SLOGAN POSTMARKS 2013 TO 2018

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Congratulations
Henry Perry
Winner of the 2018
Wainwright Prize
UK Nature &
Travel Writing



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INTRODUCTION

I have produced annual supplements to *Slogan Postmarks* 2000 to 2012 which have been available to download from the BPS website; a lot of amendments have taken place to the earlier listings and I felt it was time to collate all the changes into one edition.

When I was finishing *Slogan Postmarks 2000 to 2012* it appeared that the number of slogans was diminishing and there would be fewer and fewer to report. However that has changed, not only with slogans from Royal Mail with the use in iLSMs from April 2014 adding further variety, but also from Guernsey, Jersey and Isle of Man where new machinery has been accompanied by a large number of slogans.

Royal Mail used to make an attempt to announce some of the new slogans although there is often a difference in design and dates of use between what was publicised and what actually appeared on the mail. Announcements tended to be made early in the morning of the day the slogan should have been landing through your letterbox. However, recently there has been virtually no publicity about the use of slogans. Late uses of slogans have continued to be listed but some are almost definitely Exceptional uses, the decrease in the amount of mail available for inspection has made identifying those uses much harder. I would be grateful to receive photocopies or scans of any date extensions that are found. As mentioned before, some 2nd class mail is processed the day after posting but is dated with the day the item was posted which means some slogan usages can appear to overlap. I have not differentiated between dates for 1st and 2nd class mail in this listing.

With the other three post offices there is little or no publicity and, surprisingly, organisations promoted by the slogans appear to have failed to announce anything. Evidently Jersey Post Office keeps no records of slogans used so Malcolm Newton's contributions have been invaluable. I am very grateful to Guernsey Post Office for permission to use the scans of their slogans. The Isle of Man Post Office have been so helpful providing information about their slogans and, again, giving permission to use the images. Mac Jarand and the IOM Postal History Society have been really helpful in reporting what was actually used.

In June 2014 Royal Mail stopped the use of IMP slogans which are only sent to one postcode area (e.g. the Doctor Who slogans 5607I-5617I). An exception is slogans specifically for Northern Ireland which is all covered by the BT postcode and some IMP slogans are still used only on mail addressed to English, Scottish or Welsh postcodes. Because iLSMs cannot change postmarks depending on the destination, they tend not to be used with slogans for a particular region. For example, the St Andrew's Day slogan (5711) was used in IMPs on mail addressed to Scotland but was not used in iLSMs, not even the Scottish ones. The slogans used in iLSMs often come in two sizes with 9 or 11 line wavy lines depending on the depth of the envelope. I have used the slogan with 9 lines for the

illustrations. The illustrations in this supplement are full size unless otherwise stated.

The dates appearing with slogans used in iLSMs can be confusing. First class mail should be processed and datestamped on the day of posting. Second class mail is processed later but again shows the date of posting. If an item of second class mail is processed at e.g. 2am on a Wednesday it will show that time code *but* Tuesday's date. Examples can be found of the Comet Landing slogan (5710) which appear to have been postmarked before the landing actually took place.

2018 was notable for errors in the slogans produced by Royal Mail. Some were fairly minor such as a missing apostrophe (5917iL) or a spelling error (5921I). With others it is extraordinary how they escaped even cursory inspection (5913iL). The most embarrassing however was 5932I announcing the winner of the Wainwright Prize for Travel and Nature Writing. As for many book awards recently, RM had a slogan prepared waiting for the announcement. The winner, announced on 2 August, was Adam Nicolson for his book The Seabird's Cry. That evening the slogan was issued announcing the winner as Henry Perry! Henry Perry was in fact the Postmark Programme Manager at RM and his name was presumably entered in a draft which was then downloaded before Adam Nicolson's name had been inserted. This shambles seemed to have lead to a pause in the issuing of slogans for a couple of months.

This listing would not have been possible without the mass of information about dates and offices provided by Patrick Awcock for which I am very grateful; also Ian Billings with his Norvic Philatelics blog has been most helpful. Other reports have been passed on by BPS members and non-members which have been invaluable - thank you all!

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Mail Centres using IMPs: (additions to the listing on P11 of *Slogan Postmarks* 2000-2012)

BS Bristol used the inscription 'BA, BS, GL, TA Mail Centre' from early 2014 after the closure of Gloucester MC. The inscription 'BA BS GL TA Taunton' was used in error at odd times in 2014.

