



**POYNTON'S
CELEBRATION**
for the
PLATINUM JUBILEE
of
HER MAJESTY'S REIGN
June 2022





Poynton's programme of events to commemorate The Queen's Platinum Jubilee



Public activities and events

Saturday 30th April - Sunday 12th June, various locations

Poynton Platinum Jubilee Trail

The Platinum Jubilee Trail takes in seven points of interest, each with a focus on a decade of the Queen's 70-year reign. Follow the trail around the town to locate seven large purple crowns (made by Men in Sheds) with information about the Queen, the World and Poynton in each decade. Created by Rosie Deverell of Rainbow Trails with Rosie, this **FREE** activity promises fun for all ages and is suitable for families. Solve the anagram on the map and collect your prizes from the Civic Hall.

For full details and to download and print your free trail map, visit <https://bit.ly/3KeSZW3>

You can also collect your map from the Civic Hall reception. Opening times can be found at www.poyntontowncouncil.gov.uk



Saturday 14th May - Monday 30th May, Poynton Library

Bunting decorating

Help decorate the library with red, white and blue bunting for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. Ask at the desk for some bunting and get creative with the colouring. Put the completed bunting in the box and then watch out for it in the display. **FREE**, all welcome. Library opening hours only.

Monday 23rd May- Sunday 5th June, Poynton Civic Hall

An exhibition about Poynton to commemorate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee

A look into Poynton's past with photographs and memorabilia from yesteryear. **FREE**, no booking required.

Opening times: Monday 23rd - Fri 27th May, 9am-4pm.

Saturday 28th May, 9am - 1pm, Sunday 29th May, closed.

Monday 30th May - Wednesday 1st June, 9am-4pm.

Thursday 2nd and Friday 3rd June, closed.

Saturday 4th June, 9am -1pm, with special artefacts on display between 11am -1pm.

Sunday 5th June, 1pm - 4pm, with special artefacts on display 1- 3pm.

Wednesday 25th May, 10am, Poynton Library

Royal Storytime

Stories and songs for the Jubilee, for preschoolers, parents and carers. **FREE**, just turn up!

Thursday 26th May, 2pm, Davenport Golf Club, Middlewood Road

Jubilee tea in the afternoon

Sandwiches and savouries, cakes, prosecco and hot drinks. Advance tickets only, £20. Call 07504 408579. All proceeds to East Cheshire Hospice.

Monday 30th May - Sunday 5th June, 1pm - 4pm, Poynton Baptist Church
'Love Poynton'

People of Poynton exhibition, repairing Poynton's benches, litter picking, car washing and children's and youth activities. Details can be found at Clay Coffee House on Park Lane. Everyone welcome to join in.

Thursday 2nd June, from 2pm, Anson Engine Museum
The Queen's Platinum beacon celebration and Poynton local History

Museum open to the public from 2pm with hourly guided tours of the Poynton diorama/model and historic artefacts. Engines will be on view but not running. Followed at 9pm by lighting a beacon on the dirk ruck (slag heap), for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee Celebration. Hot & cold drinks and light refreshments available for purchase. **FREE**. Contact Peter Wood for more details on 07769 503999.

Thursday 2nd June, 9.30pm onwards, Poynton Pool
Platinum Jubilee beacon lighting

Organised by Poynton Round Table and supported by Poynton Town Council. A local piper will perform 'Diu Regnare' at 9.35pm. Bring a torch and suitable footwear. **FREE** event. For more information contact 01625 872238.



Thursday 2nd June, 4.30pm - 6pm, Poynton British Legion
Royal British Legion Jubilee party

Enjoy an evening with singer Jayne Macfarlane. Bring your own food and takeaways. Drinks available from the bar. Come and see the Royal Memorabilia display which is open to view over the bank holiday weekend. **FREE**, all welcome. For more information telephone 01625 873120.

Cricket games, Poynton Sports Club

Thursday 2nd June, 1pm, NECCC XI v Bramhall CC

Saturday 4th June, 12noon, NECCC XI v Tattenhall CC

Sunday 5th June, 9.30am, NECCC U13s v Macclesfield

All welcome. cricket@neccc.co.uk

Thursday 2nd June, 1pm, Poynton Sports Club
Art competition organised by the art club at Poynton Sports Club

Jubilee poetry, art and papier mâché. Open to age groups: 2-6 years, 7-11 years and 12-16 years. Prize for each age group. Bring your art to Poynton Sports Club by 1pm on Thurs 2nd June, where the judging will start. All welcome to join in. Contact Jane 07984 526 534

Friday 3rd June, 10.45am —11.15am, St George's Church, Poynton
National thanksgiving bell ringing

Co-ordinated to take place around the time of the Thanksgiving Service at St Paul's Cathedral, London at 11.30am, St George's bells will ring at 10.45am – 11.15am. For more information contact office@poyntonparishchurch.org

Friday 3rd June, 2pm – 4pm, Poynton Baptist Church
Linkers 'Silver Surfers' mid-summer afternoon concert and tea party

FREE, all welcome to join in. No booking required.

