

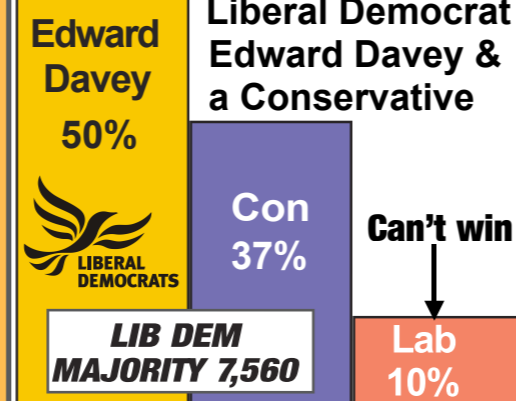
# How to contact Edward Davey MP

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- ✓ Email me at: edward@edwarddavey.co.uk
- ✓ Visit my website at: www.edwarddavey.co.uk
- ✓ Phone my office on: 020 8288 0161
- ✓ Fax me on: 020 8972 1088
- ✓ Talk to me in person at one of my advice surgeries:

I hold two surgeries a week - the first takes place most Monday mornings from 8am to 9.30am, at 21 Berrylands Road.

Another surgery is held later in the week or the weekend, at different venues across the constituency - as listed below. Please phone my office or visit my website for more details.

The race here is between Liberal Democrat Edward Davey & a Conservative



General Election result Kingston & Surbiton, 2010



# Edward Davey MP Kingston & Surbiton 14th Annual Report

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## Advice Surgeries in 2011

July	Mondays: 4 <sup>th</sup> , 11 <sup>th</sup> , 18 <sup>th</sup> & 25 <sup>th</sup>	Constituency Office	8am
	Sat 9 <sup>th</sup>	Worcester Park - Venner Centre	10am
	Friday 15 <sup>th</sup>	Tolworth - Our Lady Immaculate	6pm
	Thurs 21 <sup>st</sup>	Surbiton - YMCA	6.30pm
Aug	Monday 1 <sup>st</sup>	Constituency Office	8am
	Thurs 4 <sup>th</sup>	New Malden - Methodist Church	6.30pm
	Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup>	Chessington - Hook Centre	6.30pm
Sept	Mondays: 5 <sup>th</sup> , 12 <sup>th</sup> & 26 <sup>th</sup>	Constituency Office	8am
	Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Surbiton - YMCA	6pm
	Friday 9 <sup>th</sup>	Kingston - CAB Office	6pm
	Thurs 15 <sup>th</sup>	Tolworth - Our Lady Immaculate	6.30pm
	Sat 24 <sup>th</sup>	Norbiton - Piper Hall	10am
Oct	Mondays: 10 <sup>th</sup> , 17 <sup>th</sup> , 24 <sup>th</sup> & 31 <sup>st</sup>	Constituency Office	8am
	Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup>	Constituency Office	8am
	Sat 8 <sup>th</sup>	New Malden - Methodist Church	10am
	Sat 15 <sup>th</sup>	Worcester Park - Venner Centre	10am
	Thurs 20 <sup>th</sup>	Kingston - CAB Office	6.30pm
Nov	Mondays: 7 <sup>th</sup> , 14 <sup>th</sup> , 21 <sup>st</sup> & 28 <sup>th</sup>	Constituency Office	8am
	Sat 5 <sup>th</sup>	Norbiton - Piper Hall	10am
	Friday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Chessington - Hook Centre	7pm
	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Surbiton - YMCA	6pm
	Thurs 24 <sup>th</sup>	Kingston - CAB Office	6.30pm
Dec	Mondays: 5 <sup>th</sup> , 12 <sup>th</sup> & 19 <sup>th</sup>	Constituency Office	8am
	Sat 3 <sup>rd</sup>	New Malden - Methodist Church	10am
	Friday 9 <sup>th</sup>	Tolworth - Our Lady Immaculate	6pm
	Sat 17 <sup>th</sup>	Worcester Park - Venner Centre	10am

