

## New Members

There is no entrance fee on joining the Basildon Philatelic Society.

A separate application form is required for the Exchange Packet. Please ask the Hon. Secretary if you wish to apply.

The annual subscription, due each season at the AGM in June, is currently:

- Full member £17.00
- Under 18 £2.00

There is a charge of £1.00 per meeting which includes free refreshments.



The world's first postage stamp, the *Penny Black*.



The Society marked its 40th year by issuing a presentation pack in 2008.

## Looking for a new hobby?

Consider philately. It covers a wide variety of formats including: stamp collecting, postal history, aerophilately, thematic collecting and marcophily (postmarks) amongst others. It can be enjoyed by all ages from any background. It's educational and suits any size of pocket.

Consider becoming a member of Basildon Philatelic Society. Come along to one of our regular meetings to enjoy a warm welcome.

## Membership Benefits

- Regular meetings with a wide range of activities:
  - Displays by visiting speakers
  - Displays by our own members
  - Competitions
  - Quizzes
- Quarterly newsletter.
- Philatelic library.
- Buy and sell through our:
  - Exchange Packet
  - Auctions.
- Affiliation to AEPS and ABPS.



# YOUR LOCAL STAMP CLUB

Basildon Philatelic Society has been providing a forum for local stamp collectors since 1968.

We have a varied programme of meetings throughout the year.

See our website for more information.



[www.basildon-philatelic.org.uk](http://www.basildon-philatelic.org.uk)

## Your Local Stamp Club

The club has a full and varied programme with guest speakers, displays, auctions, quizzes and competitions. All levels of experience are catered for, from beginners to established collectors.

Members receive a quarterly newsletter *The Basildon Philatelist*.

The club runs a popular exchange packet for members to buy and sell stamps. An extensive philatelic library is another benefit to members.

Basildon 21st

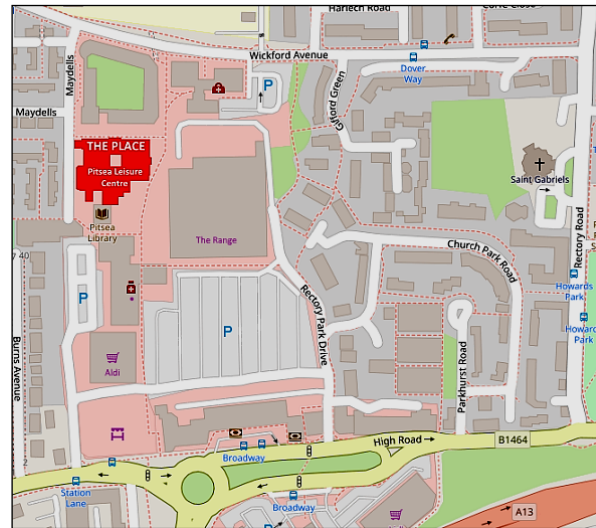
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If you are still not sure whether the Basildon Philatelic Society is for you, then you are cordially invited to attend a meeting as our guest.



Pitsea Leisure Centre aka The Place



## How To Get There

The Society meets at Pitsea Leisure Centre, Northlands Pavement, Basildon, SS13 3DU.

**By Car:** From A13 leave at Pitsea Flyover onto Broadway Link. Turn right onto Pitsea Broadway. Take first left Rectory Park Drive. The main car park is on the left.

**By Rail:** Ten minutes walk from Pitsea Rail Station. Regular services from London Fenchurch Street, Southend Central, Tilbury and Shoeburyness.

**By Bus:** Bus stops are located in Pitsea Broadway with services towards Basildon Town Centre, Southend and Canvey Island.

## Application Form

Title \_\_\_\_\_ First name \_\_\_\_\_

Surname \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Town \_\_\_\_\_

County \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Collecting interests \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth\* \_\_\_\_\_

Name of responsible adult\* \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship\* \_\_\_\_\_

\* only required if applying for junior (under 18) membership.

I have no objection to my membership details being held by the Society on computer or card index in accordance with the Data Protection Act

I enclose  £17.00 (Full)  £2.00 (Junior) *tick box*

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE DETACH AND RETURN THIS APPLICATION WITH YOUR SUBSCRIPTION TO:

The Membership Secretary, Basildon Philatelic Society,  
25 Clay Hill Road, Basildon, SS16 5DD.

