THE ROUTE

Start at the corner of Shepherds Bush Road and Brook Green beside a notice board which provides a map and historical notes on the area.

Staying on the Shepherds Bush Road, walk past the bus stop and turn right into Brook Green.

Proceed with the open space on your right until you reach Caithness Road.

Cross to the other side of the road and carry on until you see the two red telephone kiosks at the end of the green.

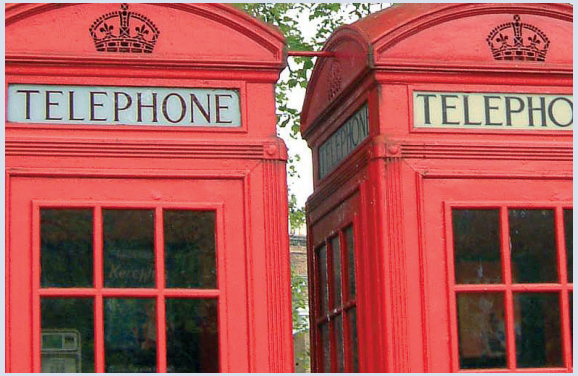
Cross over the road to Holy Trinity Church.

Carry on towards Shepherds Bush Road.

Immediately past the Queen's Head public house, take the opportunity to cross to the path beside the central green area.

Proceed back to the starting point.

It is possible to do an extra 280m loop inside the green from the notice board. Walk diagonally across the green towards Dunsany Road. Return alongside the tennis courts and then back towards Shepherds Bush Road.



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DID YOU KNOW?

1 BROOK GREEN

This area has progressed from being a pleasant and respectable village surrounded by market gardens to a depressed area with a polluted stream. Today the brook is culverted and with its green centre this is a highly desirable locality again.

2 'STENCH PIPES'

These structures provide ventilation for the sewage system built in Victorian times. They prevent the build up of gases.

3 SYNAGOGUE

This former synagogue is now home to the Chinese Church in London.

4 NUMBER 59

This very fine 'Queen Anne style' house built in 1893 is now the Ecole Française.

5 TELEPHONE KIOSKS

These Grade II listed cast iron structures are examples of K2 kiosks introduced in 1927.

6 HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

This church built in the Victorian Gothic Revival style is evidence of a strong Roman Catholic presence in this area since the seventeenth century. If open it is worth stepping inside.

7 ST. PAUL'S GIRLS' SCHOOL

opened in 1903, is regarded as one of the finest Edwardian school buildings in London.

8 GUSTAV HOLST

wrote the Planets Suite and other pieces while he was Director of Music at St. Paul's School.

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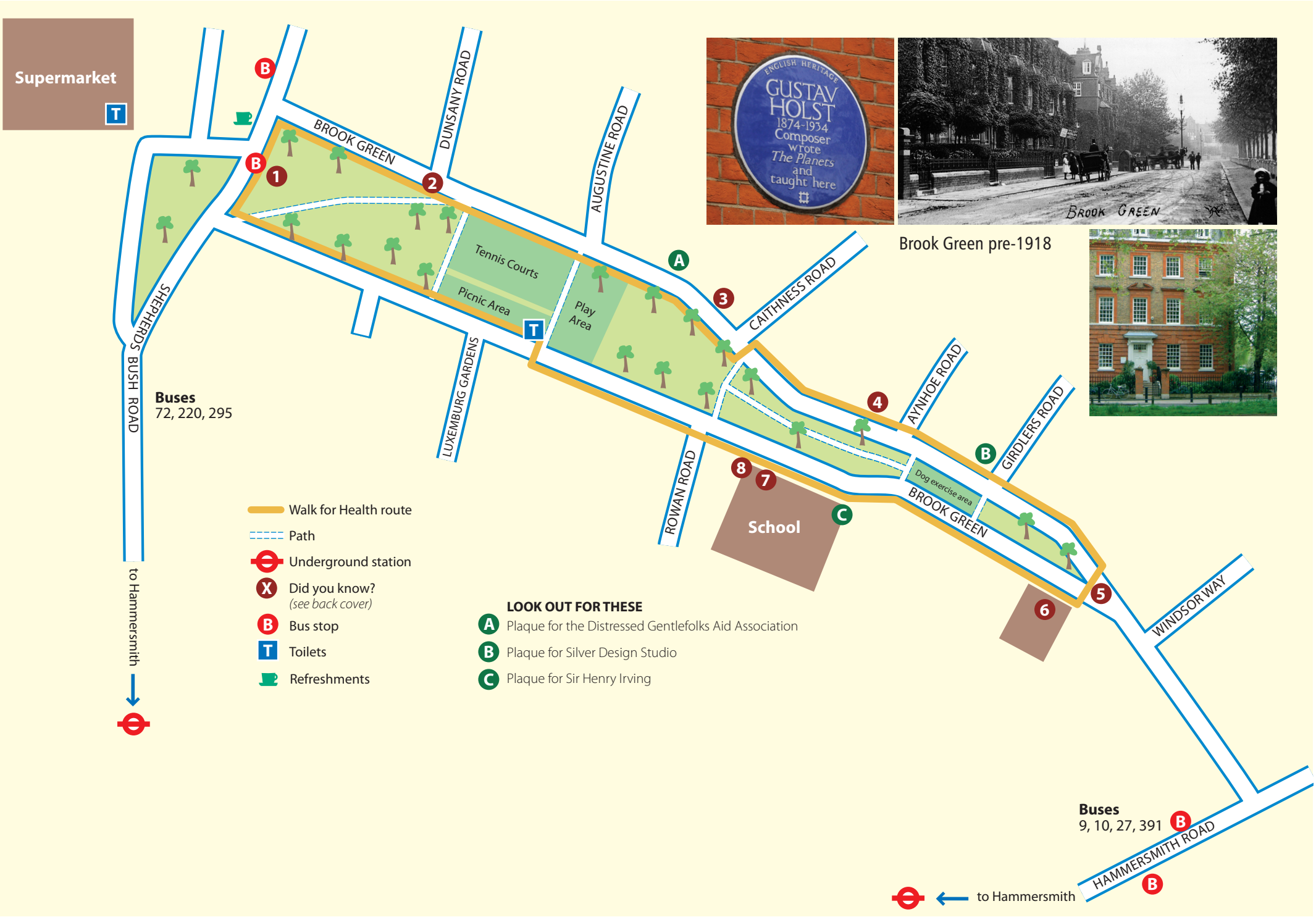
Brook Green

Circular route: **0.6 miles (1 km)**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BROOK GREEN
DUNSANY ROAD
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Tennis Courts
Picnic Area
Play Area
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SHEPHERDS BUSH ROAD
LUXEMBURG GARDENS
CAITHNESS ROAD
AYNHOE ROAD
GIRDLERS ROAD
ROWAN ROAD
Dog exercise area
BROOK GREEN
School
WINDSOR WAY
HAMMERSMITH ROAD
Buses
72, 220, 295
Buses
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to Hammersmith
to Hammersmith
Walk for Health route
Path
Underground station
X Did you know?
(see back cover)
B Bus stop
T Toilets
Refreshments
LOOK OUT FOR THESE
A Plaque for the Distressed Gentlefolks Aid Association
B Plaque for Silver Design Studio
C Plaque for Sir Henry Irving
ENGLISH HERITAGE
GUSTAV HOLST
1874-1934
Composer
wrote
The Planets
and
taught here
BROOK GREEN
Brook Green pre-1918