

Night Walking North Kent

April 19-22 Gravesham, Kings Cross & Medway

Four nightdays of walking art events: a selection of entertaining public walks, artistic workshops and talks - on NightWalking, the Rosherville Pleasure Gardens and the Marshes by Night

Inspirallondon Festival 2018

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Gravesend Library 26 March-30 April Exhibition nightwalking and mapping the Inspirall Trail

Reclaim the night terrain together

This unique festival of nocturnal walking, offers four nightdays of curated walking art events: starting from Kings Cross the night trail leads us on toward Gravesend....

Thursday 19 April 6.45-10.45pm Launch of Inspirial Map and Night Walking Festival

Friday 20 April 6.45-9.15pm Gravesham Arts, 19 Royal Pier Road, DA12 2BD

Sarah Sparkes curates and hosts unique *GHost Hostings 19: Of Ghosts and Spirites Walking* by Nyght with Scott Wood (Fortean Society), Giles Abbott (story teller) and Breathing Space Collective.

20 April 9.30-11.30pm *HiLight Walk* to Northfleet from Gravesham Arts at LV21

Join the *HiLight Rosherville* walk to Northfleet, illuminated by Mollett and Morris's new magic lantern encounters with the Rosherville Pleasure Gardens. Then reclaim the night together with – *dotdotdash* – Birgitta Hosea's collaborative light action. Note there are return trains from Ebbsfleet International to Central London.

Saturday 21 April 4.30-6.30pm *On the Marshes* Talk at LV21

Talks introducing our Long Hoo Night Walk, with nature writer and conservationist Carol Donaldson. Carol's book, *On the Marshes* follows a journey across the North Kent Marshlands meeting people who have chosen to live in unconventional ways. While sound artist Grant Smith will introduce us to ways of experiencing soundscapes remotely.

Saturday 21 April 6.45pm to late *The Long Hoo Night Walk* from LV21/GAC

This 26 kilometre+ walk into the night takes place in another zone, a nocturnal marathon. This nightwalk is a 21st Century version of Charles Dickens's trek to Gad's Hill; exploring the unique diversity of the marshes, we prepare ourselves by discussing birds of the night, *Great Expectations* and all things orniphilosophical with Inspirial's unique ornithological expert J D Swann. The walk has 2 parts: the first finishing at Higham Station at 10.30pm. Plus from 11am-4pm on Saturday artist films, workshops and installations at GAC & LV21

Sunday 22 April 2-6pm *Inspirial 36* to Hartley meet at Entrance Ferry Pier

Join us at the start of segment 36 of the Metropolitan Trail - leaving Gravesend, we walk southwards along Inspirial Trail back toward London, detouring to Fairby Grange in Hartley.

InspirialLondon at over 300 miles this new artist designed trail explores & exposes the unique connections that crisscross the metropole. Connections & dissonances that range across an extraordinary diversity of people, places and ideas. Festival info: <https://inspiriallondon.com>
Tickets on Eventbrite visit <https://inspiriallondon.com/night-walking-north-kent-tickets/events>

