

Coronation May Fair
Saturday 6th, Sunday 7th May 2023



Report on the May Fair meeting to discuss civic involvement in the Coronation May Fair with:

- Cllr. Richard Bickford
- Cllr. Julia Peggs
- Cllr. Rachel Bullock

Buckingham Palace has not yet confirmed the timings on the day of the coronation, which adds a layer of complexity to setting times, but provisionally we are looking at:

Saturday 6th May	Street Market	10am – 4pm	Fore Street
	Parade of Youth & Civic Parade	10am	Fore Street (Leaving from Victoria Gardens)
	Singing of National Anthem	tbc	Fore Street
	Youth Village	10am – 4pm	Victoria Gardens
	Live Music	11am – 9pm	Longstone Park
	Inflatables and Food Stalls	10am onwards	Longstone Park
Sunday 7th May	Fun Run, 5K and Half Marathon	Throughout the morning	Longstone Park
	Wellness Activities	10am – 12 noon	
	Climbing Wall	10am – 3pm	
	Coronation Big Lunch	1pm – 3pm	
	Inflatables and Food Stall	10am onwards	

In recognition of the coronation:

- Two large screens will be placed on Fore Street to broadcast the ceremony in London to people in Saltash
- A representative from the Cornwall Lieutenancy (the King's representatives in Cornwall) has been invited to attend the Civic Parade, which will leave from Victoria Gardens and be led by the Parade of Youth
- We will invite everyone on Fore Street to join together in singing the National Anthem
- The event venues will be decorated in red, white and blue
- The concert on Longstone Park on Saturday 6th will finish one hour later than last year and will feature some highly acclaimed bands finishing with the popular Queen tribute act called the Good Old Fashioned Lover Boys
- We are responding to Buckingham Palace's call to host a Big Lunch and are inviting residents to a Coronation Picnic in the Park, where there will be live music delivered by RwindBand

These extra 'coronation' elements alone will cost in the region of £4,000 (including the large screens, extra bands, medical cover, toilets and waste management etc.). The committee is busy submitting funding bids and raising funds, but any funding that Saltash Town Council could provide to help us achieve this funding target would be gratefully received. Invoices and/or receipts can be provided on request.

May Fair Committee

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Tanya Hatch

Tracey Hayton

Adam Webb

8th March 2023