

SIMON KIRBY MP

Christmas Newsletter



SIMON CONTINUES WITH “MY PLAN” FOR BRIGHTON KEMPTOWN & PEACEHAVEN



Simon has continued to do his best to work hard on behalf of local residents in Brighton Kemptown & Peacehaven.

He continues with his plan before the election to:

- deliver the £480 million hospital redevelopment
- protect our precious green spaces,
- fight against unauthorised traveller encampments
- be a strong voice on traffic issues
- support the Saltdean Lido
- stand up for the elderly

Of course there are many other issues that he continues to work on. He has backed measures in Parliament to ensure that there are more opportunities for businesses to start, more jobs created, more apprenticeships started and more job prospects for young people in the area.

Simon is in constant contact with Ministers regarding the industrial action on the trains. You can see his updates on his website: <https://www.simonkirby.org/transport>



Christmas Message

I would like to take this opportunity to send all local residents in Brighton Kemptown & Peacehaven my warmest wishes for a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Christmas is a wonderful opportunity for us to spend time with family and friends and personally it is one of my favourite times of the year.

Let us not forget however, those who are elderly, frail and lonely and all those who can't be with their loved ones this year, perhaps because of illness or distance.

I would like to send my best wishes to all those who have friends or family in our armed forces and special thanks to all the voluntary groups and the emergency services who work so hard for the community at this time of the year.

*A very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to everyone.
Simon*

SIMON REFLECTS ON 2016



2016 has been an eventful year. We have seen the country voting to leave the EU, David Cameron's resignation and the subsequent leadership challenge which we expected to last nine weeks leading to a new Prime Minister in Number 10 within days and a subsequent sweeping reshuffle of Government Ministers.

As MP for Brighton Kemptown & Peacehaven I was honoured and humbled to receive a phone call from the Prime Minister back in July asking me to take up a Ministerial position as Economic Secretary to the Treasury.

It has been a busy 5 months and I am doing my very best to support our Prime Minister Theresa May and her Government and am continuing to work hard to represent everyone in Brighton Kemptown and Peacehaven. Being a Treasury Minister allows me to be at the centre of Government and have daily contact with Ministers, which is extremely helpful when raising local issues.

I am convinced that under the leadership of our new Prime Minister, our new Government will work together and will build a better Britain.

Simon with Gladstone, the Battersea Dogs and Cats Treasury Cat

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SIMON KIRBY WORKING HARD FOR EVERYONE

Below are some examples of your local Member of Parliament, Simon Kirby, working hard for residents in Brighton Kemptown & Peacehaven and raising awareness of important issues.



Top: Simon at the Brighton Swimming Centre celebrating the Centre's fifth birthday following a major refurbishment of the pool's facilities.
2nd row left: Simon joined residents at the Peacehaven Easter Parade.
2nd row centre: Simon dropped into the Senior Deans Tea Club in Saltdean.
2nd row right: Simon continues to help local residents in their fight against inappropriate development.
3rd row left: Simon taking an HIV test at Terrence Higgins Trust to raise awareness of HIV testing in Brighton.
3rd row centre: Simon invited the then Secretary of State to visit Saltdean Lido.
3rd row right: Simon continues to support LGBT rights.
Bottom left: Simon selling poppies for the Royal British Legion.
Bottom centre: Simon with the PCC, Katy Bourne discussing crime and local policing in the constituency.