



Thursday 1 April – 11 July  
Open Wednesday – Sunday,  
10am – 5pm  
**The Story of Jaywick  
Martello Tower  
Exhibition**

Marking the 200th birthday of JMT this exhibition takes us on the journey of JMT from a military fortification to its current use as an arts venue.

*Spring Talks*

Friday 26 March, 11am  
**The Martello Towers of the East Coast**

Local historian Roger Kennell talks about the construction and design of these Napoleonic fortifications.

Friday 2 April, 11am  
**DNA and Facial Recognition**

A fun session with Richard Till teaching us to look at our faces to determine the genetic links with our ancestors.

Friday 9 April, 11am  
**Essex Coastal Trade in the 1800s**

Essex historian Roger Beckett discusses the Essex coastal trade during the Napoleonic era.

Friday 16 April, 11am  
**Newcomers to Essex**

Dr. Mark Curteis makes a welcome return to present us with the interesting tale of migration to Essex.

Friday 23 April, 11am  
**History through the Sea Shanty**

The author of Essex Town Sign history books Keith Lovell will take us into history through the sea shanty.

Friday 30 April, 11am  
**Martello Towers and the Napoleonic Threat**

Essex historian and novelist Richard Woodman presents the Napoleonic Wars as part of our 200th Birthday celebration.

*Youth Theatre Workshops*

Tuesday 1 June  
**Music and Drama at The Tower**

Wednesday 2 June  
**Drama and History at The Tower**

Thursday 3 June  
**The Tower and Battles**

Friday 4 June  
**Friends and Family Performance**

1pm – 2.30pm 5 – 9 years old  
1pm – 4.30pm 10 – 19 years old

Join the Princes Theatre Youth Company to develop music, songs and plays inspired by the 200 year old tower. £5 for all four sessions. For tickets call the Princes Theatre on 01255 686650.

Saturday 12 June, Time (tbc)

**Fleet: Art in the Haven Ports**

*Guided Walk*

A 4-5 mile walk that illustrates the local natural environment of Jaywick and St. Osyth. Meeting point at JMT. Booking required.

Saturday 12 June, Time (tbc)

**Fleet: Art in the Haven Ports**

*Artist Talk*

Filmmaker and photographer Sarah Dobai uses documentary techniques and fictional scenarios to explore people and places. Sarah will talk about her latest project in Jaywick.

Sunday 13 June, 7pm

**Essex on Tour: An evening with Mervyn Stutter**

*Live Music and Comedy*

“If laughter is the best medicine, I suggest you lay off the Night Nurse and get in quick to book your ticket.” Arlingham? Tickets: £6/7. Booking is required.

Sunday 4 July, 2pm

**Clacton Concert Orchestra**

*Live Music*

Come and listen to a range of music to suit all tastes from classical to popular musicals. Donations collected for charity.

Wednesday 14 – Sunday 25 July  
Open Wednesday – Sunday,  
10am – 5pm

**Fleet: Art in the Haven Ports**

*Exhibition*

Artist Sarah Dobai will present her latest project, a film made in Jaywick with the local community.

Sunday 18 July, 11am – 4pm

**Jaywick Summer Fayre**

Annual Summer Fayre held in and around Jaywick Community Resource Centre, Brooklands, Jaywick. Join us for popular entertainment, face painting and homemade cakes.

Wednesday 4 – Sunday 15 August  
Wednesday – Sundays,  
10am -5pm

**The JMT Coastal Open Exhibition**

This first Coastal Open showcases local artists and craft makers. Displays at JMT and St. Christopher's Church Hall, Meadow way, Jaywick. Part of Essex Summer of Art, a county wide showcase of art trails and open studios.

Wednesday 4 – Sunday 15 August  
**The JMT Coastal Open Workshops**

Local artists participating in the exhibition will give demonstrations and workshops for children and adults at Golf Green Hall, Golf Green Road, Jaywick on Sunday 8 & Monday 9 August and Jaywick Community Resource Centre, Brooklands, Jaywick on Wednesday 4 and Wednesday 11 August. See JMT website for details.

**All events are FREE unless stated.**

For ticketed event please pre-book at JMT on 01255 822783 to avoid disappointment.

For further details of all our events and associated activities see our website at [www.jaywickmartellotower.org](http://www.jaywickmartellotower.org) or call 01255 822783 for more information.

Jaywick Martello Tower  
The Promenade  
Belsize Avenue,  
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### Jaywick Mini Film Festival

Come along and watch local films or films that reflect local issues. There is something for everyone!

Wednesday 18 August, 10am - 5pm

#### JMT Film Day

There will be a selection of films on show including Jaywick Rocks, the popular film made by Karen Whiteread in 2006.

Thursday 19 August, 10am - 5pm

#### Coastcards

Commissioned by Animate Projects, Coastcards are three short films about seaside towns undergoing regeneration.

Friday 20 August, 10am - 5pm

#### Made in Essex

The best of the short films from the 2010 Made in Essex Film Festival. Films are about Essex or made by people from Essex.

Saturday 21 August, 5.30pm - 7pm

#### Starter for Ten (Cert 15)

Starring James McAvoy and filmed in Jaywick, this story tells of a scholarship boy from seaside Essex with a love of knowledge trying out for University Challenge. Booking is required.

Sunday 22 August, 11am - 12.30pm & 2pm - 3.30pm

#### Living with the Tudors

Nina Pope and Karen Gutherie spent four years participating as Tudor re-enactors at Kentwell Hall in Suffolk. The film meets the volunteers who spend their summer holidays re-creating sixteenth-century century English life.

Saturday 28 - Sunday 29 August, 10am - 4pm

#### Living History Event

Historical Maritime Society brings Nelson's Navy to life at JMT. Watch the carpenter carve the ship's wood, Marines firing their muskets or find out how they navigated the ships. But watch out or the captain will put you to work!

Wednesday 1 - Sunday 30 September

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#### Fleet: Art in the Haven Ports Exhibition

As part of a cultural exchange programme, Fleet's partners in Lille, Espace Croise, will commission a French artist to exhibit at JMT.

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