

Ryde Town Council



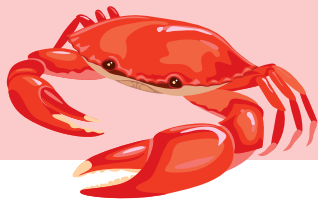
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Under The Pier 2019...there's a whole wild world out there!

August 30th - 3.30pm to 6pm

Join Arc, Artecology and friends to discover the spectacular marine wildlife making its home under Ryde's famous pier. Daisies and breadcrumbs, snakelocks and squirts - meet them all on your way to the far-flung sponge gardens! Meet us on the western side of Ryde Pier (PO33 2DL). Bring a net and a bucket, wear wellies and expect to get splashed! This is a FREE event with Arc, Artecology & The Common Space. All are welcome but children must be accompanied by an adult. For more details, visit www.underthepier.space



Town council grants

The town council recently held a funding round and awarded a number of grants to local organisations including IW Pride, IW Bus and Coach Museum and Ryde Business Association. If you would like your organisation to be considered for the next round of grant funding due to be held in October, please see the Ryde Town Council website for further details and application forms. The deadline for receipt of applications will be Friday, October 11th at 12pm.

Classic car show comes to Ryde Esplanade

The popular IW Charity Classic Car Show returns to Ryde on September 15th. This year is tipped to be the biggest and best yet, with classic vehicles from all over the UK and mainland Europe attending. There will be a spectacular collection of vintage, classic, custom and retro cars and other rare vehicles on display. The event, which is free for spectators, will be held on Ryde Esplanade. All money raised will be donated to Mountbatten.



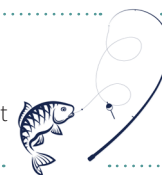
Monkton Arts

Ryde welcomed a new arts venue to the town in July. Monkton Arts, based in the former Island Printers building in East Street, combines a gallery exhibiting local artists' work, two artists' studios and the lounge coffee house. It is also the base for a photography group and a meeting place for young adults with autism. A wide range of further activities, including a children's art exhibition, are planned. September will see Monkton Arts in East Street offering two free exhibitions. The first will run from August 26th to September

7th and will exhibit different interpretations of Appley Tower, along with having plans on show to highlight ideas to save the tower. The second will be an exhibition featuring local engineer John Ackroyd's work on the record breaking Thrust 2, which will run from September 9th to 21st and will also feature an 'Evening with Ackers' on Friday, September 13th. For more information about what's on at Monkton Arts and how to get involved, please visit www.monktonarts.learningialiving.co.uk.

Junior Fishing Frenzy

On September 1st, Vectis Boating and Fishing Club is holding the last leg of the summer junior fishing competition. It's open to all juniors and kicks off at 11.30am. Afterwards, the club will host the prizegiving and a BBQ.



Council Meetings in September

Date	Meeting	Time	Venue
2nd September	Full Council	7pm	Garfield Rd Methodist Church.
3rd September	Planning Committee	7pm	Town Hall Chambers, Lind Street.
17th September	Finance Committee	7pm	Town Hall Chambers, Lind Street.
24th September	Planning Committee	7pm	Town Hall Chambers, Lind Street.

Events in September

Date	Event	Time	Details
30th August	Under the Pier	3.30pm - 6.30pm	Under Ryde Pier! www.underthepier.space
1st September	Junior Fishing Frenzy	11.30am	Vectis Boating and Fishing Club
4th September	Southern Water Community Tour	10.30am - 3.30pm	Town Square, Ryde
26th Aug - 7th September	Monkton Arts Exhibition - Appley Tower		Monkton Arts, 11 East Street, Ryde.
7th September	Project Opera - Shepherd on a Rock	7pm	www.ticketsource.co.uk/projectopera Garfield Road Methodist Church
9th September - 21st September	A Blast from the Past Exhibition - Featuring models and blueprints never publicly seen of the Thrust project.		Monkton Arts, 11 East Street, Ryde.
15th September	International Classic Car Show		Ryde Esplanade.

The town council office is at Town Hall Chambers, 10 Lind Street, Ryde (opposite the former Ryde Theatre). The opening times are Monday to Friday 9am - 4pm. If you have a local community event coming up which you would like to publicise, free of charge, on this page and/or on the town council's noticeboards, please get in touch using any of the contact details at the top of the page. All meetings are open to the public; agendas are available to collect from the town council offices or to download from the town council's website, at www.rydetowncouncil.gov.uk

