

1: Chelmsford Prison incident: Inmate climbs on roof as Sandford Road closed | Daily Star

Chelmsford Prison information HMP & YOI Chelmsford is a category B local and Young Offender Institution (YOI). Built from onwards as the county jail, it has been used as a long term category B (prior to the introduction of the dispersal system), a young person's prison and a local prison since

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2: Chelmsford Prison - part 1 -

HM Prison Chelmsford is a Category B men's prison and Young Offenders Institution, located in Chelmsford, Essex, www.enganchecubano.com prison is operated by Her Majesty's Prison Service.

Under this system each prisoner had their own cell where they remained most of the time with exception of visits to the chapel, or for exercise. They were not permitted to see or to talk to another prisoner; and no visits or letters were permitted in the first six months of their sentence. Mundane work was to be undertaken. The County Gaol, at Springfield, stands in an airy and pleasant situation, about three quarters of a mile from Chelmsford, on about 9 acres of land, half of which is enclosed by the boundary wall. This great receptacle for the criminals of the county, has recently undergone such extensive alterations and improvements, that it may now be considered a model prison for other counties, and it is hoped that, under the new system, it will henceforth be a salutary school of sound and lasting reformation. The exterior appearance of the front, which is feet long, has undergone little alteration. The entrance lodge, in the centre, is of Bramley Fall stone, in the Egyptian style, and over it is the drop or place of execution. The boundary wall is of brick, 20 feet high, with stone columns 20 feet apart, in the front. The old central radius of the prison has been pulled down, two others have been extended, and parallel radii erected, and also a large central hall, with a chapel above, and a kitchen beneath it. The new part comprises also two extensive corridors, radiating from the central hall, and containing cells, arranged in three tiers on each side; the two upper ranges being approached by galleries, running round the corridors and the central hall. Each cell is fitted up with a water tap, water closet, a hammock and bedding, a supply of books, and the means of admitting warm or cold air, and of communicating with the officers, when the prisoner wishes to see the doctor, governor, or chaplain. These, and other ingenious contrivances, are well worth the inspection of the visitor. One of the radii of the gaol, containing 42 cells for females, has been altered and adapted to the separate system. Another portion of the old prison is appropriated to the confinement of debtors, who have free access to a commodious airing yard, day room, etc. There are three machines for hard labour in separate cells, and each can be regulated to suit the strength of the prisoner, and has a dial to shew the quantity of work done in different periods of time. These machines are for the idle and refractory, and most of the other prisoners are provided with work from their respective cells. A steam engine and crank-machine, pump water out of two artesian wells, at the rate of 7, gallons per day, into the tanks in various parts of the buildings, for supplying the cells, water closets, baths, etc. The machinery for conveying rations from the kitchens to the cells, is like that at Pentonville, where upwards of prisoners have been served with hot dinners in 12 minutes! The chapel is so fitted up that the prisoners cannot see each other; except the debtors, for whom there is a row of open benches at the front. It has room for hearers, and the pulpit commands a view of every seat. In its original state, the gaol had cells, and beds for prisoners; but it has now accommodations for more than

3: Chelmsford prison visiting information

An inmate who died in Chelmsford Prison was serving a year sentence for a brutal knife attack. Rocky Stenning was found dead in unexplained circumstances at HMP Chelmsford, on Springfield Road, at around pm on Thursday, July The year-old was pronounced dead at the category B.

