



Romford Town Centre Newsletter



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Celebrating our great English County of **ESSEX**

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. Joshua Chapman, Cllr. Nisha Patel** and **David Taylor** (M.P.'s Co-ordinator for St. Edward'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!**



David Taylor (M.P.'s Co-ordinator for St. Edward's Ward), Cllr. Nisha Patel, Andrew Rosindell M.P. and Cllr. Joshua Chapman - 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.



Cleaner Streets in Romford Town Centre and Gidea Park

An "Autumn Blitz" to make our local roads cleaner has been launched by Havering Council. **Joshua, Judith** and **Nisha** are spearheading the campaign to clear litter and rubbish, remove weeds, graffiti and jet wash our pavements across St. Edward'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 Town Centre all year round!



REMEMBERING 9/11 IN ROMFORD

The Mayor of Havering, along with Andrew Rosindell M.P., the Vicar of Romford, Fr. David Simpson, along with Cllr. Joshua Chapman attended a special memorial service to commemorate the 20th Anniversary of the 9/11 terrorist attacks. Our M.P. laid a bouquet of red, white and blue flowers at this dedication, as a symbol of the ties between the United Kingdom and the United States of America.



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News Round-Up!

MISSING BIN

Following reports that the bin outside of Gidea Park Primary School in Lodge Avenue had been removed, this was replaced following intervention by your local Conservative Action Team.



NEW SHOPS

A new Co-op has opened on Main Road to serve the residents of Gidea Park. It will soon be joined by the Brick Lane Bagel Co. who are due to open a branch on the same road!



RUBBISH CLEARANCE

Following reports of dumped litter and rubbish in the Slaney Road car park, Romford, your local team arranged clearance.

GALLOWS CORNER

Your local Conservatives have long campaigned for improvements to be made at Gallows Corner; one of the most hazardous junctions in the area. Significant investment is required to transform the roundabout and surrounding roads to ensure they are fit for purpose. In our view, Havering must get a fair deal! Without investment, proposed schemes such as the Lower Thames Crossing would create even more pressure at the junction. On your behalf, we will continue to fight for vital investment in Gallows Corner.



LOCAL DEFIBRILLATORS

Defibrillators can help save lives in the case of a cardiac emergency. Some local businesses and publicly accessible locations have defibrillators. However, these may not be registered. In order to help people to find them when they are needed, if you have a defibrillator, we urge you to register it on the National Defibrillators' database – nddb.uk



DEEP CLEAN FOR ROMFORD

Fly-tipping and street litter have sadly increased over the past year, mainly due to lockdown and the increased waste being generated. Thanks to Cllr. Joshua Chapman, Cllr. Nisha Patel and David Taylor's campaign, Havering Council will be investing in enhanced street cleaning methods to deep clean our roads. Council teams are out on daily patrols responding to resident requests. Contact Cllr. Nisha Patel if your road requires attention.



VIRTUAL PARKING PERMITS

Havering Council has implemented a new, virtual system of parking permitting across the borough. From 8th September, residents completing online applications will no longer be sent paper permits in the post, and virtual permits will be active from the moment they are paid for. All paper permits will be phased out by the end of Spring 2022.



ROMFORD GHOST WALK: OCTOBER 26TH

Havering Museum have organised a 'Ghost Walk' around Romford on Tuesday 26th October, from 7.00 p.m. to 9.00 p.m. Book online at www.haveringmuseum.org.uk



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. Edward'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.

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

