

FELIXSTOWE COAST PATROL AND RESCUE

YOUR LOCAL INDEPENDENT LIFEBOAT

“IN SALUTEM OMNIUM”

TOWN COUNCIL GRANT REPORT 2024/5

Over the last year there have been big changes at FCPR, we have been working hard to become a declared facility with the UK Coast Guard and achieved this in early May this year. This means we are now in the top tier of search and rescue in the country.

Initially this means we now go on call at 1800hrs on Fridays until 2359hrs on Sunday, we will also be carrying out our normal patrols from Easter to October as well.

You may also remember that within the last year we lost our base behind the CO-OP by the station. We now have moved to Searson's Farm in Trimley and also have an office in Felixstowe town centre above the CO-OP funeral directors.

We would like to thank the Council for the last years grant, this has been put towards some new crew drysuits and on some upgraded first aid courses for the boat crew. And also thank them for their continued support.

Johno Brett

Chairman FCPR