## List of clubs and societies in Thanet

Thanet, England has a comprehensive range of clubs and societies. Sources of financial support to maintain or develop new organisations are also listed below.

## Sports Clubs

## Football

- \*Margate Football Club
- \*Margate Youth Football Club
- \*Thanet & District Football League
- \*SEWS
- \*Ramsgate Football Club
- \*Ramsgate Youth Football Club
- \*Minster Football Club
- \*Red Arrows Youth Football Club
- \*Thanet Premier Sunday Football
- \*Thanet Works Football
- \*Hartsdown Park SLC
- \*Hugin Vikings Football Club
- \*Addington Arms (Sunday) FC
- \*Preston Hellings F.C.
- \*Thanet Sunday Football League
- \*Thanet Referees' Association
- \*Phoenix Rangers
- \*Thanet Colts

See also: Kent League, Kent League Premier Division.

#### Rugby

- \*Thanet Wanderers Rugby Club
- \*Broadstairs Bulldogs Amateur Rugby League Football Club

#### Cricket

- \*Nelson Cricket Club
- \*Broadstairs Cricket Club
- \*Cliftonville Cricket Club
- \*Margate Cricket Club
- \*Westgate-on-Sea Cricket Club
- \*Ramsgate Corinthian Cricket Club
- \*Old Hartsdonians Cricket Club

### Hockey

- \*Cliftonville Hockey Club
- \*Monkton Hockey Club
- \*Thanet Nomads Hockey Club

## Athletics and Running

\*Thanet Road Runners Club

### **Tennis**

- \*Broadstairs & St. Peters Lawn Tennis Club
- \*Margate Lawn Tennis Club

#### **Boxing**

- \*Birchington Amateur Boxing Club
- \*Broadstairs & St Peters Amateur Boxing
- \*Margate Amateur Boxing Club
- \*Ramsgate Amateur Boxing Club

#### Golf

- \*North Foreland Golf Club
- \*St. Augustine's Golf Club
- \*Stonelees Golf Centre
- \*Manston Golf
- \*Westgate and Birchington Golf Club

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## \*Prince Albert Golf Society

### Cycling

- \*East Kent District Association, Cyclists Touring Club
- \*Thanet Road Club
- \*SPOKES East Kent Cycling Campaign

#### Martial Arts

- \*Birchington Karate Club (Shotokan)
- \*Bujinkan Dojo Takuma
- \*Gardner Tae Kwon Do
- \*Ramsgate Judo
- \*Thanet Judokwai Club (Aikido)
- \*Thanet Shotokan Karate Club
- \*Thanet Martial Arts Centre
- \*Kyokushin Academy

#### **Bowls**

- \*Broadstairs and St. Peter's Bowls Club
- \*East Kent Short Mat Bowls Association
- \*Minster Bowls Club
- \*Ramsgate Men's Bowls Club
- \*Ramsgate Ladies Bowling Club
- \*St. Lawrence Bowls Club
- \*Thanet Bowls Club
- \*Thanet Ladies Bowls Club
- \*Cliftonville Men's Bowling Club
- \*Dane Park Bowling Club
- \*Dane Park Ladies Bowling Club
- \*Lucas Dane Handicapped Bowling Club
- \*Margate Indoor Bowling Club/Thanet Indoor Centre
- \*Margate Ladies Bowling Club
- \*Northdown Ladies Bowls Club
- \*Walpole Bay Bowls Club
- \*Westbrook Bowls Club

## Horse-riding

- \*Manston Riding Centre
- \*Nelson Park Riding Centre
- \*Thanet Riding Club
- \*West Street Hunt North Pony Club
- \*Thanet Disabled Riding Centre

#### **Swimming**

- \*Thanet Swim Club
- \*Margate Swimming Club
- \*Thanet Vikings Swimming Club
- See also: Swimming clubs in Kent

### Water Sports

- \*Thanet 106 Dive Club
- \*Kent Scuba Diving Club
- \*Foreness Water-ski Club
- \*Royal Temple Yacht Club
- \*Margate Yacht Club
- \*Ramsgate Small Boat Owners' Club
- \*Minnis Bay Sailing Club
- \*The Big Chill Surf Club
- \*Kite surfing
- \*Broadstairs Sailing Club
- \*Jet-ski world

## Walking

- \*East Kent Rambling Club
- \*Thanet Walking Festival

- \*White Cliffs Group [http://www.kentramblers.org.uk/White%20Cliffs/white-cliffs.htm]
- \*The Walkers Friend
- \*Dover and Thanet Rights of Way Society

#### Other

- \*Thanet Squash Rackets Club
- \*Ramsgate Croquet Club
- \*Thanet Flying Club
- \*Aztec Keep Fit Club
- \*Thanet Archery Club
- \*Birchington Sea Angling Society
- \*Broadstairs & St Peter's Sea Angling Society
- \*British Wheel of Yoga Kent (Margate)
- \*Thanet Gymnastics Club
- \*Club Sandwich Korfball Club
- \*Margate Ten Pin Bowling
- \*Hartsdown Flyers Trampoline Club
- \*Thanet Bombardiers Australian Rules Football Club
- \*Thanet Skate Park
- \*East Kent Acro Gym Club
- \*Thanet & District Netball League

