



Summer 2025



Ings News

Ward news - information about your neighbourhood and community

Save the date! Ings Summer Gala Wednesday 30 July

We are pleased to confirm that this year's summer gala will take place on Wednesday 30 July, at Ings Playing Fields (HU8 0QQ, next to Ings Primary School), from 11am-2pm.

This year's event takes inspiration from the beloved children's story *We're Going on a Bear Hunt*, with plenty of teddy bear-themed activities for younger children, including a teddy bear picnic. Wolfpack Theatre Company will lead an interactive teddy bear hunt, joined by stilt walkers to make the journey even more exciting. For older children and teens, we are introducing a 75-foot inflatable assault course.

There will also be favourites such as Punch and Judy, inflatables, children's rides, and, of course, free ice cream and lots more.

Once again, we are delighted to be supported by the Healthy Holidays programme, which will offer children and young people the chance to make their own pizzas and receive free fruit and water. Please look out for vouchers in children's book bags nearer the time which will need to be exchanged for pizza ingredients. For more details, please check our notice boards and social media channels nearer the time.



Here to Help

We would like to remind residents that representatives from our Customer Service team will be available at Ings Library on Tuesday afternoons from 2-4.30pm. They can provide advice on a wide range of issues, including fuel and energy, housing, money and debt, and much more.

This is a drop-in session, so no appointment is needed. Ings Library is also continuing to offer free drinks throughout the summer.



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Healthy Lifestyles

Hull City Council's Healthy Lifestyles Team will be running some great activities over the summer holidays! Join them for an Us Mums buggy walk every Monday at 1.30pm in East Park, meeting at the clock tower. It's a great way to get some fresh air and meet other mums.

Visit www.facebook.com/usmumshull for more info, or email usmums@hullcc.gov.uk.

The team will also be running play sessions for children under two at Acorns Family Hub on Friday mornings from 10-11am and 11.15am-12.15pm. Come play, learn, and have fun.

Visit www.familyhubshull.org.uk or contact The Acorns on 01482 708 953 to find out more about their Summer Holiday activity programme.

A Mischief of Rats, Fun for all the family this summer

In the Ings ward, we are pleased to support this year's colourful public art trail across Hull and East Yorkshire: "A Mischief of Rats." Inspired by the work of the late Rats and Spiders from Mars guitarist and former Hull City Council gardener Mick Ronson, Moonage Daydream – Rat 16 is based in Ings Library and is part of a trail of 45 installations across the city.

The rats will be around until Sunday 31 August, when they will all relocate to Princes Quay to be auctioned, raising much-needed funds for the Daisy Appeal, a charity that provides life-saving technology to support people living with cancer, heart disease, and dementia. The funds raised will help cover the purchase costs of a new scanner.

You can pick up your free map from Ings Library, or alternatively, you can download a free app to your smartphone. Visit your preferred app store and look for "Find a Rat."

Ings Library is open:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 9.30am-1pm, Tuesday, Thursday: 2-6pm, Saturday: 10am-1pm



Library Corner

Ings Library is hosting a weekly Job Club every Wednesday morning from 10am-12noon. If you're looking for work, considering a career change, or need help with your CV, why not pop in and have a chat with the team?

Children and young people are also invited to take part in a range of exciting summer holiday activities at the library. Visit Ings Library for more details or check out the event listings online: www.eventbrite.co.uk/d/united-kingdom--kingston-upon-hull--22193/ings-library/

Have Your Say!

What do you think of your local area? What needs improving? What matters most to you? What should we prioritise?

Have your say. Visit <https://yoursay.hull.gov.uk/> or scan the QR code with your smartphone.

We're hoping to hold an event this autumn as a follow-up to last year's community conference. In the meantime, feel free to visit one of our drop-in sessions at Ings Library.

Upcoming drop-in dates: Tuesday 24 June, Tuesday 29 July, Tuesday 19 August, and Tuesday 30 September. All sessions take place from 4-5pm.

Can't make these times? Drop us an email at east.areacommittee@hullcc.gov.uk.



Love Your Neighbourhood

This service aims to make our communities sparkle. An intensive environmental improvement programme will bring a range of services that include, but are not limited to -

- litter picking
- shrub maintenance
- graffiti removal
- fly-tip removals
- verge edging

The Love Your Neighbourhood teams work alongside the Love Your Street team.

They want to help you get involved in your community, to make a visible difference to where you live. In the Ings ward, streets around the Balham Avenue, Brixton Close and Grasby Road area have benefited from this programme.

We have identified an area around Anson Road for consideration in the next round of works. Residents will be notified in advance of any works taking place.

To nominate streets that you feel need an intensive clean-up, email loveyourstreet@hulcc.gov.uk.



A big “Thank You”

To a local resident who wishes to remain anonymous for their help in cleaning the notice board on Bellfield Avenue near to Grasby Park.

We are very lucky in the Ings ward as we also have a number of local residents who undertake litter picks and have a genuine interest in keeping our area looking nice.

Thank you to you all – we know many of you wish to remain anonymous, but we very much appreciate all that you do for your local community.



Hull Maritime Partnership goes from strength to strength

In May we were pleased to welcome the Hull Maritime team back to Ings Library.

They have been working with residents on a new project to create artwork inspired by the wildlife found near the new North End Shipyard, where the Arctic Corsair will be dry berthed.

This session followed on from the January workshop at the library, where residents worked with the Yorkshire Wildlife Trust to make seagrass bags for planting at Spurn Point in the River Humber.

Want to get involved? Visit their website for more information: <https://maritimehull.co.uk/projects>



Reporting crime and anti-social behaviour

Humberside Police

Did you know that there are certain crimes that can be reported to Humberside Police online via their website?

Non-emergency crimes such as road traffic incidents, domestic abuse, lost property, and more can be reported via the Humberside Police website by visiting www.humberside.police.uk/ro/report/

In cases of an emergency where

- there is an immediate danger to life
- someone is using violence or is threatening to be violent
- a crime is happening right now, like a house burglary or a theft
- the suspect is still at the scene

please call 999.

Crimestoppers

Want to report something anonymously? Did you know that Crimestoppers is an independent charity that gives people the power to speak up and help stop crime 100% anonymously?

You can provide information anonymously by calling 0800 555 111 or via their website: crimestoppers-uk.org

Reporting anti-social behaviour

Anti-social behaviours such as nuisance motorcycles, harassment, noise nuisance and more can be reported to Hull City Council either by calling 01482 300 300 or via the website by visiting <https://www.hull.gov.uk/community-safety/antisocial-behaviour>

Hull City Council, Humberside Police, and their partners have worked together on numerous cases, resulting in action against perpetrators. These successes have been made possible thanks to the valuable intelligence provided by local residents.

Using the appropriate reporting methods is crucial in helping Humberside Police, Hull City Council, and partner agencies achieve positive outcomes. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all residents who have shared information, contributing to these favourable results.

My Community Alert - Have you signed up yet?

My Community Alert is a free messaging system operated by Humberside Police, Humberside Fire & Rescue Service, and Humberside Office of the Police & Crime Commissioner, giving you live information about incidents happening in your area.

Choose how you receive messages, by either phone or email, how often you want to hear from us and about the issues that matter to you by visiting www.mycommunityalert.co.uk



This document can be made available in other formats (large print, audio and Braille) and different community languages. Please telephone 01482 300 300.



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