How to celebrate the Coronation of their majesties King Charles III and Camilla, the Queen Consort

Everyone deserves to be treated like royalty at least once in their lifetime. In honour of the Coronation of King Charles III on May 6th 2023, we’ve pulled together Britain’s most regal experiences. Whether you’re looking for accommodations fit for a King, to toasting the new monarch on the River Thames, or even just a long-weekend adventure with a royal touch there is something for everyone. Discover the best Britain has to offer through a uniquely iconic lens while celebrating one of its most historical moments.

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Royal Accommodation Packages

A Coronation Escape, Gloucestershire
The Ellenborough Park Hotel, a 15th century country manor house, offers guests an escape deep in the heart of the Cotswolds. Delight in a tastefully quintessential British afternoon tea full of luxurious treats, followed by a royally deep slumber in one of their tastefully regal suites during your stay.
This package is offered for £150 per person.

A Coronation Break at The Francis Hotel, Bath
Make a quick weekend getaway at the Francis Hotel, with their Coronation Break package. Enjoy a deliciously royal breakfast each morning, discover the Dyrham Park House and Gardens, followed by a royal afternoon tea experience and find out why Bath was the location for the first ever coronation.
Packages start from £338 for 2 nights.

The Coronation Celebration at the Roseate Villa, Bath
Celebrate the Coronation in Bath with a stay at the luxurious Roseate Villa hotel. Receive the royal treatment with thoughtfully designed bedrooms, indulgent breakfasts, a regally themed Afternoon Tea followed by a Coronation themed cocktail hour.
Packages start from £171 per night.

The Lygon Arms’ King and Country Package, Worcestershire
Bathed in a rich history of British royalty, trace the footsteps once taken by King Charles I himself with an all-inclusive stay at the Lygon Arms on the edge of the Cotswolds. The King and Country package offers guest a three-night getaway including breakfast in bed, a generous dinner allowance and an afternoon tea. Guests have the opportunity to explore the English Country Gardens featuring fields of Lavender, Confetti and hidden pathways.
Packages start from £308 per night.
**Royal Chamber – Live Like a Royal: Hedingham Castle, Essex**

Experience royal treatment with the ‘live like a royal’ package inside Hedingham Castle in Essex. Experience a slumber fit for nobility on a dreamy four-poster bed, complete with 400-thread count bedding and handmade drapes to escape the outside world. Along with a deluxe ensuite double bath, the package includes a continental breakfast and the opportunity to explore the grounds. Discover an immersive escape room experience built exclusively for the castle.

**Packages start from £495 per night.**

**Live like a royal: Four Seasons Hotel, London**

21 April – 31 August 2023

Inspired by the upcoming Coronation, the Four Seasons offers guests the chance to ‘live like a royal’ and experience accommodation at its finest. Enjoy a royally focused Afternoon Tea inside the hotel’s Rotunda, and a trip to the Rose Crown Ritual spa for a relaxing weekend getaway. The package also includes breakfast served daily in– room or from the Rotunda.

**Offers are subject to time of booking.**

**Pricing depends on location.**

**A Spring Stay Fit for A King to Celebrate Coronation in Style, Cornwall**

1 May – 30 June 2023

Follow in the footsteps of royalty and celebrate the Coronation from the perspective of a King. A history saturated with royal guests surrounds the Headland Hotel in Cornwall. Experience the same luxury as His Majesty, the Prince of Wales, King Edward VII and even Queen Mary to name a few. Partake in a Coronation Afternoon Tea and enjoy complimentary use of the spa facilities and exclusive access to the Aqua Club featuring a terrific sun terrace overlooking the ocean. The package also includes a bottle of Camel Valley sparkling wine and pre– dinner cocktails followed by a meal in the hotel’s a newly opened restaurant.

**Packages start from £2,668.**

**Coronation Celebration at The Royal Crescent, Bath**

1 May – 31 August 2023

Partnered with Penhaligon’s Perfumes and Gusbourne Wines the Royal Crescent Hotel & Spa offers a royal weekend package dripping in carefully curated floral scents, and fine wines. Enjoy an afternoon tea surrounded by delicate notes of ‘Highgrove Bouquet’ (Penhaligon’s newest scent), a 5-course tasting menu paired with Gusbourne sparkling wine and access to the hotel’s spa and bath house. The package also includes a complimentary bottle of Highgrove Bouquet to make the memorable experience last.

