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Royal Visit Schedule Advisory

Today Government House released times of Her Majesty The Queen's and His Royal Highness The Duke of Edinburgh's schedule during their Royal Visit to Bermuda.

The Visit will take place from November 24 – November 26. Her Majesty and The Duke of Edinburgh will be on the Island as part of our 400th Anniversary celebrations.

Today His Excellency the Governor, Sir Richard Gozney said, "The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh have a full schedule, and events from St. George's to Dockyard. This is a historical event. We have worked to ensure the public is given opportunities to see The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh while they are here."

Also accompanying The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh on next week's trip is British Foreign Secretary David Miliband.

Following the Bermuda visit, The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh travel to Trinidad and Tobago for a state visit and the biennial Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting.

Highlighted below is the schedule for the Royal Visit:

Tuesday November 24

Airport Arrival and St. George's Town Square Activities

- 3:00 PM** The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh arrive at LF Wade International Airport. They will be met by HE the Governor and Lady Gozney and The Premier of Bermuda and Mrs Henton Brown.
- 3:15 PM** The Royal Party arrives in King's Square, St. George's – Town Hall visit – The Queen will receive the Royal Salute, inspect the Bermuda Regiment Guard of Honour; meet dignitaries including the Chief Justice, President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Assembly and the Cabinet Ministers and local MPs and the Mayor and Corporation of St George's.

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3:30 PM During a walk to Ordinance Island, The Queen greets members of the viewing public assembled, including Cub Scouts, Brownies, Guides, Sea Cadets and school children, plus some of the 1609 re-enactment group in costume.

**In case of rain, events will take place in the World Heritage Centre*

4:20 PM The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh arrive at Government House and later The Queen hosts a Reception for invited guests.

Wednesday November 25

City of Hamilton Activities

10:00 AM The Duke of Edinburgh presents Duke of Edinburgh Awards (**invited guests only**).

10:20 AM The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh depart from the Cabinet Office by landau en route to the Cathedral.

10:30 AM The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh arrive at the Cathedral, met by The Bishop of Bermuda, the [Rt] Rev. Dr. Patrick White and Mrs. White.

10:40 AM Thanksgiving Service celebrating Bermuda's 400th Anniversary.

11:10 AM Conclusion of Thanksgiving Service and recessional.

11:20 am The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh arrive at Hamilton Ferry Terminal and is seen off by Mayor of Hamilton, Worshipful Charles Gosling.

11:40 AM The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh arrive in Dockyard met by the Hon. Michael Scott, JP, MP, Minister of Energy, Telecommunications and E-commerce and local MP.

11:45 AM The Duke of Edinburgh visits the Spirit of Bermuda and then rejoins The Queen for Clocktower tour.

11:45 AM The Queen arrives at the Clocktower Building met by the Hon. Walter Lister JP, MP, Chairman West End Development Corporation.

11:50 AM The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh enter Great Eastern Warehouse for a historical re-enactment by Sandys Middle School, to meet former Naval Dockyard Apprentices of 1950, and cedar-carver David Saul. In the Great Western Warehouse they see the enactment of a typical Bermuda wedding reception.

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- 12:05 PM** The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh travel to the Maritime Museum viewing a special drum line presentation and greeting the public along the way.
- 12:15 PM** The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh arrive at Maritime Museum for special luncheon **(invited guests only)**.
- 2:20 PM** The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh are escorted to the Mural room by Executive Director, Dr. Harris for the unveiling of a plaque at the official opening of mural depicting Bermuda's 400 years.
- 2:25 PM** Royal Motorcade leaves Dockyard for Government House travelling along Middle Road. The convoy will pass or pass close by the following schools: Somerset Primary, West End Primary, Dalton E. Tucker Primary, Port Royal Primary, Heron Bay Primary, Bermuda Institute, TN Tatem Middle School, Warwick Academy, Gilbert Institute and Paget Primary. Royal Motorcade travels via Trimmingham Hill round-a-bout where Johnny Barnes greets morning commuters.
- The Motorcade will then travel along Front Street up Queen Street and will pass close or close by the Bermuda High School, Mount Saint Agnes, Saltus Junior School and finally the Berkeley Institute and Northlands Primary.
- 8:00 PM** The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh arrive at the Tucker's Point Club for the Bermuda Government's Dinner. They are met by the Premier and Mrs. Wanda Henton Brown. The evening also includes a gift presentation to The Queen by Premier Brown, welcome speech by the Premier with the loyal toast and The Queen's reply with a toast to Bermuda **(invited guests only)**.

Thursday November 26

- 10:45 AM** The Royal Motorcade departs Government House for LF Wade International Airport. The Royal Motorcade will pass by the following schools: Saltus Grammar School, Victor Scott Primary, Prospect Primary, CedarBridge Academy, Saltus Cavendish, Somersfield Academy, Elliot Primary, Whitney Institute and Francis Patton Primary.
- 11:15 AM** Arrive at LF Wade international Airport. Farewell ceremony for The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh. Seen off by HE the Governor and Lady Gozney, the Premier of Bermuda and Mrs Henton Brown.

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