

The Peoples' Palaces (Crystal Palace – Alexandra Palace)

Start: Penge West station	In Victorian times Penge had 25 pubs in one square mile
Crystal Palace Park	In the grounds of Penge Palace formerly part of Penge Common
Crystal Palace Dinosaurs	Originally 1854 restored 2002. Hawkins held a diner on New Year's 1853 inside the mould of one of the models.
Crystal Palace Stadium	FA cup final held 1895-1914
Site of Crystal Palace	1854-1936 inc. two 284ft high water towers to feed the parks fountains
Crystal Palace Maze	Dates from 1870 replanted 1987
Sydenham Wells Park	Location of the once famous medicinal springs
Dulwich Wood	Part of the Great North Wood
Cox's Walk	Constructed by Francis Cox to connect Green Man Tavern with Sydenham Wells
Dulwich Park	Opened 1890 restored to original design 2004-6
Dulwich Picture Gallery	The oldest public art gallery in England opened 1817
Brockwell Park	In 1920's home to 13 cricket pitches
Brixton Windmill	Built 1816 in use till 1934
Clapham Common	Mentioned in Domesday book of 1086
Battersea Park	9/1/1864 the first football game under FA rules was played here
Albert Bridge	Originally a toll bridge and toll booths still remain
Chelsea Old Church	Sir Thomas Moore 1478-1535 beheaded by Henry VIII
St Luke's Chelsea	Could seat 2500, Charles Dickens married here in 1836
Brompton Oratory	2 nd largest RC church in London to Westminster Cathedral
Hyde Park Coalbrookdale Gate	Original gates to the Great Exhibition
Hyde Park Serpentine	One of the earliest artificial lakes designed to appear natural
Tyburn Tree	Tyburn Convent dedicated to 105 Catholic martyrs who died on the Tyburn tree
Church of the Annunciation	One of many vast churches in the area

Manchester Square	Hertford House home of the Wallace Collection
Marylebone Lane	Built above the Tyburn river
Marylebone Road	Charles Dickens Lived and wrote here 1839-51
St Marylebone Church	Where Robert Browning and Elizabeth Barrett secretly wed 1846
Regents Park	Named after the Prince Regent who became George IV 1762-1830
Primrose Hill	One of London's protected viewpoints height 213ft.
Maitland Park Estate	A large area of social housing
Parliament Hill	Where Guy Fawkes planned to watch the destruction of parliament height 322ft.
Highgate Ponds	A series of former reservoirs
Highgate Wood	Ancient woodland formerly part of The Forest of Middlesex
Parkland Walk North	A linear nature reserve based on a former railway.
Alexandra Palace	Ally Pally opened major fire within two weeks of opening.
Wood Green Station	In March 1976 an IRA device exploded on a train preparing to head south to pick up Arsenal football supporters