

## **ACE Events Update**

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### **River Summit**

- I attended an organizing meeting on May 24<sup>th</sup>.
- In addition to ACE, other partners include the Urban League of London, Museum London, Upper Thames Conservation Authority, the City of London, King's University College (Social Justice & Peace Studies), the London Arts Council and others with leadership by the London Environmental Network.
- The event dates have been changed to Thursday October 18<sup>th</sup> and Friday October 19<sup>th</sup> due to availability issues for the desired location of Museum London. This will include evening sessions.
- Speakers are currently being booked and sub-committees were started.
- Discussion regarding target audiences was discussed and further work on this is being completed.

### **Green Talks – November 6/13/20/27**

- I have corresponded and met with Library partners. Everything is good to go ahead for the November talks.
- Please forward any speaker ideas for the following topics to me by June 10<sup>th</sup>.
  - Food Waste
  - Urban Agriculture
  - Pollination
- For the Toilets are Not Garbage Cans this topic may be expanded on, since Barry is potentially speaking at the River Summit as well, and has already spoken on this topic at the library so we may expand this to a panel discussion including Barry.
- ACE representatives will be needed to assist with each session. Anyone who is interested please let me know, and your preferred dates.
- Speakers will be confirmed during June, so information can be included in the fall issue of the Library ACCESS magazine.