR programmes to work with the team on media, content, marketing or in events.

The second is by funding an aspect of the project.

SUPPORTING THROUGH FUNDING

www.nineelms.org is an efficient and low cost project, but it still needs funds to run.

What funding pays for

Here are some examples of what funds will pay for:

£3,000 will support the digital platform for a year £3,000 will grow the email list over a year £3,000 will add a new editor to the team £3,000 will pay for someone to create events

How we fund www.nineelms.org

The project is funded through the Nine Elms Community Foundation, a charity controlled fund set up to promote 'bridge building' projects that connect new and current communities. Every financial investment is ringfenced for its purpose and audited under Charity Commission rules.

For more information

To find out more about the project and how to support it through volunteering or investing please contact our project lead Leighton Carr e: <u>leighton@nineelms.org</u> t: 07710 521010