



"It was a good opportunity to learn a new skill in life. It was fun to go to learn basic necessities in life. It is something to do every day, to have fun and to exercise. It is something that one can do daily. I will be using the knowledge wisely. I want to take up cycling now. I remember the lack of confidence I had before and the build-up of confidence I got afterwards. I was nervous before and now I feel better about myself."

Runo Twilight Participant

We have been engaging with the local community to consult with them and keep them informed of plans for Thameside West through a variety of events. Recent activity includes:

- **Britannia Village Fun Day**

We hosted a stall at this community event showcasing the masterplan of Thameside West, highlighting the key benefits that the development will bring to the community, and answering any questions from people attending. The GLA's Royal Docks Team was also present, delivering the opportunity for local people to have their say on the upcoming plans for the area

- **Consultation events**

We have held dedicated consultation events with local residents, including a presentation and Q&A from Daylight and Sunlight experts Anstey Horne. We also produce a quarterly newsletter with all the latest information about Thameside West to keep the community up to date and fully informed

- **School careers days**

We have engaged with Britannia Village Primary School, attending a STEM day and careers day. Tours have also been arranged for local schools at The Silver Building, showcasing the industries based there and presenting talks on career options

- **Engagement at The Silver Building**

As well as working with schools, The Silver Building, a social enterprise based at the Thameside West site, has hosted many events involving local community groups such as a summer festival, Easter egg hunt, National Citizen Service challenge, MIND/CALM mental health workshop, and exhibitions of students' work from London universities

