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The Queen's Platinum Jubilee



A special extended bank holiday weekend provided an opportunity for communities and people throughout the United Kingdom to come together to celebrate the historic milestone.

On 6th February this year Her Majesty The Queen became the first British Monarch to celebrate a Platinum Jubilee, marking 70 years of service to the people of the United Kingdom, the Realms and the Commonwealth.

To celebrate this unprecedented anniversary, events and initiatives took place throughout the year, culminating in a four day UK bank holiday weekend from Thursday 2nd to Sunday 5th June.

The four days of celebrations included public events and community activities, as well as national moments of reflection on The Queen's 70 years of service.

Thursday 2nd June

Trooping the Colour: The Queen's Birthday Parade was held on Thursday 2nd June 2022 at 11am. The colour was trooped by the 1st Battalion, Irish Guards, and more than 1200 officers and soldiers from the Household Division put on a display of military pageantry on Horse Guards Parade, together with hundreds of Army musicians and around 240 horses. This annual event has now marked the official birthday of the British Sovereign for over 260 years.

The Queen's Platinum Jubilee

Platinum Jubilee Beacons: The United Kingdom's long tradition of celebrating Royal Jubilees, Weddings and Coronations with the lighting of beacons continued for the Platinum Jubilee.

A beacon chain, once used as a tool for communication, has now become a symbol of unity across towns, borders, countries and continents and is often the central point of focus for any outdoor gathering or celebration.



Friday 3rd June

Service of Thanksgiving: A Service of Thanksgiving for The Queen's reign was held at St Paul's Cathedral. Great Paul, the largest church bell in the country, rang for the Service.



The Queen's Platinum Jubilee

■ Saturday 4th June

The Derby at Epsom Downs: Her Majesty The Queen, accompanied by Members of the Royal Family, attended the Derby at Epsom Downs.



Platinum Party at the Palace: Hosts Kirsty

Young and Roman Kemp led live coverage of the Platinum Party at the Palace and air live on BBC One, BBC iPlayer and across the BBC network. The celebration was attended by famous faces from the world of entertainment brought together to perform for a night of musical tributes to celebrate the Jubilee. 22,000 people attended the event including 10,000 allocated in a public ballot and 5,000 tickets for key workers.



■ Sunday 5th June

The Big Jubilee Lunch:

Over 60k people have registered to host Big Jubilee Lunches on the Platinum celebration weekend, with events ranging from world record attempts for the longest street party to back garden BBQ's and everything in between. Over ten million people across the UK joined the celebrations to share friendship, food and fun at Big Jubilee Lunches as part of this nationwide act of community friendship. People across the world were also joining in with over 600 international Big Jubilee Lunches being planned throughout the Commonwealth and beyond - from Canada to Brazil, New Zealand to Japan and South Africa to Switzerland.

Special News

Monkeypox

The monkeypox outbreak is raising alarm in Europe and the US. Monkeypox is a virus that causes a fever and a distinctive bumpy rash. The two main strains are the Congo strain and the west African strain. The Congo strain is more severe with up to 10% mortality while the west African strain has mortality of 1%.

The disease spreads through close contact, and it mostly occurs in west and central Africa. It occasionally spreads elsewhere; however, infections have been confirmed in nine European countries, as well as the US, Canada, and Australia.

The virus doesn't spread easily between people, and experts say that the risk is low to the wider public. However, this time, the spread is puzzling experts because a number of cases in the UK have no known connections. The UK and US health officials also highlighted that the recent cases were predominantly men who self-identified as gay or bisexual.

No specific vaccine exists for monkeypox; however, a smallpox vaccine offers 85% protection because of virus similarities.



City for Walking

The city of Pontevedra in the northwest of Spain has been transformed over the past 20 years by policies prioritising pedestrians over cars.

Miguel Anxo Fernández, the mayor of Pontevedra, said that people changed the paradigm – giving 70 per cent of public space to the people and 27–30 per cent to the cars.

City streets have radically changed and there have been zero fatal road accidents since 2011 as well as a 67 per cent drop in CO2 emissions since the 1990s.

Most cars are banned from the medieval city centre and 73 per cent of journeys in the city are made on foot or by bike.

Special News

Guns kill American children

- Since 2017, guns are the leading cause of death for US children, surpassing car crashes. However, experts said that the number of car crash deaths decreased.
- Nevertheless, this problem is uniquely American, with US children being 15 times more likely to die from guns than children in 31 other high-income countries. Children were shot while riding their bikes, walking home from school, or even playing video games.

A 2015-2019 study revealed that 9 million children lived in a neighborhood with at least one fatal shooting per year. The same study also found that compared to white children, Black children had a higher risk of exposure to gun violence.



Indian couple want a grandchild

A retired Indian couple are suing their son and daughter-in-law, and they are demanding a grandchild.

According to the couple's lawyer, they demand either a grandson or granddaughter within one year or 50 million Indian rupees (\$ 675,000). The couple claim that they've looked after their son, and they spent all their life's savings on his education. Their son became a pilot, and pilot training in the US costs 3.5 million Indian rupees.

