

LYDD TOWN COUNCIL PRESS RELEASE

On Monday, September 12th 2022 at 9 am members of the public, Councillors, Town Clerk and Town Sergeant, joined the Mayor of Lydd, Cllr Martin Sweeney, outside the Guild Hall in Lydd to witness a proclamation ceremony, to mark the declaration of King Charles III's accession to the throne.

The flag outside the Guild Hall was flown at full mast for this ceremony and then returned to half-mast.

The Mayor said:

We come together this morning following the passing of our late Sovereign, Queen Elizabeth the Second. Our sadness at this time is shared by people across the globe, as

we remember with affection and gratitude the lifetime of service given by our longest reigning Monarch.

But the basis on which our monarchy is built has ensured that through the centuries the

Crown has passed in an unbroken line of succession. Today's ceremony marks the formal

Proclamation to the people of the Town of Lydd of the beginning of our new King's reign.

On Saturday the Accession Council met at St. James's Palace to proclaim our new Sovereign.

The flags which had flown at half-mast since The Queen's death were raised to their full height to mark the start of His Majesty's reign.

The Accession Council also made an Order requiring High Sheriffs to cause the Proclamation to be read in the areas of their jurisdiction. The High Sheriff of Kent discharged that duty yesterday and now, with my humble duty, I now bring the words of the Proclamation to the residents of the Town of Lydd.

God Save the King

There were three cheers for King Charles III

The Mayor and those present, led by the Town Sergeant, made their way to the Memorial Garden in Park Street and the Mayor laid flowers on the Memorial Cross and members of the public have followed by laying their own flowers.

1914 - 1918

P.V. ADAMS
R.W. ALMO
E.L. AMBROSE
E.J. BALCOMB
H.P. BUCHHEI
C.W. BASS
C.G. BEA
A.S. BENTLEY
R.G. BRADBURY
A.W. BROWN
E.B. CHASE
E.H. CANTER
H.C. CHAMBER
W.C. CHAMBER
L.C. CLARK
L.C. CLARK

1939 - 1945

N.L. ADAMS
J.R. ADDY
I.R. BATES
C. BRAWING
E. BRIDGE
P.S. BURGETT
A. BURT
C.S. CHEESEMAN
C. FEDE
R. FEIN
L. FEINER
S. GRAY
H. GREENSTREET
W.T. HOLDSTOCK
P.H. JONES

TO THE GLORY
of GOD
IN MEMORY OF
THOSE OF THIS
BOROUGH
WHO MADE
THE SUPREME
SACRIFICE
IN THE WORLD
WARS

LIVETH

