

# Order of Proceedings

Before the ceremonial occasion begins there will be performances on Tynwald Green by the Castle Rushen High School Big Band and the Manx Folk Dance Society.

- 10.10am** Secondary school students, carrying their school banners, process to Tynwald Hill, led by the Onchan Silver Band and the Manx Flag. They move along the Processional Way in front of the President of Tynwald and the Minister for Education and Children.
- 10.15am** Petitioners for Redress to meet the Clerk of Tynwald at the Lychgate.
- 10.20am** The Band of the Royal Air Force Regiment, leading the Guard of Honour from The Queen's Colour Squadron, the Standard Bearers and all the Manx units and organisations march on. The Guard of Honour and Military Band take up their positions on Tynwald Green, the Standard Bearers take up their positions at the War Memorial, and the detachments and branches from the Manx units form up at the east end of the Processional Way from the War Memorial to the West Door of the Royal Chapel. The Fanfare Team of the Band of the Royal Air Force Regiment moves into position on the wall opposite the War Memorial.
- 10.25am** Processions from the Robing Room to the Royal Chapel commence and the Tynwald guests, preceded by the Military Liaison Officer, move across Tynwald Green to take their places on the Processional Way prior to the arrival of the Lieutenant Governor.
- 10.32am** His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, Sir Richard Gozney KCMG CVO arrives. As he steps from his car, the Fanfare Team sounds a fanfare and His Excellency is received by the Military Liaison Officer and the Captains of two Parishes.
- 10.37am** His Excellency mounts the saluting dais. A General Salute follows and His Excellency, accompanied by the Military Liaison Officer, inspects the Guard of Honour and the front rank of the Military Band.
- 10.41am** His Excellency, accompanied by the Military Liaison Officer, moves to the National War Memorial, where he places a wreath. The 'Last Post' is played, followed by a one minute silence and 'Reveille'. Spectators and Guests are invited to stand in silence. This will be announced in the Chapel.
- 10.46am** His Excellency, preceded by the Fanfare Team, two Police Sergeants and the Manx Flag then processes to the Robing Room, immediately followed by the Tynwald guests who enter the Royal Chapel at the West Door.

## Notes for ticket holders

All chapel and grandstand ticket holders should be in their places by 10.20am. Those on the grandstand please stand when Salutes are made, when His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor passes, and for the hymns and anthems which will be led on the grandstands by the Manx Festival Chorus.

## PROCESSION TO THE ROYAL CHAPEL

*Please stand as each procession enters the Royal Chapel*

The first procession is from the Robing Room to places reserved in the Royal Chapel:

- Two Sergeants of the Isle of Man Constabulary (to the South Door)
- The Coroners
- The Senior Salvation Army Officer
- The Ministers of the Free Churches
- The Chairman of the Isle of Man District of the Methodist Church
- The Roman Catholic Dean
- The Beneficed Clergy
- The Dean of Cathedral Isle of Man
- The Vicar-General
- The Chairmen of the Town and Village Commissioners
- The Mayor of Douglas
- The Chief Registrar
- A Representative of the Commission of the Peace
- The Captains of the Parishes
- Yn Lhaihder
- The High Bailiff
- The Chief Secretary

The second procession is from the Robing Room to places reserved in the Royal Chapel:

- Two Messengers of the House of Keys
- The Chaplain of the House of Keys
- The Clerk of Tynwald, Secretary of the House of Keys and Counsel to the Speaker
- The Speaker of the House of Keys
- The Chief Minister
- The Members of the House of Keys
- One Messenger of the Legislative Council
- The Clerk of the Legislative Council
- The Members of the Legislative Council
- HM Attorney General
- The Deemster
- The Second Deemster

- The First Deemster and Clerk of the Rolls
- The Manx Flag (to the South Door)
- The President of Tynwald
- The Tynwald Seneschal
- Two Gardyn Coadee
- Fanfare Team (to the South Door)
- The Sword of State
- His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor
- The Private Secretary to the Lieutenant Governor
- The Surgeon to the Household
- Two Sergeants of the Isle of Man Constabulary (to the South Door)

**11.00am** The Service in the Royal Chapel begins.