## Advice Surgeries in 2012

Jan	Mondays: 9 <sup>th</sup> , 16 <sup>th</sup> , 23 <sup>rd</sup> & 30 <sup>th</sup>	Constituency Office	8am
	Sat 14 <sup>th</sup>	Norbiton - Piper Hall	10am
	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Surbiton - YMCA	6pm
	Thurs 26 <sup>th</sup>	Chessington - Hook Centre	6.30pm
Feb	Mondays: 6 <sup>th</sup> , 13 <sup>th</sup> , 20 <sup>th</sup> & 27 <sup>th</sup>	Constituency Office	8am
	Sat 4 <sup>th</sup>	New Malden - Methodist Church	10am
	Friday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Tolworth - Our Lady Immaculate	6pm
	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Kingston - CAB Office	6pm
	Thurs 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Chessington - Hook Centre	6.30pm
March	Mondays: 5 <sup>th</sup> , 12 <sup>th</sup> , 19 <sup>th</sup> & 26 <sup>th</sup>	Constituency Office	8am
	Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Surbiton - YMCA	6pm
	Thurs 8 <sup>th</sup>	Kingston - CAB Office	6.30pm
	Friday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Tolworth - Our Lady Immaculate	6pm
	Sat 24 <sup>th</sup>	New Malden - Methodist Church	10am
	Friday 30 <sup>th</sup>	Chessington - Hook Centre	7pm
April	Monday: 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 16 <sup>th</sup> , 23 <sup>rd</sup> & 30 <sup>th</sup>	Constituency Office	8am
	Thurs 5 <sup>th</sup>	Surbiton - YMCA	6.30pm
	Sat 14 <sup>th</sup>	Norbiton - Piper Hall	10am
	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Tolworth - Our Lady Immaculate	6pm
	Friday 27 <sup>th</sup>	Chessington - Hook Centre	7pm
May	Mondays: 14 <sup>th</sup> , 21 <sup>st</sup> & 28 <sup>th</sup>	Constituency Office	8am
	Friday 4 <sup>th</sup>	Kingston - CAB Office	6pm
	Sat 12 <sup>th</sup>	New Malden - Methodist Church	10am
	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Surbiton - YMCA	6pm
	Friday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Tolworth - Our Lady Immaculate	6pm
	Thurs 31 <sup>st</sup>	Chessington - Hook Centre	6.30pm
June	Mondays: 11 <sup>th</sup> , 18 <sup>th</sup> & 25 <sup>th</sup>	Constituency Office	8am
	Sat 9 <sup>th</sup>	Norbiton - Piper Hall	10am
	Sat 16 <sup>th</sup>	New Malden - Methodist Church	10am
	Thurs 21 <sup>st</sup>	Kingston - CAB Office	6.30pm
	Friday 29 <sup>th</sup>	Chessington - Hook Centre	7pm

Please call, or check website, before attending in case of any unavoidable last minute changes. Please note the last admittance is one and a half hours after the advertised start time.

### Full addresses for venues:

**Constituency Office:** 21 Berrylands Road, KT5 8QX  
**Chessington - Hook Centre:** Main Reception, Hook Parade, Hook Road, Chessington, KT9 1EJ  
**Kingston - CAB office:** to rear of Neville House, 55 Eden Street, Kingston, KT1 1BW  
**New Malden - Methodist Church:** 49 High Street, New Malden, KT3 4BY

**Norbiton - Piper Hall Community Centre:** Piper Road, Cambridge Road Estate, Kingston, KT1 3EX  
**Surbiton - YMCA:** 49 Victoria Road, Surbiton, KT6 4NG  
**Tolworth - Our Lady Immaculate Church:** The "White Bungalow" at the side, 401 Ewell Road, KT6 7DG  
**Worcester Park - Venner Centre:** The Manor Drive, Worcester Park, KT4 7LG

## Campaigning for a better NHS

Health issues remain a key priority for me - both locally and nationally. From the exciting opportunities to improve primary healthcare on the Surbiton Hospital site, to the challenges at Kingston Hospital, most of my local campaigning work since the election continues to focus on our local NHS. The national debate over the direction of health policy has also been critical, with the important review announced after the Liberal Democrat conference in March.

While we await a final go-ahead from NHS London over the re-building of Surbiton Hospital, this year has at last seen a key milestone passed, with planning permission now granted.

Last year's campaign to save Kingston Hospital's Accident and Emergency and Maternity Units from closure under the Labour Government's NHS plans also looks as if it has been successful. However, all London's hospitals are still facing massive financial pressure and it's clear we will see significant cuts at



Edward Davey speaks to staff of Kingston's *Your Healthcare* at Tolworth Hospital. They are leading significant improvements to many of our community health services.

Kingston. I have sought reassurances that the quality of patient care will not be affected, and this will be a key focus of mine over the coming year.

Kingston is, however, at the leading edge of some of the most promising health reforms.

The progress of *Your Healthcare* for example, where former NHS staff - such as district nurses and health visitors - provide care via a new social enterprise, has been encouraging and widely praised, especially at Tolworth Hospital.

