

The "Queen's" Itinerary from Port Credit Yacht Club to the Big Jubilee Lunch Opening Ceremony

Monday, July 2, 2012

11:30am	The "Queen's" entourage boards the "Royal Yacht <i>Britannia</i> " at the guest dock at the Port Credit Yacht Club in Lakeview.
11:45am	The "Queen" and "Prince Philip" board the vessel.
11:50am	The "Royal Yacht <i>Britannia</i> " departs under the helm of Captain Paul Schmidt.
12:30pm	The "Royal Yacht <i>Britannia</i> " arrives at the dock at Snug Harbour restaurant at the mouth of the Credit River in Port Credit.
12:35pm	The "Queen" and "Prince Philip" disembark and are piped ashore by Piper Barry McKendry of the Mississauga St. Andrew's Pipes and Drums. A three-gun salute marks their arrival.
12:40pm	The "Queen" and "Prince Philip" are greeted by local community representatives and the "Royal Party" are then escorted by the Piper to enter the vehicle "Victory Red" to be taken to J.C. Saddington Park by driver Mr. Don Julien.
12:45pm	Arrival at the Pavillion at J.C. Saddington Park. Greeted by Anne Clark-Stewart, Big Jubilee Lunch Committee Chair. Piper McKendry will lead all to the amphitheatre. The "Royal Party" will then be seated with the other dignitaries.
12:50pm	Town Crier Michael Mclay will call the assembled crowd to order. MC Ellen Timms, General Manager Port Credit BIA say a few words of welcome She will outline the events in the opening ceremony and then will introduce the first speaker, Stella Ambler, MP for Mississauga South.

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12:53pm	Stella Ambler will welcome the "Royal Party" and will say a few words about the significance of the Diamond Jubilee and the level of support that is being given across the country by the Federal Government for Canadians to show their admiration and respect for our Queen and celebrate her Jubilee.
12:56pm	The MC will thank Stella Ambler and then will introduce the Hon. Charles Sousa, MPP for Mississauga South.
12:57	Minister Sousa will acknowledge the "Royal Party" and their presence at our celebrations. He will mention his own role as Head of Jubilee Celebrations in Ontario and highlight some of the other events that have taken place in the Province or City.
1:00pm	Minister Sousa will then introduce the "flower girl" Teagan Hunwicks, and ask her to come forward to present flowers to the "Queen".
1:02pm	The MC will then introduce the "Queen" to the crowd and the "Queen" will come forward to say a few words.
1:05pm	The MC will introduce Mississauga Mayor, Hazel McCallion, who will thank the "Queen and Prince Philip" for taking the time to be with us in this wonderful location, Mississauga's Village by the Lake. The Mayor may take this opportunity to recognize the Big Jubilee Lunch Committee members who worked together to put on this event and comment on the strong community spirit in the neighbourhood.
1:10pm	The MC will invite all of the dignitaries to cut the ribbon to officially open the Big Jubilee Lunch. Each dignitary will keep his/her portion of the special "ribbon".
1:15pm	The MC will ask the assembled crowd to stand to sing the Royal Anthem "God Save Our Queen" followed by our National Anthem "O Canada". Amy Smith will lead the singing of the Anthems.
1:20pm	The MC will announce that the Opening Ceremony is now complete and the "Queen" and "Prince Philip" will be departing after a short walkabout with the other dignitaries.
1:25pm	The Piper leads the Royal Party out of the Park to their waiting vehicle (grey sedan) driven by Mr. Derek Williams.
1:30pm	The "Royal Party" departs. Other dignitaries may also leave.