



SANDOWN TOWN COUNCIL

Press Release

SANDOWN RAISING STANDARDS

Sandown Town Council has received the prestigious Seaside Award for 2020, in recognition of the investment the Town has made in maintaining local amenities such as the Public Toilets, as well as the partnership work with organisations such as Green Towns, Regatta and Carnival.

Sandown Town Mayor Gary Young said 'Whilst we continue to promote the safe use of our beaches, within the guidance, it is a credit to all involved to secure the national Seaside Award for 2020'.

Deputy Mayor Paul Brading added 'It has been a very difficult time for local residents and businesses, and it is important to achieve successes such as this, in the longer term when the lockdown is further relaxed'.

The Seaside Flag will be flown by the War Memorial alongside a repaired union flag, which is to be replaced in the coming weeks, and will be a part of a project to commemorate VJ Day @75 in August.

CLLr Young concluded 'We have had to delay several projects, such as the re-provision of Public Toilets, at the moment and the lockdown has also restricted what we can actually do, and now that we can safely replace the flags at the memorial we have: we are committed to raising standards'.

The Town Council continue to maintain the Bay Hub, with volunteers supporting local residents with the collection and delivery of medications and shopping, and are continuing to monitor other service provision, including meetings in public, within developing guidance.



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