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| Redbridge Barking & Dagenham **Di’s Diamonds Events** | 2024 |
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| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Sat | Sun |
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|  | **12-2 King George V** lunch **1**  *Gants Hill*  **Older people’s day** | **1-3 Kenneth More Theatre****2**  Afternoon tea *& singer Ilford* | **1-3Crowlands** *lunch* **3**  *Dagenham* | *XX Amanda off XX* **4**  **11-12.30** *Coffee Morning* **with Jacinth Valentines Park café** *Ilford* | 5 Mercury mall See Havering calendar for info | 6 |
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| *XX Amanda off XX* **7** | *XX Amanda off XX* **8**  **11-1 Railway** See Havering calendar for info | *XX Amanda off XX* **9**  **11.30 Eastbrookend**  *Dagenham*  **Ruth hosting** | *XX Amanda off X* **10**  **11-12 Ilford Great Spoon coffee morning** *Ilford* **Fiona**  **10.00 Mudchute farm** See Havering calendar for info | 11  *XX Amanda off XX* | 12 | 13 |
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| **14**  **3-5 JJ Moons Cocktails Rene & Laurie hosting**  See Havering calendar for info | **15**  **11.30-1.30 Dagenham Redbridge FC**  **Singer and dancing** *Dagenham*  *£10 including refreshments*  **Amanda & Kim** | **16**  **11-1 Barking Park walk** *Barking*  **Fiona hosting** | **17**  **10.30 Romford Baptist coffee**  See Havering calendar for info | **18**  *XX Amanda off XX*  **1.00 Book club** See Havering calendar for info | 19 | 20 |
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| **10.30-12.30 Hub** Craft **21**  Amanda hosting  **Must pre book (HAV)**  See Havering calendar for info | **11-1 Hainault Forest** **22**  *coffee / farm/ walk* *Hainault*  **Amanda** | **1-3 Kenneth More Theatre****23**  Afternoon tea *& singer Ilford*  **Fiona hosting** | **1-3Old Maypole** *lunch* **24** *& Quiz**Hainault* **Amanda**  **11.00 Thurrock garden centre Rene & Laurie hosting** See Havering calendar for info | **25**  *XX Amanda off XX* | 26 | 27 |
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| **28** | **1-3 Fairlop waters** *Walk* **29**  *coffee Barkingside*  **Amanda** | **12-2 Barking FC 30** *Barking* **Jacinth hosting**  **3-5 JJ Moons Rene & Laurie hosting** See Havering calendar for info, Halloween fancy dress optional | **12-2 Pipe Major** **31** *Lunch and Bingo* *Dagenham* **Amanda**  Julie the manager is retiring *today* |  |  |  |

**Tuesday 01/10/24 12-2pm Lunch King George V** 645 CRANBROOK ROAD, ILFORD, ESSEX, IG2 6SX [King George V pub in Ilford | Greene King Pubs (greeneking-pubs.co.uk)](https://www.greeneking-pubs.co.uk/pubs/essex/king-george-v/) 2 course £5.49, 3 courses £6.49. Buses 128, 150 167 from Ilford station, Shere Road stop CQ. *Email* [*disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk*](mailto:disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk) *to book your place so we know who to contact in the event of cancellation / change*

**Wednesday 02/10/24 1-3pm Kenneth More. Afternoon tea, singing & dancing.** Kenneth More Theatre, Oakfield Road, Ilford, IG1 1BT [Kenneth More Theatre • Vision RCL](https://visionrcl.org.uk/centre/kenneth-more-theatre/) ***Pre booking essential with any dietary requirements by midday on Mon 30/9/24***  *£10 pay on the day,* ***no show or late cancellations must still be paid for so don’t forget to cancel if you’re unable to attend.***

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**Thursday 03/10/24 1-3 Lunch Crowlands Golf club**, Wood Lane, Dagenham, Essex, RM8 1JX <https://www.crowlandsheath.co.uk/contact-crowlands-heath/> Lunch and free hot drink, free putting green if you’d like to have a go. Buses stop right outside, large car park. ***Pre booking essential****. Email* [*disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk*](mailto:disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk) *to book your place so we know who to contact in the event of cancellation / change*

**Friday 04/10/24 11-12.30** [**Coffee**](https://valentinesmansion.com/event/the-missing-chapter-black-chronicles-exhibition/) **Morning with Jacinth** Valentines Park Café, Valentines Park, **Cranbrook Rd, Ilford IG1 4SB** .This is the café by the bandstand **not by Valentines Mansion**. From Ilford take bus routes 145, 179, 296, 366, (Stop Northbrook Road VP) 128, 150, 179, 296 stop (Valentines park VB) 396, 128, 179, 123, 296, 167 from Gants Hill Underground Station and 123, 150, 150, 179, 167 (stop Valentines Park VB). 9 min walk through the park, straight towards bandstand and children’s play area, follow past boating lake. Car park onsite, enter via Melbourne Road gate RingGo App café in front of you. *Email* [*disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk*](mailto:disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk) *to book your place*

