

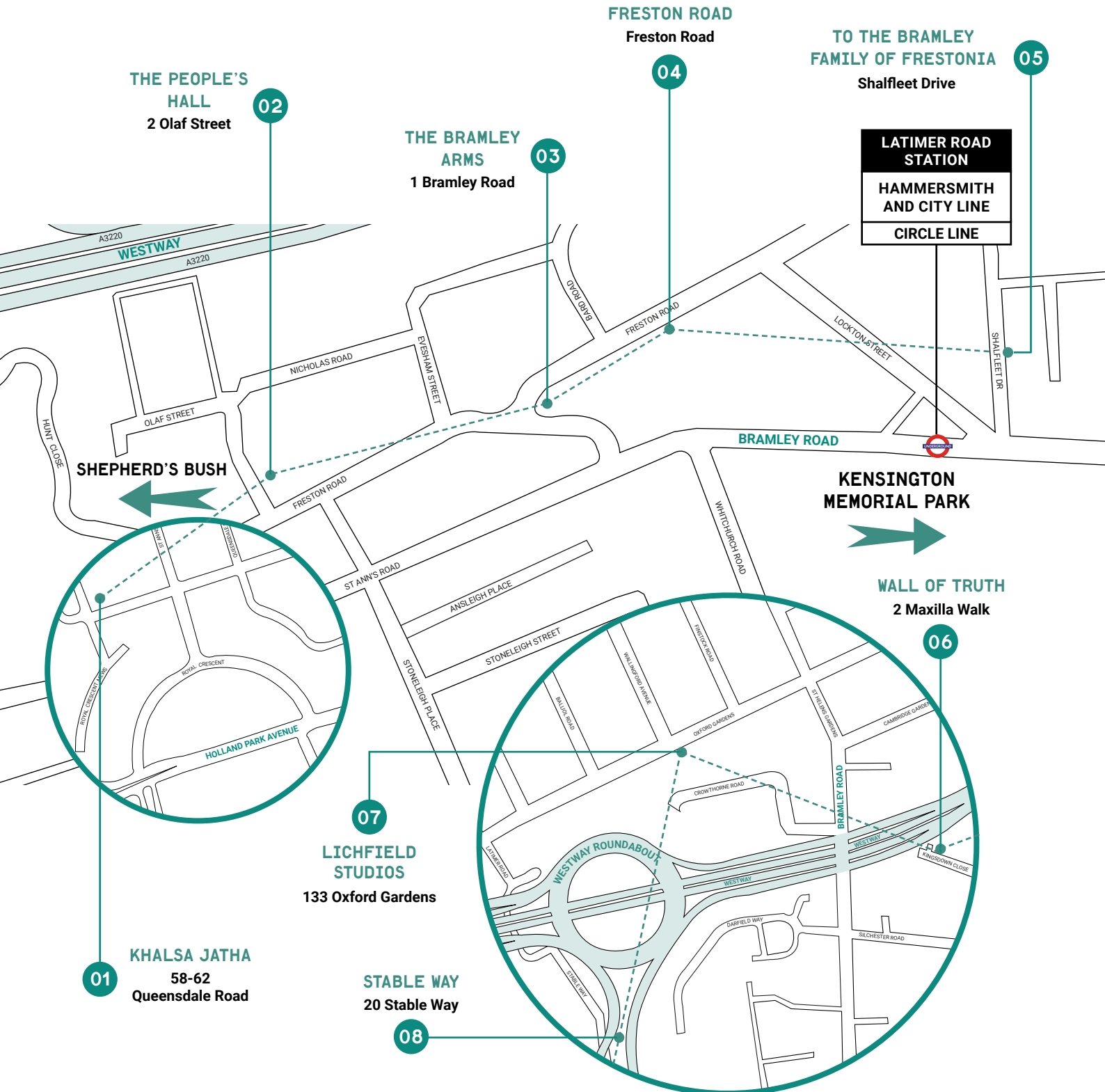
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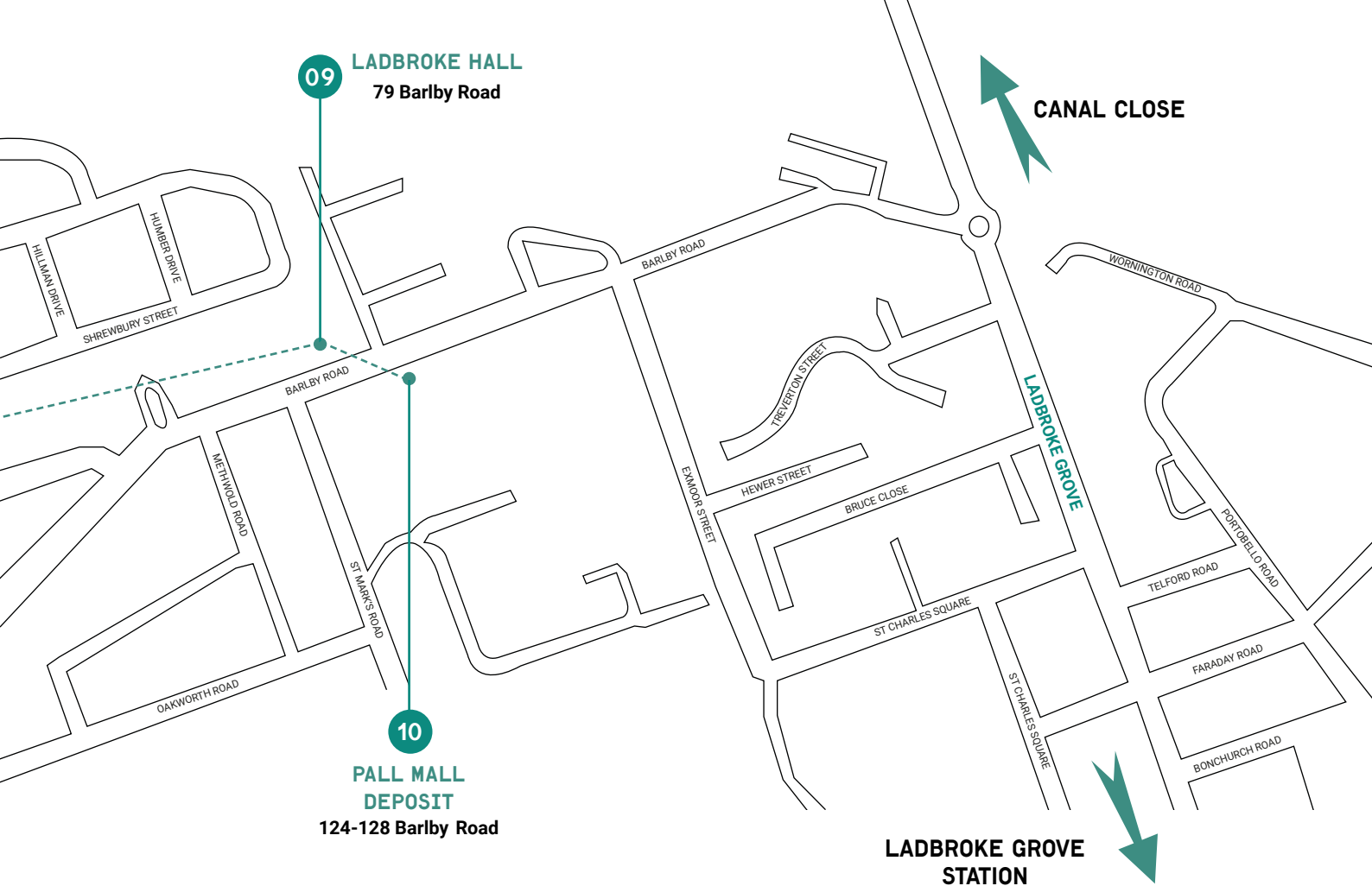
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FRESTONIAN HERITAGE AND ARCHITECTURE TRAIL