#### Charities

- \*Headway East Kent, the brain injury association
- [http://www.headway.org.uk/branch.asp?step4&navid78&branchid87&regionid8]
- \*Thanet Rotary Clubs
- \*The Lions Club of Thanet
- \*Thanet Mencap
- \*Thanet Music and Drama Festival Association
- \*Pilgrims Hospice
- \*National Autistic Society Thanet Branch
- \*Thanet Animal Group
- \*Fegans Child & Family Care
- \*Demelza House Children's Hospice
- \*Thanet Early Years Project
- \*Thanet Fair Trade
- \*Thanet Disability Forum
- \*The Cancer Care Appeal

### Historic and Civic

- \*The Trust for Thanet Archaeology
- \*The Isle of Thanet Archaeological Society
- \*Thanet Speakers Club
- \*The Ramsgate Society
- \*Margate Historical Society
- \*Thanet Civic Society
- \*Kent Family History Society
- \*The Pugin Society
- \*Trust for Thanet Archaeology
- \*Margate Civic Society
- \*Isle of Thanet Geographical Association
- \*Crampton Tower Museum Society
- \*Margate Museum

### Hobbies

Arts and crafts

- \*Birchington Art Group
- \*Birchington Guild of Winemakers
- \*East Kent Lacemakers' Guild
- \*Isle of Thanet Photographic Society
- \*North Kent Model Railway Group
- \*Ramsgate and District Model Engineering Club
- \*Thanet Cross Stitch Club
- \*Thanet Machine Knitting Club

- \*Timaru Model Car Club
- \*Westgate Art Group

## Board games and cards

- \*Birchington Bridge Club
- \*Birchington Chess Club
- \*Birchington and Sunday Chess Clubs of the Thanet Chess League
- \*Forresters Bridge Club
- \*Margate Chess Club, of the Thanet Chess League
- \*Ramsgate 'Vikings' Model Boat Club
- \*Thanet Bridge Club
- \*Woodnesborough Chess Club
- \*Broadstairs Chess Club

### Collecting

- \*Isle of Thanet Philatelic Society
- \*Kent Federation of Philatelic Societies

### Computing and technology

- \*Kent Linux User Group
- \*Thanet Co-op Computer Club
- \*Thanet Blog List

### Dancing

- \*Isle of Thanet Scottish Country Dancers
- \*Salsa South Connection (Broadstairs)

## Gardening

- \*Island Floral Group
- \*Island Greenfingers Club
- \*Manston & District Garden Club
- \*Margate Flower Club
- \*Margate Horticultural Association
- \*Minster and Monkton Horticultural Society
- \*Ramsgate and District Leisure Gardeners' Society
- \*St Peter's and Broadstairs Horticultural Society
- \*Thanet Floral Society
- \*Thanet Fuchsia Club

### Motoring

- \*East Kent Club of Advanced Motorists
- \*East Kent Morris Minor Club
- \*Ramsgate Old Motor and Motor Cycle Club

## Other

- \*Isle of Thanet Railway Society [http://www.btinternet.com/~iotrs/]
- \*Isle of Thanet Hobby Horse Club
- \*Kent Family History Society
- \*Margate Fishermans Association
- \*The Isle of Thanet Bird Club
- \*St-Lawrence-in-Thanet Change Ringers
- \*South East Kent Astronomical Society
- \*Thanet Aviation Society
- \*Thanet Beekeepers Association

### Music and Drama

- \*Barnstomers Theatre Company
- \*Birchington Guild of Players
- \*Birchington Silver Band
- \*Broadstairs and St Peter's Arts Group
- \*Broadstairs and St Peter's Concert Band
- \*Broadstairs Dickens Players
- \*Broadstairs Recorded Music Society
- \*Broadstairs Writers' Circle/Thanet Writers Bloc
- \*Castle Trust Poetry Group

- \*Chalkfoot Theatre Arts
- \*Channel Theatre Company
- \*Chatham House Jazz Band
- \*The Chucklewit Players
- \*Churchill Tavern Jazz Club
- \*East Kent English Folk Dance and Song Society
- \*Enterprises Theatre Group
- \*Everyman Theatre Group
- \*Fixtures and Fittings Theatre Company
- \*Kent Coastal Concert Band
- \*Margate Operatic Society
- \*Margate Recorded Music Society
- \*Masque Theatre School
- \*Minster Playhouse
- \*Ramsgate Operatic Society
- \*St George's Visually Impaired Artisan Group
- \*St Lawrence-in-Thanet Change Ringers
- \*St Nicholas Music
- \*Thanet 70 Choir
- \*Thanet Decorative and Fine Arts Society
- \*Thanet Arts Council
- \*Thanet Dramatic Society
- \*Thanet Electronic Organ Club
- \*Thanet Festival Choir
- \*Thanet Film Society
- \*Thanet Folk Dance Club
- \*Thanet Hospitals Drama Group
- \*Thanet Light Orchestra
- \*Thanet Male Voice Choir
- \*Thanet Music and Drama Festival
- \*The Georgians Dramatic Society
- \*Theatregoers
- \*Theatre Royal Margate

### Youth Clubs

- \*Birchington Youth Club
- \*Dumpton Youth Project
- \*Fegans &Isquo;160' Family Resource Centre
- \*SPRATS (St Peter's Rascals, Adults and Toddlers)
- \*Thanet District Scouts

# Other

- \*Birchington Village Centre Association
- \*Thanet Referees Association
- \*Friends of Ramsgate Library
- \*Thanet Community Transport Association (Dial A Ride Service)
- \*Westwood Community Resource Centre

### Sources of financial support

- \*Kent4Community (free registration required)
- \*Thanet Community Chest Funding
- \*Thanet Community Development Trust
- \*Awards for All
- \*O2 Community fund (Environmental)

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