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Ottery St Mary Town Council Flag Flying Policy

Official Flag Flying Days

The designated flag flying days when the Union Flag may be flown are listed below;

- 9 January Birthday of the Duchess of Cambridge
- 20 January Birthday of the Countess of Wessex
- 6 February Her Majesty's Accession
- 19 February Birthday of the Duke of York
- 9 March Commonwealth Day (second Monday in March)
- 10 March Birthday of the Earl of Wessex
- 21 April Birthday of Her Majesty the Queen
- 23 April St George's Day (in England only)
- 9 May Europe Day
- 2 June Coronation Day
- 10 June Birthday of the Duke of Edinburgh
- 13 June Official celebration of Her Majesty's birthday
- 21 June Birthday of the Duke of Cambridge
- 17 July Birthday of the Duchess of Cornwall
- 15 August Birthday of the Princess Royal
- November Remembrance Day (second Sunday in November)
- 14 November Birthday of the Prince of Wales
- 20 November Her Majesty's Wedding Day

The dates the Union Flag will be flown (at full mast) from the Council's flagpole are listed below:-

- 21st April (Queen's birthday)
- 23rd April (St George's Day)
- 10th June Birthday of the Duke of Edinburgh
- 2nd Saturday in June (usually) (Queens official birthday)
- 2nd Sunday in November (Remembrance Day)
- 11th November – Armistice Day

Death of a member of the Royal family - Union Flag at half-mast.

On all other dates the Devon flag will be flown

The correct way up for the Union Flag when flying is with the broader diagonal white stripe at the top left hand side of the flag nearest the flagpole.



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