



How you can get involved

Plan a street party

Street parties are simple to organise. Apply to close a street or road for a street party to celebrate on a day over the extended bank holiday weekend or as part of The Big Lunch. Administrative fees for road closures are being waived.

Primary schools art competition

Primary schools in the city and county can join in the celebrations by taking part in an art competition and paint and picture about what The Queen's Platinum Jubilee means to them – anything goes!

Closing date for entries is Friday 1 April 2022

70 at 70 Garden Party

Nominate someone who is celebrating their 70th birthday this year (born in 1952), and lives in the city or county for an invitation to the 70 at 70 Platinum Jubilee Garden Party at Beaumanor Hall on Tuesday 31 May.

Closing date for nominations is Friday 1 April 2022

Community and Business Awards

Nominate a community group, school or business who have done something exceptional and positive to develop community spirit and enrich the lives of others for one of 70 Platinum Jubilee Awards.

Closing date for nominations is Friday 29 April 2022

Light a beacon

Communities, parish councils, schools, youth groups, and farming communities can get involved by setting up and lighting beacons, sponsoring beacons, or illuminating a home or building.

Thursday 2 June 2022, in the evening

Plant a tree

Everyone is invited to plant a tree as part of The Queen's Green Canopy initiative. Anyone wishing to plant their own tree, can access trees through free and affordable tree schemes offered by the Woodland Trust.

Throughout 2022

The Big Jubilee Lunch

The Big Lunch is your chance to celebrate community connections and get to know one another a little better. Join in on the bank holiday weekend when The Big Jubilee Lunch will be part of the official celebrations.

Sunday 5 June 2022

Go to www.leicestershire.gov.uk/platinum-jubilee to find out more.

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