

Notes on the CEC Walk 25th January 2025

The first walk of the New Year was in the London Borough of Camden starting from the British Library. Seventeen walkers led by Lester Hillman took a route past the Crick Institute to visit the church of St Pancras. The church is located within the grounds of a former cemetery which contain a Coroner's Office in a church like building.

Heading eastwards we visited the site of the old coal yard by the Regent's Canal and saw the redevelopment with retail outlets and the office buildings of many high-profile IT companies including Google.

We stopped for a lunch break in the area and afterwards explored St Pancras International station. We saw the statues of "The Meeting Place" and Sir John Betjeman.

Thanks to Lester Hillman for leading the walk with his fascinating commentary about the area and its history. Thanks to all who joined us.

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