The grandfather said that, at his age, he needed a grandchild; however, his son's attitude showed he didn't think of his parents' situation.

Despite being married for six years, the man pursued his career as a pilot, and he didn't start a family of his own. The older couple believe that they didn't get the love and affection that they deserved.



Women must cover faces again

Afghanistan's Taliban government ordered women to cover their faces in public. The policy is a return to their past strict rules, and the escalation of restrictions caused anger at home and abroad.



According to the rule, if a woman doesn't cover her face outside her home, the police may prison her father or closest male relative, or bosses may fire them from state jobs. The ideal face covering is the all-encompassing blue burqa that women wore in public during Taliban's rule in 1996 – 2001. Most women in Afghanistan wear a headscarf for religious reasons; however, in urban areas, such as Kabul, many women don't cover their faces.

Western governments and some religious scholars and Islamic nations have criticized Taliban for limiting women's rights, including closing girls' high schools. In recent months, the Taliban brought in regulations that limit women's movements without a male chaperone, and they ban men and women from visiting parks together.



This month is all about making teens' voices heard. They wrote about multiculturalism and the role of activists. Send in your ideas and opinions and you might appear in the next month's magazine. Thank you!!!

Multiculturalism



"Equality is the soul of liberty; there is, in fact, no liberty without it" is a quote that I pretty much agree with. I'm a great believer in that we will never be free until everyone is, with this I mean that we only will be able to experience liberty at it's fullest when everyone has equality.

As long as there are people suffering social exclusion, hate crimes and lack of rights, humans are not free. Liberty can't just belong to the developed countries or to the people who don't get discriminated, it has to belong to all, otherwise, it is not liberty.

Me, for example, I'm never going to be truly free until all people have the same rights as me. Humanity is every single person on this planet, and, if one isn't free, nobody is. So, in conclusion, liberty is only true if it belongs to all of us, and for that to happen we need equality before anything else.

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Multiculturalism



Benefits of living in a multicultural society

Society was divided in the past, many years ago, but now, with the advance of technologies, society became tighter than it was.

The approaching of these different communities brought different benefits to us, humanity. In the past, we used to be individual, scared of differences and what was new, but now, we are more open-minded and we started to accept the differences among us, the different skin colors, nationalities, cultures, ideology and now, we started living in a multicultural society.

However, this may bring dispute among countries, because there are people who don't accept these differences, but, in spite of that, society starts to be more cooperative and gentle with other communities, and an example of that is the war, and what it brings.

The war among the countries starts with the differences of living in a multicultural society, but it ends with the acceptances and cooperation of the other countries.

In conclusion, living in a multicultural society may bring us bad things like discrimination and war, however, it brings us too, love, acceptance, knowledge and happiness.

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Multiculturalism



Nowadays, we all live in a multicultural society, but is it a good or a bad thing?

In my opinion there are only good aspects. By living in a multicultural society, we have access to a whole new world of cultures, traditions and experiences. We can also share the best parts of our culture with the world.

By doing that we are getting more tolerant in what concerns new cultures. For example, before internet came and connected us all, there was more discrimination of other people, other cultures, among others. I believe that happened because we were afraid of cultures and habits that were different from our own. Basically, we were afraid of changing. Since we have internet, these “secrets” about other cultures were demystified and we became more connected and tolerant towards these differences.

To sum up everything that has been stated until this point, living in a multicultural society, promotes tolerance and understanding towards everyone that is different from us.

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Multiculturalism



First of all, I think that this quote “Equality is the soul of liberty; there is, in fact, no liberty without it” perfectly encapsulates the meaning of liberty.

This in itself is very important because this word often gets mistaken with “unlimited freedom”. Countries like the United States of America let its people run around with guns and all kinds of dangerous weapons which in turn results in mass shootings like the most recent one in Texas.

On the contrary, there are other countries like Sweden and Norway where most people respect each other and are very kind and educated, I can confirm this since my sister has lived there for some time.

In conclusion, I believe this quote is true, especially in the present time. If we want to have liberty we must firstly be equal, not in our looks or personality but in the amount of respect and rights that we give one another.

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The role of Activists



How can activists make the world a better place?

First, to answer this question, I decided to talk about Greta Thunberg.

Greta Thunberg is a famous nineteen-year-old environmental activist.

She got famous in August 2018, with her movement «School Strike for Environment». Basically, she didn't attend school and missed classes to protest in front of Swedish Parliament.

One of the fantastic actions which Greta did was the fact she crossed the Atlantic Ocean to participate in United Nation 2019 Summit on Climate action.

She convinced her parents to adapt different lifestyles habits to combat the destruction of the environment.

On the other hand, Greta was criticized by different people such as Russian president. She got attacked by attacks related to her autism.

But we can't forget that there are activists such as Greta Thunberg who fight to preserve our planet.

In my opinion I agree with Greta because our world has been destroyed by humans, so activists are the ones who can make the world a better place.

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HUGE SUMMER WORD SEARCH PUZZLE



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