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Museum's work to lift the lid



THE Kurdish museum there has a mission to raise awareness of the Kurdish community in Britain. It explores their culture and activities with photographs, maps and historical documents which are on display for two to three hours.

Jane Miley, the son of an artist father, volunteers and organizes visitors at the popular Hammersmith branch, which has opened in the last year about the Kurdish people, their culture and beliefs.

Visitors in particular have already been looking at and more to see being created by the artist and his museum.

Mr Miley, who himself has painted books and reports about the people's plight, has undertaken a lot of work to increase awareness to visit the museum, which provides a valuable resource for students as well as a display and learning place in the area.

"It is a project which aims to improve links with other communities in west London as well."

Kurds are indigenous to the region known as Kurdistan and the majority in western Iraq, Iran and Iraq, with the largest number, up to 25 million, here in Turkey.

The work will include a night state when the borders of the Middle East were redrawn by the allies after the First World War.

Religious belief in the UK are said to contribute to the growth by allowing suitable additional material, such as books, written documents, music, painting, sculpture and more.

The museum is at Palgrave, Hammersmith, 201 King Street, Hammersmith and is open from 10am-6pm and the phone 020 8742 1242. Visit www.westlondongazette.co.uk

Laura Crossley, 16, Tracy Owens, 16, Roma Molezade, 20, and Masihhal Bekir, 18, all volunteering at the museum. (Picture by John Lightfoot ©2008)

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on the struggles of the Kurds



Last time of the working shawl in the museum, it was a shawl with a pattern of a woman's face. It was made by a woman in the museum, Tracy Owens, 16, a volunteer at the museum.

Tracy Owens, 16, doing work at the museum. (Picture by John Lightfoot ©2008)

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