

**Flag Policy
Updated 23/11/16**

Date	Event	Flag Flown
9 January	Birthday of the Duchess of Cambridge	Union Flag
20 January	Birthday of the Countess of Wessex	Union Flag
27 January	Holocaust Memorial Day	United Nations
6 February	Her Majesty's Accession	Union Flag
19 February	Birthday of the Duke of York	Union Flag
10 March	Birthday of the Earl of Wessex	Union Flag
14 March	Commonwealth Day	Commonwealth Flag (flag to be flown from the time office opens on that day and taken down the following morning)
21 April	Birthday of Her Majesty the Queen	Union Flag
18 April	Annual Town Meeting	Union Flag
23 April	St Georges Day	Union Flag
9 May	Europe Day	Union Flag
19 May	Annual Meeting of the Council and Mayor Making	Union Flag
2 June	Coronation Day	Union Flag
10 June	Birthday of the Duke of Edinburgh	Union Flag
11 June (date announced each year)	Official celebration of Her Majesty's Birthday	Union Flag
21 June	Birthday of the Duke of Cambridge	Union Flag
25 June	Armed Forces Day	Union Flag
17 July	Birthday of the Duchess of Cornwall	Union Flag
15 August	Birthday of the Princess Royal	Union Flag
3 September	Merchant Navy Day	Red Ensign (flag to be flown from the time office opens on that day and taken down the following morning)
13 October	Charter Day	Deal Town Flag (flag to be flown from the time office opens on that day and taken down the following morning)
24 October	United Nations Day	United Nations Flag (flag to be flown from the time office opens on that day and taken down the following morning)
13 November	Remembrance Day	Union Flag
11 November	Armistice Day	Union Flag
14 November	Birthday of the Prince of Wales	Union Flag
20 November	Her Majesty's Wedding Day	Union Flag

Union flag to fly continuously from the Town Hall except unless otherwise stated above

Flag to be flown at half-mast for the following: Death of Councillors, Mayors or Past Mayors (Deal Town Flag)
In exceptional circumstances the Town Clerk in liaison with the Chairman of the council will decide on when the flag should be flown at half-mast taking into account guidance from the College of Arms and Dover District Council