



Information Resilience and Transparency

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Dear Sir or Madam,

Thank you for your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 2000, relating to Christmas Festivals. Please see the response below.

I am afraid Kent County Council does not hold the information you have requested as in Kent, Christmas Festivals are the responsibility of the 12 district councils and Medway Council, a unitary authority, not the County Council. I have provided some links below which I hope will be of assistance not only in explaining who does what but also to help you contact the appropriate authorities.

<http://www.kent.gov.uk/about-the-council>

<http://www.kent.gov.uk/about-the-council/how-the-council-works/district-councils>

If you are unhappy with this response, and believe KCC has not complied with legislation, you have 40 working days from the date of this response to ask for a review. You can do this by following our complaints process; details can be found at this link <https://www.kent.gov.uk/about-the-council/complaints-and-compliments#tab-9> on our website. Please quote reference 9677082.

If you remain dissatisfied following an internal review, you can appeal to the Information Commissioner, who oversees compliance with both the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and Environmental Information Regulations 2004. Details of what you need to do, should you wish to pursue this course of action, are available from the Information Commissioner's website <https://ico.org.uk/make-a-complaint/>, or you can phone the ICO Helpline on 0303 123 1113.

Yours faithfully,

Carly Wattle
Information Access Officer