



Autumn 2025



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Ings News

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Ings Summer Gala

The sun shone down on us once again, and everyone we spoke to had a lovely day.

This year our theme was inspired by the Michael Rosen story "We're going on a bear hunt" and it was lovely to see so many teddy bears, crafts games and activities. Did you take part in the teddy bear trail?

The children this year had access to free pizza making activities which went down very well.

The fairground area was bigger and the inclusion of the additional 75' inflatable was popular with children and young people of all ages.



We would like to express our thanks to all the groups who took part in the event, including Healthy Holidays fund, our ice cream sponsors, Compendium Living for their support with the costs of putting on this year's event, and of course, our wonderful VHEY volunteers who were amazing.

We will be starting to look at dates for next summer's gala early in the new year, and formal planning after Easter 2026. To help us to plan for this, we would love to hear from residents who attended with their families. We are particularly interested in your thoughts about having a theme, and if you think this was a good idea.

Please feel free to contact us by email east.areacommittee@hullcc.gov.uk

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Events happening at Ings Library



Community safety event

In the run up to bonfire night, we will be holding a drop in session at Ings Library on Wednesday 29 October 2025. Representatives will be on hand from the Police, Fire and other Council departments to offer advice, guidance and more. The event takes place between 10.00am-12.00noon. Booking is not required – just turn up.

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October half term library programme

Ings Library will be running activity sessions for children in the library during the October half term break. For more details visit: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/hull-libraries-14573965599> or pop in during normal opening hours: <https://www.hulllibraries.co.uk/local-library/ings-library>

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Christmas wreath making sessions

We are pleased to inform residents that we are now taking bookings for this year's Christmas wreath making sessions. Sessions will be held at Ings Library on Saturday 22 and Wednesday 26 November.

Once again, residents of multi-story living accommodation will be invited to come along and make their own table decorations.

Places are available on a first come, first served basis. For more details please contact the East Neighbourhood Team either by phone 01482 613 140 or by email east.areacommittee@hullcc.gov.uk

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A Mischief of Rats – Moonage Daydream brings thousands into Ings Library



At the beginning of September, we said goodbye to our beautiful Moonage Daydream. Over the three months of the programme, Ings Library saw a massive 22,472 people come through the doors compared to last year over the same period when 15,600 people visited the library. We even had international visitors from as far away as South Korea, which was amazing.

We were so lucky that local artist, Susan J Woolhouse was the designer, and gave so much of her time to visit us and host sessions with residents, talking through her inspirations for the design. We were pleased to welcome Maggie Ronson who took the time out of her busy schedule to visit the library and meet Moonage Daydream too.

Moonage Daydream went to auction on 20 September raising £4,500 towards the Daisy Appeal at Castle Hill Hospital.

So, what's next? Watch this space!



Neighbourhood Drop-In's continue

For the late autumn period the Ings Neighbourhood Drop-in sessions will move to the last Wednesday of the month between 11.30am-12.30pm. Don't forget Ings Library is a warm space, with free tea and coffee all year round. So why not pop in for a coffee and a chat about a local issue important to you.

Dates for the next 6 months are as follows:

2025 – Wednesday's 29 October, 26 November, 24 December

2026 – Wednesday's 28 January, 25 February, 25 March

Ings regeneration – the next phase

Earlier this year, planning permission was granted for works to develop the land off Balham Avenue. Works will be carried out by Compendium Living in partnership with Hull City Council. The development will consist of 84 properties, 9 of which will be affordable rentals for Hull City Council and 75 for Together Housing which will be available as a mix of affordable rents and shared ownership. Works will commence soon, and are expected to be completed in late 2027.



The work continues to grow on the Bellfield Avenue/Middlesex Road area. Resurfacing works have been completed on Middlesex Road which involved widening the junctions at both Saltshouse Road and Bellfield Avenue. A further planning application for the final phases of the development, which will be at the bottom of Middlesex Road and along Bellfield Avenue. This part of the development comprises of 166 homes, of which 17 are affordable rental properties.

New Automated External Defibrillator (AED) and Bleed Kit installed at the Barham Public House

Cardiac arrests can happen to anyone at any time and action taken in the first few minutes afterwards can make a huge difference to someone's chances of survival. Research shows that the chance of survival following the onset of a cardiac arrest decreases by 7–10% for every minute of delay in commencing treatment.

As part of our ongoing commitment to improving the health and wellbeing of our residents, we were pleased to work with our partners Yorkshire Ambulance Service, Help for Health, Humberside Fire & Rescue Solutions, The Oliver King Foundation, Connexin and the Barham Public House who agreed to host one of the 24 hour accessible AED's outside of their building. Should there be a need for it to be used, the 999 operators will advise on how to access the unit and how to use it.



Alongside the defibrillator, a 24-hour accessible bleed kit is being installed. Like defibrillators, the kits can be easily accessed by members of the public in an emergency situation and include clear instructions. They contain items which are simple to use, but can be the difference between life and death, including tourniquets, bandages and haemostatic dressings.

Basic lifesaving skills are so important and having the confidence to use them even more so. We are hoping to hold a basic life support training course later in the year. Would you be interested in either refreshing your skills or perhaps taking part in some informal training for the first time? If so, please contact us either by email east.areacommittee@hullcc.gov.uk or by phone 01482 613 140.

Community Impact opens its doors at Kingston Wesley Church

Community impact CIC is a new community café operating at Kingston Wesley Church on Holderness Road. Open on a Tuesday 12.00-2.00pm, the team can offer a hot meal for just £3.00 or £10.00 per month. In addition to the café, they operate a community shop offering grocery items between 10p - 50p.

For more details please contact Community Impact directly on 07472 409254, by email madisonimpact882@gmail.com or check out their social media pages on Facebook and Instagram.



Stoptober - Let's Quit Smoking Together



This October, the national Stoptober 2025 campaign returns with a powerful message: "Let's quit smoking together." Since its launch in 2012, Stoptober has helped millions of people across the UK take the first step toward a smoke-free life.

Stoptober aims to create a supportive environment where thousands of people commit to quitting together. The campaign encourages smokers to quit for 28 days, based on evidence that shows those who do are five times more likely to quit for good. Ready to quit?

Call SmokeFree Hull on 01482 977 617 or visit SmokeFree Hull to learn more.

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