## **Tavistock Town Council**



Tavistock Town Council -Working for the local community

## Arrangements for Flying the Flags from the Town Hall

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	Flag Type	Additional Notes
2 <sup>nd</sup> Monday in March	Commonwealth Day	Union Flag	
23 <sup>rd</sup> April	St George's Day	St George's Cross	
May Annually	Annual Meeting of	Tavistock Town Flag	Variable – check TTC's
	Council		Programme of Meetings
6 <sup>th</sup> June	D-Day	Stars & Stripes and/or	
		Union Flag	
A Saturday in June	Official Birthday of His	Union Flag	Variable – check annually
(17 <sup>th</sup> in 2023)	Majesty the King		
Last Saturday in June	Armed Forces Day	Armed Forces Flag	Variable – check annually
28 <sup>th</sup> June	Pride Day	Pride Flag (Rainbow)	If clash with AFD – next
			day
4 <sup>th</sup> July	Independence Day	Stars & Stripes	
3 <sup>rd</sup> September	Merchant Navy Day	Red Ensign	
2 <sup>nd</sup> November in month	Remembrance Sunday	Union Flag	Nearest Sunday to the
			11 <sup>th</sup> – for one week
14 <sup>th</sup> November	Birthday of His Majesty	Union Flag	
	the King		
Variable	Civic Service & Civic Ball	Tavistock Town Flag	Check with ATTC

<u>Notes:</u> any requests to fly any other flags, and/or the above on any other dates, such requests to be directed to the Town Clerk. Decisions will be made with due regard to:

- i) Planning group (a) and (b) guidance as published in Flying flags: a Plain English Guide;
- ii) Precedent set by flying of the flag over buildings representing Her Majesty's Government;
- iii) Recommendations from The College of Arms, the official heraldic authority for England.

## How to fly flags:

• Never fly flags before sunrise or after sunset (apart from Town Flag for Civic Ball/Civic Service/Annual Meeting). Ideally 8am until sunset.

