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## A NEW EXCITING BUILD AT PLOUGH LANE COMING SOON

A while back the Club asked if WISH could provide a new stadium model to go with the other older ones in the main reception area. There was no funding available for this, so the WISH challenge was to identify cost and a potential partner in representing our new stadium.

Of course, we already have the Wimbledon story in Lego, animated by Charlie Strank, and narrated by Ivor Heller. So why not keep with this theme and produce a Lego-style stadium as so many Premier League and EFL clubs have?

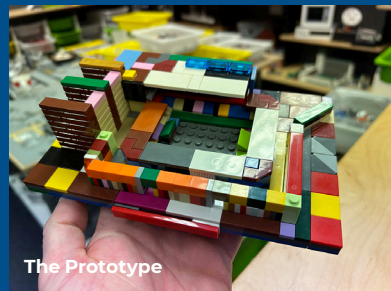
Enter Steve Mayes of Brick This. Steve has completed a multitude of models which you can see on his website: <https://buildablebybrickthis.com/collections/lego-football-grounds>

You could be mistaken for thinking this is a simple process, but it's taken several

months to get to production. Looking at all angles, drawing a rough design, and then building a prototype. This leads to a review that will identify which pieces have to be made bespoke, and individually.

All this to properly represent the stadium before the final sign-off and payment which happened in January this year.

We are pleased to announce that it's now in production and arriving this month.



Steve has kindly given the charity a special price to complete this, and WISH has funded this entirely.

You'll be able to pre-order this soon from his website using the previously mentioned link. The price will be £90 and this includes a £5 donation to WISH for every set that is sold. There's a limited quantity so if you want one get in quick!

Another successful partnership project, and WISH are grateful to Brick It and Ben Adams at Bark for the display dressing. WISH volunteer, and Lego enthusiast Kirk Pritchard, will be building the first model, which will be placed in the club lobby next to the other stadium models for everyone to view and enjoy.

# Invitation to unveiling of Mick the Miller mosaic

Friday March 15th at 1.30pm

**Cherry Red Records Stadium  
Plough Lane  
London, SW17 0NR**

Mick the Miller is one of the most famous dogs in greyhound racing history and raced at Wimbledon Stadium from 1928 until 1931. An historic mosaic of Mick the Miller was preserved when Wimbledon Greyhound Stadium was demolished in 2018.

We are very pleased to announce that as part of a project funded by the National Lottery Heritage Fund to explore and record the history of greyhound racing in Wimbledon, the mosaic has been repaired and placed prominently at the AFC Wimbledon ground. Wimbledon in Sporting History (WiSH) is inviting you to attend the unveiling.



**RSVP:** [info@wimbledoninsportinghistory.com](mailto:info@wimbledoninsportinghistory.com)

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