



# Bridlington Quay Townscape Heritage

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## An introduction from the new Townscape Heritage Officer Andrew Uttley

Having previously worked in the Planning Department at the East Riding of Yorkshire Council as a Development Services Assistant and a Planning Officer for 4 years, I have been appointed in the role until 31 December 2020. I have always had an interest in Urban Planning and Regeneration, so when the opportunity to work in the Regeneration team came up it was too good to turn down! I also grew up and lived in Bridlington for almost 20 years, so this was another reason I felt this was a good opportunity, and having an existing knowledge of the town and its undoubted potential and importance will hopefully assist me during my time working with the Bridlington Regeneration Team.

Should you have any queries about the project as a whole, please do not hesitate to contact me on [andrew.uttley@eastriding.gov.uk](mailto:andrew.uttley@eastriding.gov.uk)

## Bridlington Quay Townscape Heritage (TH) enters the final phase of Property Grants

As we reminded you in September, the TH programme is entering its final phase. We are again encouraging property owners and tenants with maintenance responsibilities of eligible properties to contact us so you don't miss out on the grant opportunity. Reinstatement of heritage features could be eligible for up to an 80% grant and repairs could be eligible for up to 60% contribution.

Grant-eligible works need to be complete by June 2020, so if you wish to join the ever-increasing number of applicants, we would urge you to do this now!

## Managing the Conservation Area:

### Building Maintenance

As we are in the midst of cold and rainy weather, it is a time where issues with maintenance and general building condition can become apparent. It therefore seems a good time to remind you that our Maintenance Guide provides a useful guide on the simple steps that can be taken to ensure the maintenance of properties. This isn't the only benefit though as such works improve the general character and appearance of the building itself, and the wider area. A copy of the guide can be found under the activities tab at:



[www.bridlingtonheritage.com](http://www.bridlingtonheritage.com)

## Public realm

Work is on-going on the town centre seafront project, with the works on Garrison Square making up the first phase of work. It is anticipated the works will be complete Spring 2020.



## We still want your photos!

The project aims at increasing engagement with, and knowledge of the heritage of Bridlington, something you can help greatly with! We are still looking for old photos of the area to identify building alterations so why not have a look around the area? Please send them to [townscape.heritage@eastriding.gov.uk](mailto:townscape.heritage@eastriding.gov.uk) with copyright information.

## On-going Research

### What do you think of the conservation area?

Were you aware that the Town Centre is within a Conservation Area? We want to know what people think of heritage and the changes to the town centre. Let us know your thoughts via this very short survey - it only takes a few minutes.

[www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/23VNLXB](http://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/23VNLXB)



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## What was here?

The Bridlington Quay Townscape Heritage Trail on the *What Was Here?* App is still live, and allows you to explore what the Bridlington Quay Area looked like in the past. So when you're walking down the street wondering what it was like previously, download the app from [Google Play](https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.whatwashere) or the [App Store](https://apps.apple.com/gb/app/what-was-here/id1046888888).

## Activities and maintenance

Gutter clearance works were undertaken over two weekends in November and December on properties along Cliff Street, Cross Street, King Street and Bridge Street. Thank you to everyone involved in organising this and for taking part!

## Keep an eye out for...

We are about to enter a period where we will be arranging a number of heritage-themed activities, including a number of talks, and tours of the area which will be advertised in due course so please keep your eyes peeled!

We are looking at installing a number of commemorative plaques within the Bridlington Quay Conservation Area, which will acknowledge landmarks, and famous people associated with the area. A public vote will be held shortly on the shortlist, and there will be a display at the Bridlington Local Studies Library on King Street with supporting information on the nominations for two weeks running from Monday 17 February where you will have the opportunity to vote. An on-line vote will also run alongside this, with a link being posted on the Activities section of the Bridlington Heritage website. You may be surprised by just how significant this area is, and the famous (and heroic) people associated with it, so it will definitely be worth having a look!

## A reminder...

**We really are entering the final stages of the TH scheme, so if your property is eligible for a grant of up to 80% towards repair and restoration work, please contact us now to avoid missing out!**

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