**Wednesday 09/10/24 11.30-1.30pm brunch with Ruth. Eastbrookend Discovery Centre**, Dagenham Road, Rush Green, Romford, Essex, RM70SS <http://www.eastbrookcountryparktearoom.co.uk/> Pay for what you have. Buses 174 (The Chase) will sit outside if weather is nice, inside if not. *Email* [*disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk*](mailto:disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk) *to book your place so we know who to contact in the event of cancellation / change*

**Thursday 10/10/24 11-12pm Coffee Morning Great Spoon Wetherspoons** 114, 116 Cranbrook Rd, Cranbrook, Ilford IG1 4LZ meet Fiona for coffee / brunch and a chat. *Email* [*disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk*](mailto:disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk) *to book your place so we know who to contact in the event of cancellation / change*

**Tuesday 15/10/24 11.30-1.30pm Dagenham and Redbridge FC –**Victoria Rd, Dagenham RM10 7XL **£10 pay on the day, singer, tea and cakes** included. **Late cancellations / no show will still need to pay as singer etc. is funded by the attendees**. *Email* [*disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk*](mailto:disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk) *to book your place so we know who to contact in the event of cancellation / change*

**Wednesday 16/10/24 12-2pm Walk Barking Park,** meet Fiona in the Big Friendly coffee house then have an optional stroll down past the lake. Please wear appropriate clothing and footwear. Walk slow 20-50 min with rest stops. Please only attend if you are able to walk that far as it’s a fair walk from the bus stop. Bus EL1 from Ilford station, Park Avenue stop then 10 min walk, buses 5. 62, EL2, EL3 from Barking station, Hulse Ave/Barking park stop then 7 min walk.145 bus to Abbey school then enter park via allotments. Free parking next to Abbey School, next left, park

allotments entrance. ***Pre booking essential****. Email* [*disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk*](mailto:disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk) *to book your place so we know who to contact in the event of cancellation / change due to weather*

**Tuesday 22/10/24 11-1pm Hainault Forest / Foxborough Farm / lake visit and coffee/ brunch / lunch** 247 bus stops outside

Meet in the new Woodland Trust Visitor centre by the second car park. Approx. 45 min to an hour to walk round and there are benches on the way but you need to be able to walk that far unassisted. Alternatively, you can stay in the café till we come back and take in the scenery. Suitable footwear required, dress for the weather, we will just have a coffee morning / lunch if it’s raining or too muddy.

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**Thursday 24/10/24 1-3pm Lunch and quiz Old Maypole**, Fencepiece Road, Ilford, Greater London, IG6 2NG. **247 bus** stops outside. Money off voucher and menu https://www.sizzlingpubs.co.uk/findapub/northwest/theoldmaypoleilford/signup

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**Tuesday 29/10/24 1-3pm Walk Fairlop Waters** FAIRLOP WATERS COUNTRY PARK, FOREST ROAD, HAINAULT, ILFORD, IG6 3HN [Map (redbridge.gov.uk)](https://my.redbridge.gov.uk/map/parks-and-open-spaces/fairlop-waters) **462 bus from Ilford station to Fairlop Waters tube central line Fairlop, cross the road** Meet in the café for coffee then walk around the lake, it takes 45 min to an hour (3.2KM) and there are benches on the way but you need to be able to walk that far unassisted. Alternatively, you can stay in the café till we come back and take in the scenery. Suitable footwear required, dress for the weather and bring water/ hat, we will just have a coffee morning if it’s raining. ***Pre booking essential*** [*disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk*](mailto:disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk) *to book your place so we know who to contact in the event of cancellation / change due to weather*

**Thursday 30/10/24 12-2pm Barking Football Club, Coffee & chat** Mayesbrook Park, Lodge Ave, Barking, Dagenham RM8 2JR

Located in the far right corner of the car park. From Barking station (stop H) 368 bus to Ilchester Road (stop R), from Ilford Elizabeth line Chadwell Heath, 368 bus Ilchester road (stop UN) Bus stops near Barking CC, walk with park on your right for 2 mins and enter car park, far right corner you’ll see the gate. Go into the hut on the left just inside. **Order coffee, tea or something stronger at the hut bar. Lovely local club with really friendly atmosphere. You don’t need to like football to go, just come for a chat. We sit outside if the weather is nice. Free onsite parking, look out for the learner drivers! Limited availability** *Email* [*disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk*](mailto:disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk) *to book your place so we know who to contact in the event of cancellation / change*

**Thursday 31/10/24 12-2pm** **Lunch followed by free bingo**. **Pipe Major**, 1,Yewtree Avenue, Dagenham, RM10 7FN  
Large car park, Almost opposite Dagenham East station or 103 bus. We have our own area on the left as you go in, pay for your own food and drink, bingo is free. Book early to avoid disappointment. *Email* [*disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk*](mailto:disdiamonds@ageukrbh.org.uk) *to book your place so we know who to contact in the event of cancellation / change*