

STRONG STORM HITS AGAIN



18th January 2007: An uprooted tree blocks the road in Eastmead Avenue, Greenford

The great storm in October 1987 was the worst storm in England for some 300 years. At the time it was estimated it would be another 300 years for a similar storm to strike. But in January 1990, less than 3 years later, extreme winds struck again. And again in January 2007 we were blown away with winds strong enough to uproot mature trees. Clearly new weather patterns are forming, wherein extreme conditions are returning quicker than they used to – perhaps more proof of global warming?

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Logs in Cow Lane – could they be destined for the New Tate Modern?