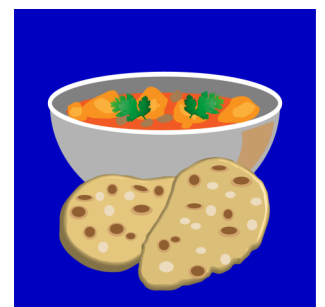


The Big Jubilee Lunch



Toolkit





What's happening?

This year we are celebrating the Platinum Jubilee of Her Majesty The Queen. This is not just a once in a lifetime experience, but most likely once in a Millennium!

Celebrations will take place during a long bank holiday weekend from the 2nd to the 5th June 2022.

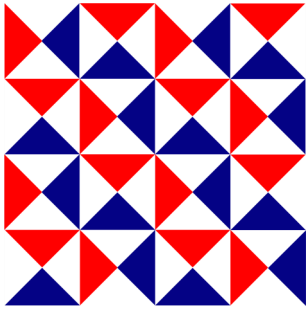
As part of the weekend, communities, neighbours and friends will come together to hold a Big Jubilee Lunch.



What is the Big Jubilee Lunch?

It is called the “Big” Lunch as lots of people across the Country will gather to celebrate the Jubilee. Size does not matter. Whether your event is large or small, a full-blown street party, or a cup of tea and cake in your back garden with your neighbours, we will all together be part of the Big Lunch.

The how, where and when is entirely up to you. The main thing is that people come to remember for all the family.



The Date

5th June 2022

The Big Jubilee lunches are the grand finale of the weekend of Jubilee celebrations.

Whether you are celebrating with neighbours and friends, hosting at work, or local community groups, here are some tips that might help

Where shall we hold our Big Jubilee Lunch?

A picnic in the park
School playground
Street party
Community Halls
Church, Mosque, Temple
or Gurdwara
Back garden



What shall we do?

Picnic

Barbecue

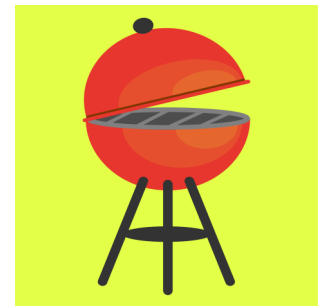
Buffet

Café or restaurant

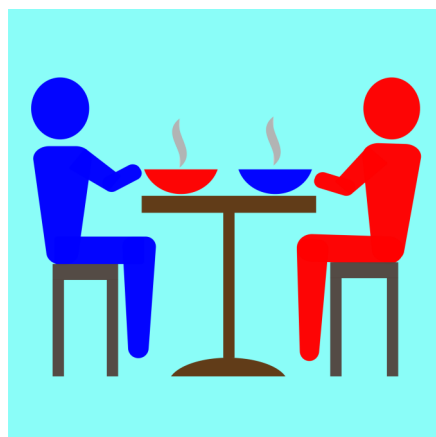
Coffee and cake

Tea and biscuits

Cook for all, everyone shares,
or brings their own



It really is up to you. Get the conversation going and start planning your event. Enjoying food together is a great way to get to know one another. Sharing food and conversation gets the party started. You could even share recipes and menu ideas



Invitations

You need to let people know about your Big Jubilee Lunch, whether it is a natter with your neighbours, a party in the community hall, or a jamboree in the park.

Have a look at some of our suggestions for invitations and posters, design your own, see what works best for your event.

Download the pictures from our website and get creative.



If you are keeping things small, then use invitations to manage numbers.

If you planning a large party, then how about a poster in your windows, on the notice boards at your venue, you can also share invitations on social media and community groups.

Drop personal invitations through your neighbours' letterboxes or email people. Let them know about your Big Jubilee Lunch and how they can get involved

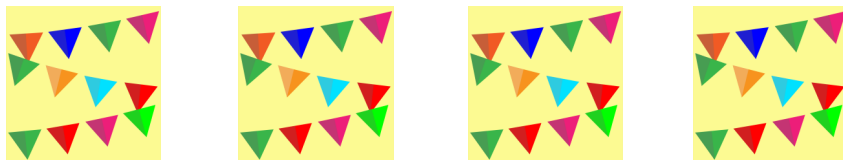


Making it happen

It is really easy to make your Big Jubilee Lunch a truly special occasion, no matter how big or small your event.

Ask people to help, share recipes and ideas, you could even cook together. You could plan some entertainment. You will find a wealth of talent in your community, from bakers to dancers, bingo callers to sandwich makers, musicians to chefs, you never know who is out there until you ask the question.

You will be surprised at how many people will be happy to help, they just need to be asked and for someone to take that first step.



How about asking families and neighbours to make bunting to decorate your event. Could this be a local school project? There could be other decorations too. How about fancy dress, Royal themes, quizzes and dancing? There are so many things that you can do to make your Big Jubilee Lunch truly memorable.

Let's get together and celebrate this truly unique event, share the moment and create memories that will last forever.

Practical things

Take a look at these websites for hints, tips, and downloads

<https://wmlieutenancy.org/the-big-jubilee-lunch/>

Or you can go to

<https://www.edenprojectcommunities.com/>

If you are organising a street party you may need to close your road

<https://www.gov.uk/organise-street-party>

Think about Insurance

<https://www.edenprojectcommunities.com/make-it-happen/insurance-for-your-big-lunch>

Do you need a risk assessment?

You should have permission from guests if you are filming or taking photographs

For further information from your local authority, simply click on the links on the next page



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