**Packages start from £558 per room.**

**Royal Retreat, Henley-on-Thames**

1 April – 30 September 2023

In occasion of the Coronation, The Relais Henley offers an exclusively regal experience. The package offers an enchanting riverside room facing the Thames, aptly named after one of its original guests, King Charles I. Enjoy a tasteful three-course meal paired with a Coronation Cocktail, followed by a wake-up call for a delicious breakfast. The package offers an add-on feature with the chance to explore more of Henley with a private river cruise and a Champagne Picnic.

**Packages start from £298 per night.**

**A Royal Connoisseur Experience, Dukes London**

1 April – 20 December 2023

Situated comfortably close to Buckingham Palace sits DUKES London Hotel. Offering an exclusive package in honour of the Coronation full of specially chosen private perks. Start the day with a royal Breakfast with Exmoor salted caviar and a glass of Champagne and enjoy exclusive access to St James’s most notable Royal Warrant Holders during your stay. This experience includes appoint– only access to the premiere St James’s merchants such as, Lock & Co. Hatters, Floris, and many more.

**The package is offered from £2,345 for 2-nights in an Executive Room.**
Coronation Package at Fingal Luxury Floating Hotel, Edinburgh
From May 2023
Enjoy a five-star experience like never before, aboard Edinburgh’s finest luxury floating hotel. Fingal hotels’ ‘Spirit of the Sea’ offers an exclusive Coronation package to mark the crowning of the new King. The offer includes an elegant meal sourced from only the finest ingredients, a night cap featuring his majesty’s favourite classic malt, Royal Lochnagar, which is conveniently distilled near Balmoral Castle. The stay also includes a private tour of the sister ship, The Royal Yacht Britannia.
Packages start from £681 per night, for a Luxury Cabin.

Royal Adventures

The King’s Stamp, London
8 Feb – 3 September 2023
Visit the postal museum for the chance to discover the story behind the stamp. Explore over 180 years of intricate stamp designs and the royal history that follows. Take a chance to view the next Monarch’s stamp before they are released into circulation.

A Right Royal Spectacle: The Coronation of George IV, Brighton
11 March – 10 September 2023
Full of original costumes, portraits, objects and more, Brighton & Hove Museums have it all. Learn more about past coronations and experience the excitement and passion surrounding the last ever coronation feast, and the crowning of King George IV.

Crown to Couture at Kensington Palace, London
5 April – 29 October 2023
From the red-carpet to the catwalk, Kensington Palace’s largest showcase to date, ‘Crown to Couture’ transforms the state apartments into a spectacular fashion showcase. Discover how the Georgian era inspired today’s most iconic red-carpet looks. From the world-famous silver tissue gown worn at the court of Charles II to Audrey Hepburn’s ivory lace dress to Lady Gaga’s brilliant green MTV awards dress.

Style & Society: Dressing the Georgians at Buckingham Palace, London
21 April – 8 October 2023
Attend the Royal Collection trust to find fashion inspiration through the Georgian gallery at Buckingham Palace. From laundry maids to the highest in the royal court. Discover the period that curated fashion trends across all of society.

Raby Castle Tours, Durham
1 May – 30 September 2023
With many different tours to choose from, discover the royal connections shared between Raby Castle and Coronations past. The archives of Raby’s Royal connections tour showcases the distinctly royal visitors of the past highlighting the castle’s unique connections to royal icons like Elizabeth I. Another tour shows off the elegant outfits worn during coronations past, along with a glimpse of the estate’s recently restored State Coach. Find out what links the royal family to Raby castle on a tour dedicated to commemorating Raby’s royal history.

Claridge’s Celebration of the Coronation, London
From May 2023
Art-deco icon by day, elegantly timeless 5-star hotel by night, rarely are there hotels such as Claridge’s. With a unique heritage of pageantry and craft, the boutique hotel plans to celebrate the Coronation in style by debuting a ‘Coronation Archive Window’. The hotel shares much of its history with the most memorable royal moments in the last 200-years. The display will include previous coronation memorabilia like the celebratory fans from King George V and Queen Mary, along with vintage cocktail cards from King George VI and Queen Elizabeth II’s Coronation in 1937 and 1957.
Scotland’s Majestic Malts – The Coronation of HM King Charles III, Edinburgh
From May 2023
Get the royal treatment on the Gold Tour with Scotland’s Majestic Malts located on ‘The Royal Mile’ in Edinburgh. The special tour highlights the regal heritage of Scotch Whisky and its royal ties to monarchs past and present. Experience specially selected whiskies with the royal seal of approval. Learn about different aromas to each whisky, with a chance to taste afterwards. The royal treatment finishes off with a gifted crystal whisky tasting glass.

