



# Romford & Hornchurch Newsletter



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## Celebrating our great **ESSEX** English County of

On 26th October 2021, Havering is proud to be celebrating **Essex Day** to mark our historic place within this great English County. The Essex flag will fly from our Town Hall and **Andrew Rosindell M.P., Cllr. Judith Holt** and **Aaron Young** (M.P.'s Co-ordinator for St. Alban's Ward) will be marking the occasion with the raising of the Essex flag on a new pole at Margaret Thatcher House. Romford has always been a part of Essex and when Havering became a "London Borough" in 1965, this did not change our geographical or historical place as an Essex town.

**Happy Essex Day  
ROMFORD!**



Andrew Rosindell M.P., Cllr. Judith Holt and Aaron Young (M.P.'s Co-ordinator for St. Alban's Ward) - taking pride in our town and country borough in the Historic English County of Essex!

## NEW POST OFFICES FOR ROMFORD and one local Post Office Saved!



Your **Romford Conservative Action Team** have campaigned for many years to defend our local Post Office services across Romford and now we have good news! Two new Post Offices have opened in our area, in Main Road, Gidea Park and in Hornchurch Road. These were closed when Labour were last in power, despite our objections. Now they are back serving our community! This fantastic news comes soon after our recent success in saving **Rush Green Post Office**, following the campaign led by your Councillors and **Andrew Rosindell M.P.** We are always backing our local community and will continue to fight to defend and extend our local Post Offices.



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## Cleaner Streets in Romford and Hornchurch

An "Autumn Blitz" to make our local roads cleaner has been launched by Havering Council. **Judith** and **Aaron** are spearheading the campaign to clear litter and rubbish, remove weeds, graffiti and jet wash our pavements across St. Alban's Ward. Let your Councillors know if there is anything in your road that is in need of particular attention and they will ensure action is taken!



### Keep Havering a Town and Country Borough!



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## ....looking after Romford & Hornchurch all year round!



## PARK LANE CELEBRATION

Cllr. **Judith Holt** was pleased to attend the Park Lane Park Celebration Day on 4th September, in the presence of the Mayor of Havering, Cllr. John Mylod. It was good to see Lisa, Christine and all the other volunteers who are helping to improve the park. Certificates were awarded by The Mayor to the students of Barking and Dagenham College who helped dig the path leading from the Maygreen Crescent entrance.



## REMEMBERING 9/11 IN ROMFORD

The Mayor of Havering, **Andrew Rosindell M.P.**, the Vicar of Romford, **Fr. David Simpson**, along with **Aaron Young**, the M.P.'s Coordinator for St. Alban's Ward, attended a special memorial service to commemorate the 20th Anniversary of the 9/11 terrorist attacks in New York and Philadelphia. Our M.P. laid a bouquet of red, white and blue flowers at this dedication, as a symbol of the everlasting close ties between the United Kingdom and the United States of America.



## DOUGLAS ROAD PETITION

Our petition to request speed calming measures in the Douglas Road area was presented by Cllr. **Judith Holt** at Full Council on 1st September. The petition was distributed in Douglas Road, Craigdale Road, Allandale Road, Longfield Avenue and Clydesdale Road. If you go to the Havering website, look under 'Council and Democracy', then 'Council Meeting videos', you can watch Judith hand over the petition from 37:39 - Judith and Aaron work diligently throughout the year for the safety of local residents!



## TOLBUT COURT

Cllr. **Judith Holt** and **Aaron Young** called for the grounds of Tolbut Court in Lennox Close to be tidied, particularly around the plant borders and seating area. We were pleased to see that the grass has been mown, the hedges cut back and the trees pruned. If you know any flower beds on the public highway which need attention, please let us know. We are awaiting a response to our report of the unkemptness of plant beds on the ring road.



## RAF HORNCHURCH

Cllr. **Judith Holt** was delighted to attend the recent official opening of the RAF Hornchurch Heritage Centre at Suttons House, Hornchurch, along with our Armed Forces supporting M.P., **Andrew Rosindell**.

## Romford & Hornchurch

## News Round-Up!

### COFFEE AFTERNOON

Cllr. **Judith Holt** attended the Macmillan Coffee Afternoon at Romford Evangelical Church in Brentwood Road. She enjoyed chatting to the Pastor and church members, plus sampling the delicious tea and cakes!



### OUR TOWN CENTRE

Thanks to Aaron Young, the Council has cleared litter and pruned trees in Kingsmead Avenue and Gloucester Road.



### ZOAR CHAPEL

The Zoar Chapel in Carlisle Road has closed. Judith has "called in" a planning application to build a three-storey block of flats.



### COUNCILLOR SURGERIES



Come and see Judith and Aaron (representing the M.P.) on Mondays from 11.00 a.m. to 12 noon at Cafe Shot, 78 Brentwood Road. The cafe is very much a community hub. No appointment necessary.

### WHERE IN THE WARD?

If you know where or what this is, contact Cllr. **Judith Holt** to win a House of Commons box of chocolate truffles!



## Tell your local Conservative Action Team what you think...

*This is what I would like Andrew Rosindell M.P., Joshua, Judith and Nisha to know...*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this form to: St. Alban's Conservative Action Team, 85 Western Road, Romford, Essex, RM1 3LS

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- I would like **Andrew Rosindell M.P.** to send me an invitation for a special tour of the Houses of Parliament.
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### Can you help your local Romford Conservatives?

- I can help deliver leaflets to letterboxes in my road/area.
- I would like to join the Conservative Party.
- I'd like to attend local social events with the Romford Conservatives