Rail[edit] The Eastern Counties Railway arrived in Chelmsford in , although owing to the geography of the town, three viaducts had to be constructed, the longest of which is the 18 arch Central Park viaduct. The station was built at the end of the second viaduct with the third viaduct at the River Chelmer at Springfield. The present-day Chelmsford railway station dates from around and is in the city centre and around 14, commuters travel to London Liverpool Street daily by rail, making Chelmsford one of the busiest non-terminus stations outside London until when 3 early morning services were added starting at Chelmsford operating to London and three late evening services terminating at Chelmsford from London. The station is served by the railway franchise Abellio Greater Anglia an international arm of Nederlandse Spoorwegen. Despite having platforms elevated on a viaduct, the station has full disabled access via a lift for each of the two platforms and as well as stair access. Since , a second station has been proposed for the new housing development in Beaulieu Park , Boreham. It incorporates shops and apartments and has a covered roof for passengers. There are also a variety of school buses serving the city and surrounding areas. Outside of peak times many of these services are run under contract to Essex County Council. The route is on the Hertfordshire Intalink network, allowing single-operator access to destinations within Hertfordshire, Bedfordshire , Buckinghamshire and Cambridgeshire , as well as select Greater London destinations such as Stanmore and Barnet. The route was previously operated by TGM Group. Opened in March , it has proved highly successful and is widely used. Please improve it by verifying the claims made and adding inline citations. Statements consisting only of original research should be removed. January Learn how and when to remove this template message The A12 trunk road, running from London to Great Yarmouth originally built by the Romans to connect London and Colchester , [57] used to pass through the city but is now diverted around the east. It is a very important route, linking London and the M25 motorway with the docks at Harwich and Felixstowe, and the East Coast. Despite being notorious for frequent congestion, poor road surfaces and potholes, as well as accidents, many people move to Chelmsford for it being so well connected by not only rail services, but roads. The A trunk road, running from Hemel Hempstead to nearby Maldon, is a main road into the city, just off the A12, and also links the city to the M11 motorway at J7 near Harlow. The A provides an important link down to the A and A13, while the A passes through smaller towns and villages. In the southwest of the city centre, the A meets the A at The Army and Navy roundabout which is notorious for its traffic congestion, even though the northâ€”south road at this point is no longer part of the A Until , when the Chelmsford bypass was opened, the roundabout was in an even worse state. Traffic lights were tried to improve matters in the early s but that scheme was abandoned after a short while however some of the lights where recommissioned for early morning and evening part-time use in The junction is unusual for its flyover, in a similar manner to the Hogarth Roundabout in Chiswick , London. It is bi-directional, being open where traffic goes one way into city westerly until 2. A two-way flyover has been mooted ever since the original was built in The roundabout is still called "The Army and Navy", even though the public house from which the junction got its name has been demolished. However the old road and bridge will be demolished shortly after construction is completed. This involves most street lights being switched off between 1: Future transport plans[edit] Map of route for the proposed new Chelmsford bypass Proposals for a bypass of Chelmsford connecting the A12 interchange at Boreham Junction 19 and the A were put forward for public consultation by Essex County Council in , the preferred route was announced in March It comprises the creation of 7. A new second railway station for the city was announced in September and is due to be built near the Boreham Interchange. Completion for the project is likely to be in The lower level apartments of this development and the Bus Station area is known as "Marconi Plaza" while the upper level apartments are known as the "Kings Tower". The Bus Station and shops were opened in January while the rest of the development was ready in September A new housing

development site near Beaulieu Park towards the north of the city is currently under construction. It will be an urban village containing around 3, homes. Building work started at the site in October and the project was completed in December. This was completed early in . If this development goes ahead, High Bridge Road connecting Parkway and Springfield Road would be demolished along with the adjacent gasometers and a new central link road would be built. Further work is being carried out in the shopping centre; an old portion was demolished in Spring. The work was completed in early . There will also be 2 other large-format shops included in the development. The main anchor store will be complemented by a further 33 shops and 7 restaurants. Construction work on the project started in early .

Places of interest[edit] Great Baddow, Chain Home Tower Hylands House The River Can in the city centre with part of the s flood prevention scheme clearly visible There are a small number of places of interest within Chelmsford, including the arch Victorian railway viaduct that spans the River Can in Central Park. One of three railway viaducts in the city that carry the Great Eastern Main Line. The Viaduct was constructed during by the Eastern Counties Railway Company and opened for passenger traffic on 29 March. It is officially the second smallest in England behind Derby Cathedral. They share the same height of . It originally stood at Canewdon but was reassembled in Chelmsford in [72] and is the only Chain Home tower still in its original unmodified form in the UK. It is a highly visible landmark throughout the city and surrounding area. The Shire Hall is situated at the top of the High Street. One of the oldest and most prominent buildings in Chelmsford, it was built as a courthouse and there has been a court on the site since at least . However this finally came to an end on 2 April with the opening of a new Magistrates Court a short distance away in New Street. The film special of the TV series *Porridge* was filmed largely on location at Chelmsford Prison while it was closed for repairs after a fire. The prison itself courted controversy for many years for its poor conditions, and was branded one of the worst gaols in the country by the Chief Inspector of Prisons in . In the Chief Inspector returned to claim "Chelmsford was a transformed establishment" and awarded the prison an excellent report. Much damaged by fire and vandalism by the time of the sale, the house has now been completely restored by Chelmsford City Council. The house dates from , and the park, acres 2. It is open to the public and used for a wide range of community events, including the annual music festival V Festival. It is also available for weddings and other private hires including conferences etc. Chelmsford Museum in Oaklands Park, off Moulsham Street, is a local history and industrial heritage museum which also incorporates the Essex Regiment Museum. Consequently, gravel deposits are frequently found in the area and current and former gravel pits in the district are common. Chelmsford has two rivers, the River Can and the River Chelmer. Although often confused to be the same river in the city centre, they are quite separate until they join together towards the east of the city to form the Chelmer and Blackwater Navigation which heads out towards Maldon before flowing into tidal waters at the Blackwater Estuary. In the other direction, the Chelmer comes from the north from its source near Thaxted while the Can comes from the West from Writtle where it separates from the River Wid. Climate[edit] As with most of the UK, Chelmsford has a maritime climate type, being to the southeast of England, the city enjoys a warmer climate than most of the United Kingdom and experiences the warmest summers in Britain; It is also one of the drier areas in the country. The nearest met office weather station is Writtle, about 1-mile 1. Temperatures often reach . The hottest day on record was on Sunday 10 August when . On average, however, the hottest day should rise to .

