

NEWSLETTER

JUNE 2025

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Annual Town Meeting and Community Awards 2025

Canvey Island Town Council held its Annual Town Meeting and awards ceremony on Monday 10th March 2025 and residents had the opportunity to speak to Town Councillors about the Town Council's activities during the year.

For the Town Council's Community Awards, nominations were received under the categories of Citizen of the year, Young Person of the Year, Community Group of the year, Best Community Contribution from a Local Business and Youth Community Group of the Year.

Lin Ridgewell was successful as Citizen of the Year for being a huge support at Smallgains social club. Young person of the year was presented to Frankie Wise who did his very best to perform CPR on a resident that had suffered a cardiac arrest. Community Group of the Year was won by the Phoenix Club for many reasons, however a collective appreciation of the safe space they provide for their members was widely mentioned. The Best Community Contribution from a Local Business was awarded to the Morrisons Community Champion, for the awareness and contributions raised towards several local organisations and charities, and the Youth Community Group of the Year was awarded to Mini Kickers who voluntarily provide football training to up to the ages of 7.

Town Mayor Councillor Peter May said "I am very proud to have been able to present these well-deserved awards. The Town Council is pleased to be able to recognise the efforts of all these individuals, groups, and businesses. I would like to thank everyone for coming and all your continued support of the Town Council."



Notice

NOTICE OF PUBLIC RIGHTS AND PUBLICATION OF UNAUDITED ANNUAL GOVERNANCE & ACCOUNTABILITY RETURN

ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 Sections 26 and 27. The Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 (SI 2015/234)

The Annual Governance & Accountability Return is available for inspection by any local government elector of the area of **Canvey Island Town Council**. These documents will be available on reasonable notice by application to Mrs Elaine De Can, Town Clerk/Responsible Financial Officer, The Paddocks Community Centre, Long Road, Canvey Island, Essex, SS8 0JA, 01268 683965 or clerk@canveyisland-tc.gov.uk commencing on **Tuesday 3 June 2025** and ending on **Monday 14 July 2025**.

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VE DAY

Canvey Island Town Council proudly collaborated with Castle Point Borough Council to celebrate the 80th Anniversary of VE day which marks the end of World War II.

The event took place at the Paddocks on the 6th May as a service and flag raising in the war memorial garden kicked off the event at 11am. Following the service, tea and cake was enjoyed by all as a small war time exhibition beautifully complimented themed entertainment inside The Paddocks Hall.



Canvey Island Town Council office has moved

Canvey Island Town Council has moved offices!

You will now find us based at The Paddocks Community Centre, Long Road, Canvey Island, Essex SS8 0JA.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Armed Forces Day - 28th June 2025

Chalk Art Event - 23rd July 2025

Garden Trail - 26th July 2025

Wildlife Picnic - 6th August 2025

SEN by the SEA - 20th August 2025

Drop-in Sessions



Canvey Town council, The Paddocks,
Long Road, SS8 0JA

**E plus will hold a drop-in service at
Canvey Town Council**

Each Thursday – 1pm-3pm

We can offer you support with a range of services including:

- Assistance with accessing benefits.
- Guidance with housing / tenancy issues.
- Money management:
 - ❖ Budgeting tips.
 - ❖ Debt guidance & referral.
- Free internet access.
 - ❖ Digital inclusion.
- Employability Skills:
 - ❖ CV support
 - ❖ Job search skills.
 - ❖ Careers guidance.
- Connection to local volunteer opportunities.

You can speak in confidence with our colleague:
Sam (07831 138881)

Or you can email your questions to:
EmploymentPlusR4@salvationarmy.org.uk

Supported by:

Employment Plus
Freephone: 0800 652 4276
Website: <https://www.salvationarmy.org.uk/employment-plus>



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Event season is upon us

Canvey Island Town Council have quite a few events coming up over the next couple of months. Should you wish to be involved or get more information, please visit www.canveyisland-tc.gov.uk



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ARMED FORCES DAY

Saturday 28th June 2025

Parade from Castleview School to the Paddocks Centre at 10:30am
11am Service - 11:45am Wartime Exhibition

**Come and support our Armed Forces
Everyone Welcome**



visit: www.canveyisland-tc.gov.uk or call 01268 683965




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"BE INSPIRED TO BE CREATIVE"

Chalk Art

FREE EVENT

**23rd July 2025
11am - 3pm**

Draw your own art as part of a larger picture at the Canvey Island Bandstand

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Charity Garden Trail

"Canvey residents open up their gardens for charity"

**£3 PER BOOKLET
ALL PROCEEDS GO TO THE MAYORS CHARITY**

**26th July 2025
10am - 4pm**

Entry to all gardens with purchased booklet



For more information please call 01268 683965 or visit www.canveyisland-tc.gov.uk

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WILDLIFE PICNIC

Mini petting zoo
Buglife
Free activities
So much more....

**6th August 2025
11am-3pm**

Tewkes Creek Picnic Area
Dovervelt Rd, Canvey Island
SS8 8EJ

Bring your own picnic

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SEN BY THE SEA

Canvey Island Bandstand
20th August | 11am - 3p.m.

- *Free Craft Activities
- *Local SEN organisations
- *Face Painting



FREE ENTRY

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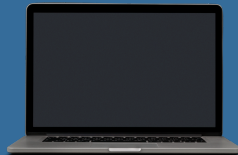
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LEARN IT SKILLS

Free IT Sessions are being held in the Canvey Island Town Council offices on Thursday and Friday mornings. These sessions are one to one and last for an hour. If you are interested in booking a session please contact the Deputy Clerk on 01268 683965, emailing admin@canveyisland-tc.gov.uk



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COMMUNITY OFFICER - ADELE WAKENELL

OPENING TIMES

MONDAY - CLOSED
TUESDAY - 9.30AM TO 12NOON
WEDNESDAY - 12.30PM TO 2.30PM
THURSDAY 9.30AM TO 12NOON
FRIDAY - CLOSED

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UPCOMING MEETINGS

23.06.25- FULL COUNCIL

28.07.25 - POLICY AND FINANCE

01.09.25 - FULL COUNCIL

06.10.25- FULL COUNCIL

17.11.25 - POLICY AND FINANCE - BUDGET

ALL MEETINGS START AT 7.00PM WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE PLANNING COMMITTEE - FULL DETAILS CAN BE FOUND ON THE TOWN COUNCIL'S WEBSITE