



Thanet Coast 2012

Spring into Summer



Great Egg Case Hunts

Look out for shark egg cases and help to create a marine art masterpiece on the beach. All hunts start at 2pm (1.5hrs, 4-14yrs); £2pp (Quote local Thanet school for free place)

Mon 2 April – **Viking Bay, Broadstairs** CT10 1EU

Meet: Outside Broadstairs Harbour Master Office (opp. Tartar Frigate pub)

Tue 3 April – **Margate Main Sands** CT9 1XN

Meet: Coastal Community Beach Hut (opp. Arlington House)

Wed 4 April – **Ramsgate Main Sands** CT11 8LP

Meet: By the Needle or Obelisk (opp. Belgian Cafe)

Thur 5 April – **Margate Main Sands** CT9 1XN

Meet: Coastal Community Beach Hut (opp. Arlington House)

Spring Beach Cleans

This is a great way to get outdoors and help maintain our beautiful coastline. Gloves, sticks and bags provided - thanks to support from Cummins Power Generation. (Approx. 2.5hrs)

Sat 31 Mar, 10am - **Pegwell Bay, Cliffsend** CT12 5HY

Meet: On beach below former hoverport access road (near Viking Ship Picnic Site)

Sat 31 Mar, 2pm - **Plumpudding, Birchington** CT7 9QP

Meet: Outside the Minnis Restaurant at 2pm.

Note: The beach clean starts at the very western end of Minnis Bay, going along the 'northern sea wall' beaches (*to Plumpudding lagoon, going towards Reculver*).

Rock Doc Walk

Learn the language of rocks, chalk cliffs, flints & fossils.

11am (1-2hrs, 14+yrs); £3 adult, £2 children (<16s)

Sun 1 Apr – **Kingsgate Bay, Broadstairs**

Meet: Outside the Fayre Ness Hotel (CT10 3LG)

More to Come...

Watch the "What's On" page at www.thanetcoast.org.uk for information on more events over the Easter holidays!

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 the seashore, bait digging, shellfish harvesting, 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 safety advice
- Don't go alone
- Learn how to help

The Water Safety in Thanet video can be viewed online at www.thanetcoast.org.uk



Thanet Coast Project
working with people for coastal wildlife

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.

For more details visit: www.thanetcoast.org.uk

