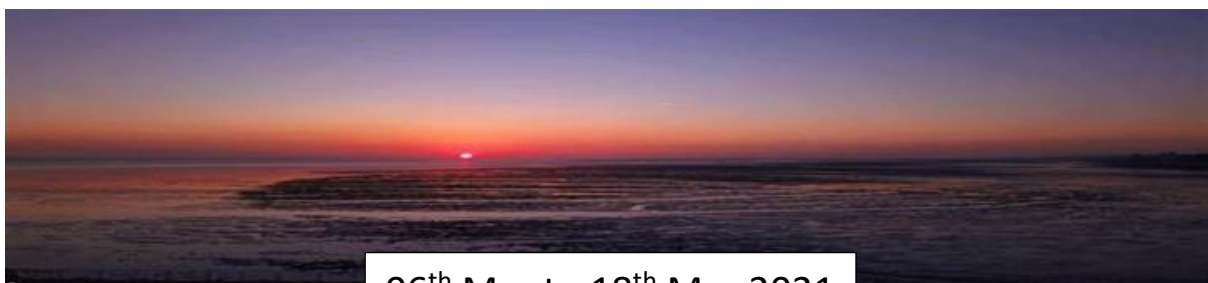




### **One Voice Queensway East Website launch**



The resident's association website has now gone live and covers a range of topics including our constitution, subscribing process, projects and committee members area.

For more information see [www.kilworthestates.co.uk](http://www.kilworthestates.co.uk)

## [The Echo Newspaper report South Essex area with the worst Covid death rate in the UK](#)

One area in south Essex now has the worst Covid death rate in the UK - according to the latest figures.

### **Southend Adult Community College**

Southend Adult Community College opened its doors for current and new pupils on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March. Following the Government's announcement on Monday 22 February 2021, the College is now able to invite more learners into the centres, with the hopes of full reopening on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2021. To find out more visit [www.southend-adult.ac.uk](http://www.southend-adult.ac.uk)

### **The future of The Kursaal**

Concrete Culture invited onto the fantastic Essex By The Podcast to have a chat about all things #KursaalComeback with Owen Ward!

Check out episode 15 now at

[www.podfollow.com/essexbythesea](http://www.podfollow.com/essexbythesea)

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### **State of the Pavements & Roads in Kilworth Estate**

Residents of Kilworth Estate point out how awful the state of Hastings Road pavement is and are surprised that the latest newspaper article fails to identify it as being a pavement in urgent need of repair. The resident's association committee

took this matter up with the council and it has now been confirmed the Hastings Road pavements will be repaired

**Southend Council News - to 06th Feb to 18<sup>th</sup> Mar**

## **Key worker permit extended until June as council supports NHS and care staff**

A temporary permit allowing NHS health and care workers carrying out essential work during the Coronavirus pandemic to park in all the Borough's council owned car parks and on street bays has been extended until June.

## **Zero percent loans available to reduce vacant units on the High Street**

Plans to bring empty town centre units back into use have taken a positive step forward as the council has announced plans to offer 0% loans to owners and potential owners of vacant units in Southend High Street.

## **Grants available to improve town centre shop fronts**

Businesses based in and around Southend town centre can now apply for a grant of up to £5,000 to enhance their shop fronts as the council looks to invest and improve the town centre shopping area.

## **94% attendance for first week back at school after lockdown**

94 per cent of primary and secondary school children in Southend-on-Sea returned to the classroom last week following the easing of national Covid-19 restrictions.

## **Council awarded grants for vital repairs to its most cherished and historic buildings**

Southend-on-Sea Borough Council has been awarded grants from Heritage England for urgent maintenance and repairs to some of the Borough's most cherished and historic buildings.

## **Unpaid carers in Southend-on-Sea urged to get their Covid-19 vaccinations**

Unpaid carers aged 16 and over, are now eligible to receive the first dose of the Covid-19 vaccination.

## **Southend GP practices host a COVID-19 vaccination clinic dedicated to people experiencing homelessness**

Doctors and nurses in Southend have joined forces with us and HARP, to launch a dedicated COVID-19 vaccination clinic aimed at people experiencing homelessness and rough sleeping in Southend.

## **As lockdown eases please remember 'stay at home' regulation remains in force until end of March**

Over 61,700 people in Southend-on-Sea have now received their first dose of the Covid-19 vaccine and rates of infection in the Borough continue to fall.

## **Thousands of new trees and shrubs being planted across the Borough**

Work is well underway to plant more trees and shrubs across the Borough.

## **New security initiatives introduced in Old Town, Leigh-on-Sea**

Several security initiatives are being introduced to the Old Town area of Leigh-on-Sea to heighten security and safety in the area.

## **Council statement in response to recycling to incineration rates article**

Recent press coverage has shown incineration rates much higher than they are, due to an administrative error by the council.

[View and Comment on Planning Applications Online – Southend-on-Sea Borough Council](#)