

Thanet Coast Summer 2024

Join us on the beach for some natural fun.

Thanet
Coast
Project

Please **BOOK** at: Thanetcoast.org.uk

to join and view event details.

working with people
for coastal wildlife

Great Eggcase & Scavenger Hunts

Look for clues of life from our seas and for shark egg cases; with marine art (4-11s; 1.5hrs; £2.50pp donation)

- Tue 2 April, 2pm - Margate
- Wed 3 April, 2pm - Viking Bay
- Thur 4 April, 2pm - Dumpton Gap

- Wed 29 May, 11am - Walpole Bay
- Thu 30 May, 11am - Botany Bay
- Fri 31 May, 11am - Ramsgate

- Tue 29 Oct, 2pm - Walpole Bay
- Wed 30 Oct, 2pm - Botany Bay
- Thu 31 Oct, 2pm - Ramsgate

Seashore Safaris

Explore Thanet's rocky chalk shore for its fascinating rockpool life - with help on hand to identify your finds (4-14yrs & all the family; 2hrs; £2.50pp suggested donation)

- Wed 24 July, 8:30am - Louisa Bay
- Thu 25 July, 9am - Eastcliff, Ramsgate
- Fri 26 July, 9:30am - West Bay, Westgate
- Sat 27 July, 10am - St Mildred's Bay
- Sun 28 July, 11am - Margate Main Sands
- Mon 29 July, 12pm - Walpole Bay
- Tue 30 July, 1pm - Minnis Bay
- Wed 7 Aug, 8:30am - Western Undercliff
- Thu 8 Aug, 8:30am - Botany Bay
- Fri 9 Aug, 8:30am - Stone Bay
- Sat 10 Aug, 9am - Walpole Bay
- Sun 18 Aug, 5:30pm - Walpole Bay (evening)
- Thu 22 Aug, 8am - Eastcliff, Ramsgate
- Fri 23 Aug, 9am - Dumpton Gap



Seaweed & their Secrets

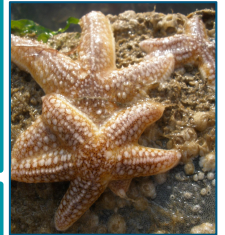
Everything you need to know about **Seaweed**: a walk & talk with expert Ian Tittley (14yrs+; 2hrs; £5pp donation)

- Mon 22 Apr, 5pm - Walpole Bay
- Thu 27 June, 9:30am - Botany Bay
- Mon 19 Aug, 6pm - Dumpton Gap
- Tue 15 Oct, 4pm - Walpole Bay

Great British Beach Cleans

Join a beach clean & litter survey as part of MCS's national campaign to clean our shores (5yrs+; 2hrs)

- Thu 28 March, 10am - Pegwell Bay, Cliffsend
- Fri 28 June, 10am - Pegwell Bay, Cliffsend
- Sat 21 Sept, 10am - Pegwell Bay, Cliffsend
- Sat 21 Sept, 2pm - Plum Pudding, Minnis Bay
- Fri 6 Dec, 10am - Pegwell Bay, Cliffsend



White Cliffs of Kingsgate:

Evolution of a Kentish Coastal Landscape

Uncover the mysteries of this stunning coastscape on this walk & talk with expert Richard Hubbard (11yrs+; 2hrs; £5pp)

- Mon 13 May, 9:30am
- Sat 13 July, 9.30am
- Mon 9 Sept, 9:30am

Look Out for more online...

Active Ramsgate Week

- 28 May, 11am-Safari & 31 May, 11am-Scavenger Hunt

World Ocean Day - Sat. 8 June

- 8am Safari Stone Bay; 11-4 Meet/Greet at Harbour

Water Gala 24 July 8.30am - Safari; 12-4pm Harbour

East Kent Coast Photographic Exhibition - See the winning entries from the [photography competition](#) - with Bird Wise - celebrating our coast & wildlife at various venues.



DID YOU KNOW?

- # Thanet's coast is [internationally & nationally important](#) for its bird & marine life.
- # You can volunteer as a '[Coastal Warden](#)' to help safeguard our coastline.
- # An [online notification of School Beach Visits](#) includes advice to assist your beach experience.
- # Groups can use an online [beach clean notification](#) & borrow equipment to run their own clean!
- # [Tracker Packs](#) with fun things to do can be hired by families/groups (Margate/Broadstairs/Ramsgate)



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Thanet Coast Project is a 'not for profit' project & is grateful for your donations & support.

Please follow the Thanet Coastal Codes

Local people have helped draw up voluntary codes to help safeguard coastal wildlife, while allowing people to enjoy their activities:



Respect Coastal wildlife



Consider other users




Stay safe on the beach

Be environmentally friendly




See www.thanetcoast.org.uk for codes on seashore, bait digging, dog walking, horse riding, field trips, shore angling, power-craft and wind-powered activities.




Tread carefully on the chalky shore - its my home!

Take photos, and not my mates home!



Avoid scaring my coastal feathered friends - they need rest at high tide!

Please take your rubbish home with you or use the bin provided!



Water Safety in Thanet

- **Spot** the dangers
- Take **Advice**
- Go with a **Friend** or **Family** member
- Learn what to do in an **Emergency**
Put up your hand & shout, or call **999 / 112**

The **Thanet Coastal Codes** and a **Water Safety in Thanet** video can be viewed online at our website, or for advice visit: RNLI.org/education

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North East Kent



Marine Protected Area

The North East Kent coast is one of the best sites in Europe for wintering birds, and marine life of the chalk caves, reef and sandy bays.

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