

District Councillor Report –June 2026

Maldon District Council is pleased to announce that UFest will return to Promenade Park on Friday 14 August 2026.

UFest is a free, fun community festival that celebrates life, health, and wellbeing. It brings people together for a day full of activities, entertainment, and chances to learn something new.

Held in the beautiful setting of Maldon's Promenade Park, UFest invites people of all ages to come along and enjoy a day out with family and friends. The event is open to everyone in the district and beyond.

Visitors can expect a wide range of things to see and do, including live music, interactive stalls, games, sports, and activities run by local groups and organisations. The event also helps people connect with services and support available in their community.

Maldon District Council has launched a public survey to gather views on the future of the Maldon Museum and the potential development of an Arts and Culture Centre at Promenade Park.

The survey gives residents, visitors and stakeholders the opportunity to share their views on how the Museum can remain a valued community asset while responding to changing needs and improving its long-term sustainability. Feedback will help inform a report to be presented to the Council in July.

The Maldon Museum is an important part of the district's heritage, but it requires investment and updating to increase its relevance and appeal to visitors. Additionally, as part of the Council's wider consideration of options for the site, they are also exploring whether an Arts and Culture Centre could provide a flexible space for; exhibitions, workshops, performances, public talks and community-led displays, complementing the Museum's core offer.