

Upcoming events around the DLR

Tower twilight tours

3 Nov 2010 – 30 Mar 2011,
Tower of London

⇄ Tower Gateway

Experience the eerie shadows that gather at the Tower after the visitors leave and hear spine-chilling stories.

Canary Wharf Ice Rink

13 Nov 2010 – 20 Feb 2011,
Canada Square Park

⇄ Canary Wharf

Take to the ice surrounded by the magnificent buildings of Canary Wharf.

Quiz night

18 Nov, Firepower – The Royal Artillery Museum

⇄ Woolwich Arsenal

Test your general knowledge at the Firepower Quiz (third Thursday of every month).

Barclays ATP World Tour Finals

21 Nov to 28 Nov, The O2

⇄ Canary Wharf

The year-end culmination to the men's professional tennis season features the world's best eight singles players and doubles teams.

Hauntings and Hangings

24 Nov, Museum of Docklands

⇄ West India Quay

Stroll through the darker side of London, with tales of murders and body snatchers.

Christmas Greenwich

24 Nov, Greenwich Market

⇄ Cutty Sark

The Greenwich festive season begins with the switching on of the Christmas lights, with characters from Cinderella, music, mince pies and a visit from Santa.

Christmas Shopping Extravaganza

2 Dec, Canary Wharf Shopping Centres

⇄ Canary Wharf

This shopping event is a must if you want to get ahead with your Christmas shopping or find the perfect party outfit.

The Complete Iberia

25 Nov, Theatre of Wine

⇄ Cutty Sark

Enjoy an evening of wine (and port) tasting featuring favourites from Portugal and Spain.

For details, visit www.dlr.co.uk



Find a world of dining, leisure, fun and facilities on Planet DLR.

Visit www.dlr.co.uk/promotions or on Twitter using the hashtag #dlrgems by 17.00, 3 January 2011. We will put

Share your real gem with us and you could win an overnight stay in Greenwich



The DLR area has some of the richest history and culture in the capital, so whether it's a bargain foodie haunt, fabulous thrift shop or quirky independent cinema, we want to know about it!

Post your suggestions via www.dlr.co.uk/promotions or on Twitter using the hashtag #dlrgems by 17.00, 3 January 2011. We will put

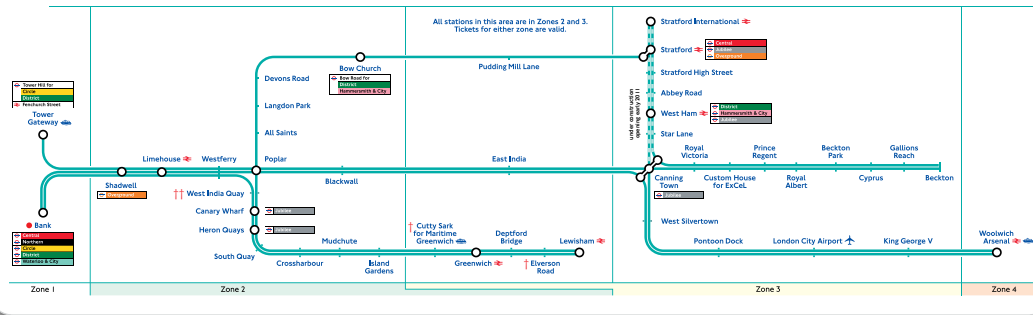
the top tips onto our website to help visitors make the most of what the area has to offer.

You'll then be entered into a prize draw for a chance to win an overnight stay in Greenwich courtesy of the Novotel London Greenwich. This four star hotel is close to the National Maritime Museum, Royal Observatory and is the perfect base from which to explore the real gems of London's Docklands.

* Accommodation on bed and breakfast basis valid through to the end of March 2011, subject to availability.



For 24-hour travel information, telephone 084 3222 1234*. For DLR Customer Relations, telephone 020 7363 9700.



- * You pay no more than 5p per minute if calling from a BT landline. There may be a connection charge. Charges from mobiles or other landline providers may vary.
- † The first two sets and last two sets of doors on a three-carriage train will not open at Cutty Sark for Maritime Greenwich or Elverson Road stations. Please use the centre of the train.
- †† At certain times trains from Bank towards Lewisham will not stop at West India Quay station.
- Lift access to DLR platforms at Bank station is unavailable from March 2010 due to London Underground escalator work.