Saturday 4th June, 10am - 12pm, Poynton Library
Celebrating with our residents. Coffee and cake for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee

Drop in for coffee and cake to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. Chat with staff and other library users, share your memories. Colouring activities for children. We look forward to seeing you. All welcome.

Saturday 4th June, 10.30 am - 3pm, Poynton Sports Club
The James 'Hodge' Edwards Memorial Trophy

Poynton Football Club's annual 6-a-side adult football tournament. In recent years the event has been dedicated in fond memory of former Poynton FC and Richmond Rovers FC player James 'Hodge' Edwards. All welcome.

Saturday 4th June, 12 noon onwards, Poynton Sports Club

Jubilee bowls tournament

Open to members and non members of all ages. Red, white and blue dress optional. All welcome.
Contact Jane 07984 526 534

Saturday 4th June, 2pm - 7pm, Poynton British Legion

Jubilee party

Bring your own picnic. Drinks available from the bar. Activities include a bouncy castle, visit from the ice-cream van at 3.30pm and Waterloo Pipes and Drums at 5pm. There will be a Jubilee themed quiz 8.30pm till late. **FREE**, all welcome. For more information telephone 01625 873120.



Sunday 5th June, 9am, Poynton Sports Club

The Poynton Challenge (circular 20 mile walk — with 7 and 12 mile options)

As part of The Queen's Platinum Jubilee celebrations, Poynton Sports Club has organised a walk. The full circular route is 20 miles, although there are options to leave after 7 or 12 miles.

Walkers can seek sponsorship to raise money for their favourite charity. Alternatively, come along on the day to enjoy the hike and the challenge. Hike at your own pace individually, with family friends, dogs. Red, white and blue dress code optional. No charge.

For more details visit <https://www.poyntonsports.com/jubilee/> alanhartuk@yahoo.com

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**Sunday 5th June, 1pm - 4pm,
Park Lane**

Park Lane Jubilee Party

Bring your picnic, table and chairs along to Park Lane and enjoy an afternoon of nostalgia with children's fun and games, and musical entertainment.

Guides and Scouts will be offering children's games such as hoola hoop competitions and egg and spoon races.

Entertainment includes Poynton Jemmers, u3a band, Poynton Male Voice Choir, live singers and much more.

If you plan to bring a picnic, please familiarise yourself with the following guidance for the day.

<https://bit.ly/3Ev2FKO>



Sunday 5th June, 3pm, St George's Church, Poynton

A service of thanksgiving

A service of hymns, prayers and readings, giving thanks for the Queen's Jubilee. The service will include some of the hymns and readings used at the Coronation. Bell ringing 2.30 - 3pm. Tea and cakes served in the church hall afterwards. All welcome. Contact St George's Church admin@poyntonparishchurch.org or 01625 879277.

Sunday 12th June, 7.30pm, Poynton Civic Hall

Platinum Jubilee concert

Royal British Legion Concert Band featuring 'Magic Voices Choir' will be performing at the Civic Hall. Raffle and refreshments. Tickets £10, under 16's £5. Doors open 7pm. Email poyntonrblband@gmail.com or call 01625 876865 to book.

The following celebratory activities and events have been organised by local community groups and schools, and are not necessarily open to attend

Monday 23rd May – Friday 27th May, Vernon Primary School

Jubilee Week, school event

Vernon Primary School are holding a 'Jubilee Week' event for children who attend the school. Activities include the Poynton Platinum Jubilee Trail, a bake-off, decade celebration, moving museum, Jubilee crafts and culminates with a 'Red, White & Blue Day' on Friday 27th May. These activities are for staff and children at the school.

Decorate your shop front, house front, windows or doors

We encourage shops, businesses and residents to decorate their frontages in preparation for the weekends celebrations.

Decorating of St George's Lych Gate

Middlewood & Higher Poynton WI and Poynton WI will be adorning the Lych Gate with knitted, crocheted and felted decorations.

Poynton High School, various Jubilee themed commemorations

The High School have various activities planned for the students. Celebratory activities range from a bunting competition, cake decorating, textile badge making, creative writing and a Jubilee tree plaque design competition.

Plant a Tree for the Jubilee - The Queen's Green Canopy, Brecon Field

Men in Sheds Poynton are proud to commemorate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee by planting seven Birch trees at the top of Brecon Field. The trees, *Betula utilis* var. *Jacquemontii* 'Snow Queen' have distinctive white bark and have been carefully arranged in a circle to commemorate the Queen's Crown, with each tree representing a decade of the Queen's reign.

Jubilee planters around the town

The Town Council are pleased to announce the recent installation of six planters around Poynton. The new planters have been placed on Park Lane, Clumber Road junction and London Road South. The plants chosen are bee friendly and complement the colours of her Majesty's Platinum Jubilee emblem.

Jubilee Garden

There are plans to create a garden dedicated to the Queen's Jubilee on the verge of London Road North over the course of the next year. More details to follow.

Poynton in Bloom, Poynton Heritage Garden and Poynton Town Council

The groups will adopt a fitting red, white and blue planting scheme in areas around the Town. Keep a look out!