Tootbus Special Coronation Tour, London
25 April – 1 September 2023
See the sights and learn about their royal ties on the Tootbus official King’s Coronation special tour around London. Journey through central London and see famous sites like Tower of London, Westminster Abbey, the London Eye and so many more. Hop off at Westminster and hop on the river cruise to Tower pier and see more sights from along the river Thames. The tour even offers special self-guide walking routes for those who love to take the journey to the streets. The tour is also offered through audio sets in 5 languages.

Royal Mint Experience, Wales
Enjoy the VIP treatment through a bespoke tour of the Royal Mint. Receive a look behind the scenes and discover the world-famous coin collection including historic coins, medals and artefacts not on display to the public. Complete with an expert tour guide and an exclusive look at the production of the commemorative coin production line.

A Royal Feast
DUKES, Great British Restaurant: Royal Inspired 4 – Course Meal, London
From 1 April 2023
Inspired by the upcoming Coronation and celebration of King Charles III, DUKES London have crafted a spectacularly royal menu. A 4–course menu designed to reflect the dishes favoured by the royals. Located in the heart of St. James’s, the Great British Restaurant promise an experience to remember.

Gastronomic Delights Fit for Royalty at The Four Seasons Hotel, London
Inspired by the extraordinary treasures on display at the Tower of London, the Four Season’s Hotel introduce ‘The Crown Jewels Afternoon Tea’ experience. Catered in the Rotunda Lounge, guests can expect a selection of classic English delicacies like finger sandwiches, freshly baked scones, and an assortment of carefully manicured pastries.

Royal Windsor Pink Gin
Toast to the new King with the Royal Collection Shop’s Royal Windsor Pink Gin. A product made to reflect the stoic and gentle side of the King, note the gentle hints of orange and peppercorn with a warming cassia bark, with an orange peel and rose added for a touch of sweetness. Pair with ginger beer or pineapple juice for an extra touch of flavour on Coronation day. The Gin is available at the Royal Collection Trust shops in London, Windsor and Edinburgh.

Windsor & Eton Brewery
Ready just in time for the Coronation, Windsor & Eton Brewery crafted a brand– new brew dedicated to King Charles III. Made with certified fresh barley and local rye, the brew fit for royals, is 100% organic. A symbol of their appreciation for the King’s dedication to the crown, the label features an iconic image of the King surrounded by a few of his favourite things, bees, butterflies and the English countryside. Enjoy a tour of the brewery for a taste of the certifiably royal craft brew.

Afternoon Tea at The Goring, London
A known favourite of the royal family, The Goring Hotel, has introduced a special edition Coronation Tasting Menu constructed in honour of the crowning of King Charles III. Having received countless awards, The Goring remain to be champions of the traditional afternoon tea, effortlessly promoting an atmosphere of elegance for their guest.
A perfect spot to celebrate the Coronation, enjoy fruity homemade jams, high quality tea blends and delicious pastries with fresh fruits – locally sourced.

**Coronation Afternoon Tea, London**
Take the regal approach to an Afternoon Tea, and enjoy the chance to work with the famed Biscuiteers of Notting Hill and Belgravia. Get into the Coronation spirit by masterfully decorating royally themed treats and sweets through a Coronation Icing Workshop. Anyone can become a DIY icing king or queen with this experience at the Grand Icing Hall at the Ministry of Biscuits.

**Great Royal Gardens Afternoon Tea, Berkshire**
Seemingly a bucket-list must-visit location for much of the royal family, including every British Monarch since King George I, Cliveden House prove their royal status with an exquisite tasting menu devoted to the Crowning of the new King. Enjoy a thoughtfully curated experience equally as dazzling as the Parterre Gardens just opposite of the venue. A menu featuring florally focused treats and cakes was inspired by the royal family’s home away from home, the Sandringham house.

**Grand Saloon Afternoon Tea, London**
The Lane offers a decadent and delicious Grand Saloon Afternoon Tea, for an experience full of as much pageantry as ceremony, with an irresistible menu curated by the self-taught artisan baker, Lily Vanilli. Enjoy a glittering atmosphere of chandeliers, baroque ceilings, and exquisite art to match the exquisite taste of each pastry.
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