Platinum Jubilee Street Party

Sunday 5th June 2022 Nursery Road +



Here are our ideas for the day but this is a community event so if you think we've missed something we'd love to have your ideas.

The day is flexible so please join us as and when you can.

Timings

10.30 – 12.30	Road closed to decorate and set up for the party
12.30 – 1.00	Party goers to arrive with picnics any food / drink to share
1.00 – 16.45	Lunch party, games and music
16.45 – 17.00	Party goers to start taking away belongings
17.00 – 17.30	Final tidy up before road reopens at 17.30

Picnic lunch

For simplicity we thought it would be easiest if we all prepare food and drinks we like for the picnic but if you have extras then please bring them along for the 'sharing' table where there will be nibbles and competition cakes / desserts to share post-judging.

If any family or friends have allergies please note that we cannot guarantee that shared food is nut or gluten-free etc.

Depending on your suppleness you may like to bring picnic rugs, cushions, chairs along to sit on while picnicking. We will be supplying a few tables and chairs for those who don't have anything suitable or who cannot carry bulky items.

Any offers of spare tables /chairs / gazebos do please let us know.

Music

What's that tune? We have a PA system so will be able to play background music throughout the afternoon. We are hoping to represent each of the last 70 years with a song and it would be great if you could choose one or more favourite songs from different years and let us know – that way the playlist will be meaningful to all of us in some way. Even if you cannot make it on the day, please let us know your favourites.

Competitions

Jubilee-themed cake / dessert decoration

This is open to all. There will be separate prizes for the 12 and under category and the 13 and over category. The bake-off will be judged by our very own Nursery Road Marry Berry!

Jubilee king and queen fancy dress

A competition for the children. Prizes for the best dressed king and queen and they will be crowned and have the honour of burying the time capsule. Why not join the fun and channel your inner Jubilee spirit by sporting some appropriate togs.

Time Capsule

A picture of Lorraine's chest follows!





This concrete chest will be open on the day for anyone who wants to add a memory to it. It would lovely to see the chest full to the brim with historical and current pictures of the area, maybe "treasures" found in our gardens, newspaper cuttings of anything Nursery-Roadish, drawn pictures of the area and if children could add a note starting "what the Queen means to me". The possibilities are endless - they just need to be not too big!! Later that afternoon we will lock the capsule and it will be buried by our reigning king and queen.

Games and quizzes

- ❖ Adult and Children's Table Quizzes
- Children's Scavenger Hunt
- Children's old fashioned games such as egg & spoon, hula hoops and hopscotch

Decorations

We will decorate the picnic area for the party and are hoping to see as many houses as possible going bonkers with bunting, posters etc. We thought, as there won't be an open gardens this year ,that the green-fingered among you might make a bloomin' wonderful display in your front gardens with hanging baskets, planters, pots and window boxes?

Weather

We're Brits aren't we? So gazebos and umbrellas for light rain. However, for torrential downpours, Saint Michael's school, just up the road, has kindly offered us the use of a hall - so we have a back-up plan!

Contact us

Don't forget to let us know who and how many are coming to the party as well as your favourite tunes and if you can contribute in any way e.g. decorations, helping set up on the day etc.

You can post to the WhatsApp group or put a note through post box 88 or telephone Karen on 07779323961.