Discover London's Real Gems

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Discover great new places around the DLR

www.dlr.co.uk

MAYOR OF LONDON

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Dockland's Light Railway, with the help of Secret London, has been uncovering hidden gems in London's East End.

In this guide you'll find some unique places that are a little off the beaten track. From the best smoked salmon to open mic nights, we hope you'll discover a little piece of East London for yourself.

We're also looking for people to share their own DLR gem so if you frequent an undiscovered bit of East London that you'd like to tell others about then get in touch and you could be in with a chance of winning a great prize.

For more information see the back pages or go to www.dlr.co.uk/promotions to enter.

1 Docklands Diner

Westferry

76 Cannon Drive, West India Dock E14 4AS

We've uncovered a proper East End diner serving proper East End grub. It's not just fry-ups, they serve wholesome, decent food for excellent value – most meals are under a fiver.

Tel: 020 7515 7160



"I've been going to the Docklands Diner for years – it's good food and good value. The gammon is my favourite!"

Mark, Express Photo Services

2 The Space

Mudchute

269 Westferry Road E14 3RS



The Space is an individual fringe theatre located in a beautiful converted Presbyterian church. The programme includes a mixture of old classics and new projects from local directors.

Tel: 020 7515 7799

www.space.org.uk

3 The East End Thrift Store

Shadwell

Unit 1A, Watermans Building, Assembly Passage E1 4UT

The East End Thrift Store is the number one spot for London's fashionistas. Known as the place for the 'last fair deal in town', there's a huge selection of well-priced vintage garments on offer.

Tel: 020 7423 9700

4 Salmon Smokery, Restaurant & Art Gallery

Pudding Mill Lane

Formans Fish Island, Stour Road E3 2NT



H.Forman & Son is Britain's oldest salmon smokery, supplying most of London's leading chefs. The factory has its own restaurant, which recently hosted the semi final of Celebrity Masterchef, that specialises in the best of British Food and has a spectacular view of the Olympic

stadium. Forman's Fish Island also has a contemporary art gallery promoting the work of local artists.

www.formans.co.uk

5 Bon Bons

All Saints

Chrip Street Market, Poplar E14 6AQ



Get all your traditional sweets from this delightful stall – pear drops, cola cubes and flumps are just a few of the treats available. There are gift baskets for special occasions and best of all it doesn't cost a fortune.

www.chripstreet.org.uk

6 Brick Lane Music Hall

Pontoon Dock

443 North Woolwich Road E16 2DA

Having moved from Brick Lane, but keeping the name, this music hall now occupies the Grade II listed former church of St Marks, built in the 1870s. Now the only dedicated music hall in the country, audiences can enjoy afternoon tea or an evening meal while watching Victorian-style cabaret theatre.

Tel: 020 7511 6655

www.brick-lane-music-hall.co.uk

7 St Anne's Church, Limehouse

Westferry

5 Newell St, Limehouse E14 7HP

St Anne's, Limehouse was created by Nicholas Hawksmoor – Sir Christopher Wren's most talented pupil. The church's exterior has been fully restored, and the interior contains the Gray and Davison Great Exhibition of 1851 organ.

Tel: 020 7987 1502

8 Pictures on Walls

Tower Gateway

Ground Floor, Commercial Street E1 6LT

Street art is all the rage just now, and Pictures on Walls on Commercial Street is a haven of affordable silk-screen prints of works by more than 40 emerging artists. Although artists such as Dran and Mighty Mo are popular with the kids, adult urbanites are sure to find something funky to brighten up their living space.

www.picturesonwalls.com

9 Theatre of Wine

Cutty Sark for Maritime Greenwich

75 Trafalgar Road SE10 9TS



Theatre of Wine opened in 2002 to offer an eclectic, high-quality range of wines from small, individual wine estates. It also offers a variety of interesting and fun wine-tasting sessions for seasoned wine lovers and the uninitiated.

Tel: 020 8858 6363

www.theatreofwine.com

10 Dirty South

Lewisham

162 Lee High Road, Lewisham SE13 5PR

Dirty South in Lewisham is the place to go for a unique night out. Give it a try on a Wednesday night for the Open Mic Jam and strut your stuff in front of a small and friendly audience.

Tel: 020 8852 1267

www.dirtysouthlondon.com