

# Loos for Islington





## Public toilets

There are eight public toilets located conveniently around the borough.

Seven of these are automated, fully accessible and are open 24 hours a day. There is a 20p charge to use these but are free for RADAR key holders.

There is also an attended public toilet, which is fully accessible, serving traders and shoppers at Chapel Market. It is open 8am to 6.30pm Monday to Saturday and 8am to 4pm on Sundays.

To help deal with anti-social street urination around Clerkenwell at weekends, a pop up urinal is available in Cowcross Street outside The Hope pub. It is available on Friday from 7pm to 6am on Saturday morning and from Saturday at 7pm to 6am on Sunday.







Nov 25

# Let's talk about toilets





## Activities.

- **4** cycle-tour audits of the council run automated public toilets.
- 2 articles and 1 letter in the Islington Tribune.
- 5 questions submitted and answered at a Council meeting.
- Face to face meeting with 3 Executive Members and Directors at the council.

**Schools to close as teachers vote to strike**

The government is expected to announce that schools will close as teachers vote to strike over pay and conditions. The union has warned that the strike could last for several weeks.

**Lack of public toilets 'will leave vulnerable fearful to leave home'**

A report has highlighted the impact of a lack of public toilets on vulnerable people. It states that the current situation is unsustainable and that more toilets need to be built.

**IT'S OUT OF ORDER! LOOS STILL SHUT**

EVERY single one of Islington's automated public toilets are still out of order months after an A&E charity for vulnerable people warned the council it left "vulnerable people fearful to leave their homes".

At the end of October, Islington Council was told by the charity that all eight of the Council's automated public toilets were closed for good. The charity said that the toilets were broken and that the council had not taken any action to fix them.

At the time, Islington Council said that the toilets were broken and that it was working to get them fixed. However, the charity said that the toilets have not been fixed and that the council has not taken any action to get them fixed.

The charity said that the toilets are essential for vulnerable people and that the council's failure to fix them is putting them at risk. It said that the council should be doing more to support vulnerable people and that it should be building more public toilets.

The charity said that it is angry with the council and that it is taking action to get the toilets fixed. It said that it is working with the council to get the toilets fixed and that it is asking the council to pay for the repairs.

The charity said that it is asking the council to build more public toilets and that it is asking the council to support vulnerable people in other ways. It said that it is asking the council to be more transparent about how it spends money and that it is asking the council to be more accountable to the people of Islington.



Seagull Hunt

**Whitney actor up for award**

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**Pools hit by energy price rise**

Pools hit by energy price rise. The cost of running swimming pools has increased significantly due to rising energy prices.

**Lord of the ring Vernon Varriel**

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**Lav and hate: talks over loo closures**

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**'Lots of old people are constrained by loo leash'**

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**The kind of public toilet that we really need**

The kind of public toilet that we really need. A report discusses the features and benefits of modern public toilets.

**It's safe to walk on the road**

It's safe to walk on the road. A report discusses the importance of safe walking routes and the role of public toilets.

**ScotsCare**  
 The charity for Scots in London  
 We will replace the old automated public toilets in Islington that are now people in the community who are working lives.  
 This excellent app is really helpful, with more than 50 locations, and is available for use in Islington, and we are launching it to help people who are vulnerable to anti-social behaviour.  
 The current situation, where old toilets are regularly found and then quickly go out of service and we're very sorry about the inconvenience for those who are vulnerable to anti-social behaviour, is being replaced by a new programme to work with local businesses and local authorities to encourage sign-up to the app.  
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**We'll invest £1m plus over two years in public toilets**

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**Many are misusing our A&E departments**

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**Nothing to hide?**  
 MORE on privacy, transparency, professionalism, accountability, and more.  
 We will help to destroy the National Health Service. I cannot thank them all enough and they should be proud of what they have achieved. I am sure that you will be very proud of what you have achieved. I am sure that you will be very proud of what you have achieved.

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 This is a page of letters from readers, including one about the public toilet closures.

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## Achievements so far.

- **Council has agreed to continue to meet with us (next meeting in June)**
- **They have provided a list of locations of toilets. Print-outs will be sent to libraries.**
- **Committed to some engagement around the replacement of the automated public toilets.**
- **Committed to start developing an access to loos scheme that may develop into a community toilets scheme.**

### It's out of order! Loos are still shut

Lack of public toilets 'will leave vulnerable fearful to leave home'

Friday, 20th January – By [Charlotte Chambers](#)