4: Chelmsford Prison inmate Rocky Stenning died serving year sentence for knife attack - Essex Live

HM Prison Chelmsford, Chelmsford, Essex. likes. HM Prison Chelmsford is a Category B men's prison and Young Offenders Institution, located in.

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A prison with one of the highest rates of suicide makes "the same systemic failings with dismal regularity", the director of a charity has said. HMP Chelmsford has had at least seven suicides.

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6: The Howard League | Chelmsford prison: Dangerous and failing

EASTNEWSPRESSAGENCY. CHAOS: Police are embroiled in a stand off with a man on top of Chelmsford Prison. Essex Police said: "We were contacted at around 11am today, Monday, June 11, to assist staff at Chelmsford Prison in relation to an ongoing incident.

The report provides a great deal of statistical information, but sadly, prisoners were only identified by their initials. That year the prison contained an average of prisoners and a maximum of The Return of Punishments reveal a long list of offences committed against prison discipline. Most of the punishments involved solitary confinement in a cell. Two prisoners were placed in handcuffs or irons. Fighting, neglecting work, whistling, talking, making signs to other prisoners, singing, swearing, indecent behavior, concealing money, stealing bread, breaking cell pot, having a knife, in bed with another prisoner, insolence, not keeping himself clean, tearing a prayer book. State of the Prison The building is erected on a slight elevation it is built of brick and seems in a good state of repair the soil on which it stands is clay the drainage seemingly good, but for some time past has required to be frequently cleansed in consequence of the want of water owing to the iron pipes originally laid down being nearly filled up with a deposit of sulphate of lime; these pipes, however, have been removed and supplied by others of lead and of larger size, so it is confidently hoped that the more plentiful supply of water will remedy this defect. Upon the whole the ventilation is good compared with other buildings of the kind each cell having a window that opens at the top to the extent of eight inches with a small ventilator in it for use when it is shut. There is also a ventilator in the ceiling of each cell, which communicates by tubes with the open air on both side of the building. There is also a grated opening on the lower part of each door, but it is considered that a great improvement in the ventilation of the cells might still be effected by enabling the windows to be opened to the extent of [words missing] [words missing] since the occupation of this prison in , the number of sick has been on a much more extensive scale than other establishments of the kind - suffering from scurvy; and which appeared with unusual severity, as early as the following year after its first occupation, and has continued to exist ever since with more or less severity, and varying according to circumstances, and always worse in the winter. The tread-wheel seems to be easily worked and well managed. At present there are 86 prisoners employed on it for five hours daily, and there are 12 on the pump for the same time. The prisoners sentenced to solitary confinement for any period not exceeding 14 days, are confined to a cell unless air and exercise be ordered by the surgeon. The whole details of the prison seem to be very efficiently managed by the present governor Mr Neale. Clothing A uniform clothing of coarse quality and plain colour is delivered to prisoners committed for trial, while a party-coloured dress is worn by prisoners convicted of felony, consisting of a jacket, waistcoat, and pantaloons; they have also a linen shirt which is changed once a week, one pair of shoes, and one pair of worsted stockings, but during the winter months only. The bedding consists of one straw mattress two blankets and one coverlet sheets being allowed only to those in hospital. Diseases The prevailing diseases in this establishment are scurvy, pectoral affections, and bowel complaints. Scurvy This affection is sufficiently well marked, the countenance being sallow and bloated, pottedical spots in various parts, as the trunk, arms, thighs, etc. It is not, however, by any means of a fatal character as during the last two years there has been no death in the prison from scurvy, the disease having invariably yielded to improved diet lime juice and warmer clothing. Pectoral Affections These consist of catarrh, pain in the side, and pain in the chest, with cough, and are in general of a trifling nature and occasioned by cold and insufficient clothing. A case of consumption died on the 21st instant, having been admitted on the 4th January last then labouring under the disease, and although an offer of an appeal for the remission of his sentence was made to his parents, they declined any interference, being satisfied that he could not receive better treatment anywhere else. At present there is one case of ague, which is several years since it was first contracted, and has always been liable to return on exposure to cold and wet. The individual is recovering under the use of quinine. Bowel Complaints are frequent, and are occasioned by cold and insufficient clothing. The surgeon does not supply the medicines; he is attentive to his duties and visits the prison almost daily and at times oftener when his services are required.

7: Chelmsford Prison information

An inmate has been on the roof of Chelmsford Prison for more than four hours The road remains cordoned off A Ministry of Justice spokesman has confirmed the man involved in the ongoing standoff is an inmate at the prison.

8: Prison Service Jobs in Chelmsford - November | www.enganchecubano.com

A Prison Service spokesman said: "Staff are working to resolve an ongoing incident involving one prisoner at HMP Chelmsford." HMP Chelmsford is a Category B prison and young offenders institution.

9: HM Prison Chelmsford | Revolv

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