SIR NICHOLAS WINTON MEMORIAL GARDEN

Works are under way to construct a memorial area to Sir Nicholas Winton who died in 2015, having lived in Maidenhead with his family for much of his life. The memorial consists of a large pond with water features, ornamental planting and areas for seating.

Sir Nicholas is known for his role in the Czech Kindertransport in which he organised the rescue of 669 children from Prague by train through mainland Europe on the eve of the Second World War. The design of the garden tells the story of this journey through a number of themes and experiences: a winding path leads through a mix of terrains to a place of safety - a raised mound accessed by a bridge over a pond.

The garden is expected to be completed by Spring 2017.