

Rosebery Park

Address Rosebery Park Ashley Road Epsom Surrey KT18 5AW



Ward	Woodcote
Opening times	Open 24 hours
Disabled Access	Yes
Parking	No
Entrances	Ashley Road South Street Avenue Road Ladbroke Road
About the park	Rosebery Park is in Epsom Town

Rosebery Park is situated in the southern part of the Borough in Epsom Town Centre, close to the Ashley Centre shopping complex and Epsom Playhouse. Large open swathes of grass dominate this park with a large duck pond and children's playground.

History

Lord Rosebery, (former Prime Minister, racehorse owner and long-time Epsom resident) gifted the Council 12 acres of land in September 1913, as 'proof of his deep and abiding affection for Epsom'. It was, he proposed, to be used as a free and open space forever.

The park's layout, trees, pond and mixed borders are still very much the same as it was when first planned. The willows near the pond were planted in 1915 and in 2013 a 'Centenary Copse' of four new trees was planted by the Council with the help of the Friends of Rosebery Park to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the park.

As part of the Queen Elizabeth II jubilee celebrations in 2012, Rosebery Park achieved QEII status. This protects the park for future generations.

Awards	fields in trust	
Facilities	Playground Yes (Under 12's)	
	Seating Yes	
	Pond Yes Help keep our ducks healthy and don't feed them bread	
	Toilets No	
Dogs	Rosebery Park welcomes responsible dog walkers	
	Dog free areas – Playground	
Friends Group	Friends of Rosebery park	
	If you would like any further information regarding the Friends Of group please email <u>contactus@epsom-ewell.gov.uk</u>	
Events	www.epsom-ewell.gov.uk/visitors/whats-on/all	