






The Queen's Diamond Jubilee – June 2012

	<p>Sunday 3rd June 2012 - Big Jubilee Lunch</p> <p>The fourth annual Big Lunch will fall on the same weekend as the Queen's Diamond Jubilee. So anyone who would like to celebrate and commemorate the Queen's 60 year reign can do so by holding a Big Jubilee Lunch!</p> <p>As announced by Buckingham Palace The Big Jubilee Lunch will be a part of the main programme of events over the central weekend of Diamond Jubilee celebrations in June 2012.</p> <p>http://www.thebiglunch.com/about/jubilee-2012.php</p>
	<p>Sunday 3rd June 2012 - Thames Diamond Jubilee River Pageant</p> <p>The River Pageant will be taking place on the afternoon of Sunday 3rd June 2012. Thames piers, riverside roads and bridges are closed to traffic and there will be up to fifty big screens distributed along the route to allow members of the public to enjoy the pageant from all possible vantage points.</p> <p>For families and others with children, Battersea Park is a destination area with a day-long programme of music, traditional funfair and artist-led Jubilee-themed entertainment.</p> <p>Further details of the positions of screens and supporting activities will be released in due course along with travel information and maps.</p> <p>http://www.thamesdiamondjubileepageant.org/</p>
	<p>Monday 4th June 2012 - The Queen's Diamond Jubilee Beacons</p> <p>The 2,012 beacons to be lit will include Church Tower beacons on the battlements of HM Tower of London, St. James's Palace, London, and at The Palace of Holyroodhouse, with a similar Beacon being lit at Killyleagh Castle, Northern Ireland; a beacon on top of Pen Y Fan Mountain, Wales lit by the Cadets of Unit 215 (City of Swansea) Squadron Air Training Corps; and a beacon at Flash Church of England Primary School in Staffordshire, the highest school in Great Britain, with only ten pupils aged between 4 – 11 years old.</p> <p>http://www.diamondjubileebeacons.co.uk/Diamond_Jubilee_Beacons/HOME.html</p>
	<p>Monday 4th June 2012 - BBC Concert at Buckingham Palace</p> <p>There will be a televised Diamond Jubilee Concert at Buckingham Palace with tickets being available to UK residents by public ballot. The musical programme for the concert is still being planned and is expected to feature British and Commonwealth musicians. Details on how to apply for the concert will be available in due course. This event is being organised by the BBC.</p> <p>http://faq.external.bbc.co.uk/questions/television/diamond_jubilee</p>
	<p>Tuesday 5th June 2012 - Service of Thanksgiving and Carriage Procession</p> <p>There will be a Service of Thanksgiving at St Paul's Cathedral and a formal carriage Procession by The Queen.</p> <p>http://www.stpauls.co.uk/</p>