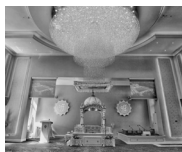
The Frestonian Heritage & Architecture Trail was curated by Meike Brunkhorst with contributions from KCAW Advisory Board members and North Ken Ambassadors Piers Thompson and Vicky Caplin.

Until the 1960s, Latimer Road lead all the way from North Pole Road to Shepherd's Bush. With the construction of the Westway in the 1970s Latimer Road was truncated and renamed Freston Road.





01 **KHALSA JATHA**



**58-62, QUEENSDALE ROAD,
LONDON W11 4SG**

The roots of Khalsa Jatha date back to the early 20th century when Sikh immigrants first settled in the British Isles. Built in this Gurdwara in the heart of London, became the first Sikh temple in Europe.

02 **THE PEOPLE'S HALL**



**2 OLAF STREET,
LONDON W11 4BE**

The People's Hall is the only significant building from the Independent Republic of Frestonia that is still standing today. The building became a seminal location for musicians like The Clash, Motörhead and Killing Joke.

03 **THE BRAMLEY ARMS**



**1 BRAMLEY ROAD,
LONDON W10 6SZ**

Until its closure in 1988 The Bramley Arms featured in many films, including The Lavender Hill Mob, Quadrophenia and Sid and Nancy.

04 **FRESTON ROAD**



**FRESTON ROAD,
LONDON W10 6TT**

In 1977 the neighbourhood around Freston Road was declared the Free and Independent Republic of Frestonia, with all residents taking the collective surname of Bramley.

05 **THE BRAMLEY FAMILY OF FRESTONIA'**



**SHALFLEET DRIVE,
LONDON W10 1RL**

Artist Nathan Coley's sculpture on the roof of a new development combines the narrative of Frestonia and the narrative of the Bramley apple with 'To the Bramley Family of Frestonia'.

06 **WALL OF TRUTH**



**2 MAXILLA WALK,
LONDON W10 6SW**

The 'Wall of Truth' under the Westway flyover is a space created by and for members of the community in response to the great suffering after the fire at Grenfell Tower on 14 June 2017.

07 LICHFIELD STUDIOS



**133 OXFORD GARDENS,
LONDON W10 5AD**

Photographer and portraitist to the British royal family, Lord Lichfield used this former car garage as his studio from 1984 until his death in 2002.

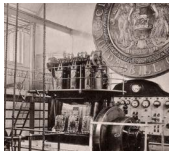
08 STABLE WAY



**20 STABLE WAY,
LONDON W10 6QX**

Stable Way has been a home to Travellers since the 19th century, now surrounded by motorways and railway lines. The horse riding stables closed in 2015.

09 LADBROKE HALL



**79 BARLBY ROAD,
LONDON W10**

Built in 1903, Ladbroke Hall was once the front building of an enormous Edwardian car showroom and assembly plant – the Clément-Talbot factory.

10 PALL MALL DEPOSIT



**124-128 BARLBY ROAD,
LONDON W10 6BL**

The Pall Mall Deposit and Forwarding Co built this large storage facility to the design of W G Hunt in 1911. Furniture storage was quite big business at the time as a large proportion of the more affluent lived in rented houses, often moving frequently.

IMAGE SOURCES

INTRO IMAGE

Courtesy of Tony Sleep and Frestonian Gallery

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- 02** Courtesy of Notting Dale Campus
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- 06** Courtesy of The Londonist
- 07** Courtesy of Wallpaper*
- 08** Courtesy Alex McBride
- 09** Courtesy of Ladbroke Hall
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