## Salary, staff & office costs and other expenses 2010/11

This year saw new rules on MPs' pay and allowances from the Independent Parliamentary Standards Authority (IPSA) after the expenses' scandal. My total pay and claims for this year are:  
**Office Costs:** £17,500\*

**Salary:** as MP, £65,738  
 as a Minister, £23,698  
**Staff Costs:** £108,500\*  
**Travel:** Not claimed  
**London Allowance:** £3,760  
**Personal Additional Accommodation:** Not claimed

The new rules saw a 50% cut in the London allowance and the removal of travel costs to and from Westminster for London MPs. The Coalition has cut Ministers' salaries by 5% and frozen them for this Parliament (5 years).

\* latest estimates, awaiting final audit

Edward Davey MP - working for you

# Edward Davey MP - Working For You

## In Parliament...

Working with another party in Coalition is not always easy, but Edward has used his post as a Minister in the Department of Business, Innovation and Skills to introduce many policies he has campaigned on:

- ✓ Keeping post offices open, with new ideas to cut queues
- ✓ More apprenticeships for young people, small firms and the unemployed
- ✓ A better deal for working families, especially fathers, with shared parental leave
- ✓ Ending age discrimination at work, by scrapping the "default retirement age"
- ✓ Curbs on supermarket power with a "Groceries Code Adjudicator" to protect British and developing country suppliers from unfair terms



As Minister for Postal Affairs, Edward has stopped the Post Office closure programmes seen under Labour and the Post Office is now investing to cut queues and win more business.



As Minister for Consumer Affairs, Edward has maintained national government funds for Citizens' Advice and plans a major expansion of their role, to cover wider consumer issues.

### The Coalition Agreement

Contains over 65% of Lib Dem Manifesto :-

- ✓ Tax cuts for low paid
- ✓ State pension link to earnings restored
- ✓ Levy on banks and Banking Commission
- ✓ "Green Investment Bank"
- ✓ Civil liberties restored
- ✓ Extra cash for most disadvantaged pupils

Visit [www.bis.gov.uk](http://www.bis.gov.uk) to read more about Edward's work as a Business Minister



**More apprenticeships:** Edward gives Sam Frost his certificate at Chessington firm, HQ Lacquer, with directors Michael Quirke and John Hennessey



**Debt advice:** Edward is working to help those with serious debt problems to get better advice and support.

### Other ministerial work

- ✓ Led work on Trade White Paper
- ✓ Leading review of Competition policy framework
- ✓ On EU Councils of Ministers on trade and employment issues for the UK
- ✓ Leading review of Employment Law
- ✓ Companies House and Insolvency Service Minister
- ✓ Corporate Governance

## ...and here locally.



**Advice surgeries:** Edward continues to hold two advice surgeries most weeks - more than almost any other MP. An award winning film was made about his local work by a local resident and a trailer can be seen via You Tube - see the link at [www.edwarddavey.co.uk](http://www.edwarddavey.co.uk)



**Schools:** Before the election, Edward campaigned with local parents and councillors for more places in local primary schools. From September 2011, there will now be an additional 195 places, including a new two form entry school to be built alongside the new healthcare facilities at Surbiton Hospital.

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**Housing:** two long-running Lib Dem campaigns for Kingston's council tenants paid off, as the Coalition ended Labour's "tenant tax" and gave RBK grants to improve council housing standards. While the cash will take time to come through, there is now light at the end of the tunnel.



**Pensioners:** the Lib Dem manifesto policy to restore the link between the state pension and earnings has been implemented. Pensions will rise each year by earnings, or prices, or 2.5%, whichever is the **highest** - a triple lock to benefit pensioners.

### Helping people during the hard times

*"I didn't get involved in politics to make cuts, to see people lose their jobs or see local services like the Magistrates' Court axed. Yet we have to clear up Labour's economic mess: borrowing £400 million a day is unsustainable. I am working hard to shield local services as best I can and help those at the bottom - this year's tax break for low and middle income earners is hopefully just the start. But if you have problems or concerns, please come to one of my advice sessions - see over page for details."*

Edward Davey MP



**Jobs:** as Minister for Employment Relations, Edward is proposing new family friendly laws and extra flexibility so firms can employ people more easily.



As Minister in charge of Royal Mail, Edward is getting private investment to help the firm compete in the age of email. His plans protect Royal Mail employees' pensions and gives them shares. His legislation guarantees the Queen's head on our stamps.

### Royal Wedding:

Edward on a visit to the Queen Elizabeth Foundation charity shop in Tolworth, to congratulate them on their Royal Wedding shop window.



**Amateur dramatics!** Edward is grateful to Hook's fabulous St.Paul's Players for tolerating him again in their panto "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs". His performance as "Lucky" was fortunately not reviewed!