



RHYL was rocking as a touch of the 70s landed in the town, kickstarting a summer of fun.

The latest free event from Rhyl Town Council saw Elton John tribute act Elton Wrong (pictured) take to the town's high street for a day of live music and tunes played from his motorised piano.

Elton's appearance was part of the Summer Starter event which included a special theatre show – Desert Island Discs – held in the Sussex Street Christian Centre. A team from the centre also took part in the event with crafts, splat the clergy and other activities. Traditional seaside games such as hook-a-duck, a giant deckchair and face painting completed the line-up.

"Rhyl has had a lively start to the summer holidays," said Rhyl mayor Cllr Diane King. "The weather may not have been onside, but the rain didn't stop play. Elton Wrong didn't let the sun go down belting out classic hits which had everyone singing along.

"Along with his motorised piano, he brought real fun to Rhyl for the town council's latest free event. The theatre shows delighted people of all ages and the giant 20ft inflatable lobster surprise at the end was the catch of the day! It's been a long and exciting day but in the words of Elton himself, I'm Still Standing!"

The event kicked off a summer of fun with others in the pipeline including August's Air Show which the town council is also supporting.

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Cllr King added: "There is much to look forward to over the next few weeks including a welcome return to the air show and the wonderful Red Arrows. Rhyl is the place to be for entertainment this summer for residents and visitors alike."

For updates on Rhyl events keep an eye on Rhyl Town Council's social media pages, Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram.

Captions:

- Can't put a foot wrong! Cllr Diane King meets up with Elton's alter ego
- Peeping out! Rhyl Town councillors Cheryl Williams and Brian Blakeley try the seaside picture board
- Rhyl mayor Cllr Diane King was all at sea for the desert island show
- Summer-Rose, four, and Kayden-John, two, take a giant seat
- Scarlett, six, gets crafty

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