CHIT ROCKS BEACH ACCESS FOR ALL

Imagine being unable to feel the sand, play in the beach and swim in the sea. That is the reality for many children, young people and adults for a variety of reasons. Chit Rocks Beach Ramp project is in place to allow access for all onto our wonderful sandy beach and natural rock pools. We organise events, to highlight our project at Chit Rocks. At the moment many people are restricted because of the pebble foreshore or steep steps. We are launching our project to publicise awareness of this issue and to raise the funds necessary to get the ramp built. This project fits with the East Devon District Councils Tourism and Culture strategies, as well as being included in the Coast and Country Sustainable Tourism Plan

GoFundMe Chit Rocks
Beach Project

APPENDIX F



MAKING ACCESS FOR

ALL

WHAT YOU CAN DO TO HELP





- Talk to friends and family about this project to raise awareness.
- Organise a fundraising event to help us achieve our target.
- Make a donation using our GOFUNDME link
- Talk to us if you are interested in making a large donation so we can consider GiftAid.
- Check out our Facebook page and Instagram via the links

Get in Touch

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Frequently asked questions

· Where is Chit Rocks?

It is at the end of Millennium Walk at the western end of the town.

· Why was this site chosen for the ramp?

Because it is the shortest distance to the sandy beach and the rock pools.

· How long will it take?

We have 12 months to raise the money with construction planned to coincide with the larger Beach Management Scheme.

-Will the Ramp angle be too steep?

No, there are lots of different design aspects we have taken into consideration and the angle is a priority.

· Why not use mats?

Mats will be a great temporary solution to access, it will also be seasonal as will be removed in winter. Unfortunately they cannot enable full access to the sea and sand.

• How much will it cost?

The construction cost has been calculated by a senior estimator and we will need to raise £250.000

• Where will the money come from?

It will be raised from a combination of grants, donations and sponsorship, along with local fundraising events to get everyone involved.

· Who will look after it?

East Devon District Council have agreed to include clearing and cleaning the ramp with their work along the esplanade. Ongoing maintenance will be considered at the final design stage. We will look to establishing a Friends of the Ramp group as the project progresses.

-Will it negatively affect the environment?

No, the materials used and design support creation of new habitats for marine biodiversity.

· How can I help?

By organising a fundraising event or by making a donation. It is also really helpful to talk with others about the project and get as many people involved as possible.