



25 March 2019

Request

The 2008 report of the States of Jersey police has an excellent Appendix C: Honorary Police - major island duties in 2008. There was an equally excellent follow up from an FOI in [Honorary Police - major island duties in 2016](#). Please would it be possible to have a similar document produced for major island duties in 2018.

Response

Members of the Honorary Police are elected to serve the Parish and undertake [policing tasks](#) within the Parish community; in 2018 this included assistance at the May 2018 elections for States members and attending the Visites du Branchage in their Parishes.

In certain circumstances officers may assist or operate outside the Parish at island and parish events; in 2018 these included the following events but, with the exception of two parishes, the hours on duty are not held.

The major island events included:

Liberation Day	Elections – May 2018	Durrell Challenge and Durrell Dash
Festival of Motoring	Jersey Air Display	Jersey Marathon
Dance World Cup Parade	Gorey Fete	Jersey Rally
Triathlon	St Martin's Bonfire	Jersey Round Table Sleigh Run
Battle of Flowers Parade	Reasons Festival	Battle of Flowers Christmas Parade
Battle of Flowers Moonlight Parade	Weekender	Fete du Noué
Big Ride Out	Race for Life 5K and 10K run	

The Parish of St Helier estimates 1,545.3 hours duty given by members of the Honorary Police in 2018 to 23 events; the following events involved more than 40 hours:

Liberation Day May 2018 (66 hours)	Triathlon (40 hours)
Elections May 2018 (163 hours)	St Helier Fete (43.30 hours)
Festival of Motoring June 2018 (205 hours)	Jersey Air Display September 2018 (95.3 hours)
Battle of Flowers 2018 (155 hours)	Jersey Marathon October 2018 (116 hours)
Moonlight Parade August 2018 (139 hours)	Super League Triathlon (104.3 hours)
Fete Du Noue (49 hours)	Remembrance Sunday (76 hours)
St Martins Firework Display (48 hours)	Battle of Flowers Christmas Parade (51 hours)

The Parish of St Brelade has estimated 220.25 hours at 7 island/parish events with 70.25 hours spent at the Marathon; 47.25 hours at the 2018 elections and 46.25 hours at the Visite Royale (hours do not include the pre-meetings nor organisation of officers).

Other Parish events which required a significant Honorary Police presence included:

St Peter – rugby club home matches

St Saviour – levee at Government House, garden party and open garden events; Film Festival

Trinity - It's a Knockout; various events at the RJA&HS; several Durrell events