CB Cambridge closed 10 Jan 2014

HU Hull closed Oct 2013

LE Leicestershire closed Sep 2013 but reopened for a short time in December 2013 and used the national slogans.

Inscription changed to Southampton, Portsmouth & IOW from Nov 2015 although one IMP continued using just Southampton for some months.

SY Shrewsbury closed July 2013

When Cambridge Mail Centre closed it left 21 offices using IMPs.

Additions to the list of Mail Centres using iLSMs on P10 of *Slogan Postmarks 2000 to 2012*:

South East Anglia, one machine installed seen from Dec 2015. Gatwick, one machine installed seen early 2016 Two machines installed at Greenford Bristol, one iLSM installed, earliest seen Dec 2017

Postcode slogans:

Amendments to the list on P12-13 of *Slogan Postmarks 2000 to 2012*:

Type 941

1606 Chelmsford seen Sep 2015

1621 Leeds (North & West Yorkshire) seen up to June 2018

1676 Preston (both Lancashire and Lancashire South Lakes dies) to Dec 2018

1983 Chester (bilingual town die) seen April 2015

2032 Seen from Edinburgh in May 2002

2177 Used at Truro (Cornwall) seen to Oct 2018

Be properly addressed Type 2156

Used with dated diamond die at Gatwick in Dec 2013 Used at Chester (bilingual town die) Feb 2014 Used transposed at Belfast (Northern Ireland or NIMC) seen up to May 2015

Pass on your Postcode Type 2471

Chester (bilingual) seen up to Dec 2018 Sheffield seen May 2017 Used at Southampton seen each December from 2013 to 2018

Amendments/additions to lists shown in *Collecting Slogan Postmarks* and other volumes in the *Slogan Postmarks of the UK* series:

A4 There is now confirmation that the Universal die *was* used at London Mount Pleasant

36 Seen used at Northampton 17 May 1926

Used with Telephone/Exhibition town die in Jan 1933

183 5 Jan 1951 Newbury; it is unclear whether this is an early or an Exceptional use

204 Earliest use: 30 Nov 1953 Aylesbury, Staines 3426A Used at Sheffield until at least April 2014

4039 Extend dates to 23 Dec 1989

5222I Used in one IMP at Cardiff, 11 Mar 2014 seen

A5396I Latest seen Nov 2016

5539I Used in one IMP at Newcastle, 7 Apr 2014 seen

5548I Generally used at Belfast on mail sent to addresses outside Northern Ireland until the IMPs were updated by Sep 2017; Belfast mail addressed to BT postcodes mostly used the national slogan.

Also used from October 2012 to at least Feb 2017 at Gatwick on one IMP cancelling 2^{nd} class mail from Croydon; there is no time shown.

'I' after an entry number means used with an inkjet printer in an IMP

From April 2014 'iL' means used with an inkjet printer in an iLSM

Illustrations are full size unless otherwise stated.

2013

BACK TO SCHOOL Check Royal Mail's Education Website

Check Royal Mail's Education Website

BACK TO SCHOOL

www.teacherpost.co.uk www.teacherspost.co.uk

Type 3731A

Type 3731B





Type 3737

Type 3712A

Royal Mail is supporting Prostate Cancer Awareness Month

Type 3738

Back to School (2nd use)

3731A

5600I 21 to 28 Jan

Used in IMP at about 24 offices, not used at Chester. Redrawn using different sized type and with error 'teacherpost' instead of 'teacherspost' in website address. Latest use:

31 Jan

Southampton

Back to School

3731B

5601I 28 Jan to 1 Feb

Used in IMP at about 24 offices, not used at Chester Lettering slightly larger than 5599I and with website address corrected.

The original use (5582I) continued on one IMP at Gatwick until 13 Apr 2013.

Send a card to someone special on February 14th

3737

5602I 1 to 6 Feb

Used in IMPs at about 24 offices, not used at Chester.

Special Delivery this Valentines

<u>3712A</u>

5603I 6 to 15 Feb

Used in IMPs at about 24 offices, not used at Chester. Redrawn with explanation of guarantee removed.

Prostate Cancer Awareness Month

3738

5604I 15 Feb to 5 March

Used in IMPs at about 24 offices, not used at Chester.

Mother's Day Special Delivery

<u>3714</u>

5605I 5 to 14 March

Used in IMP machines at 24 offices, not used at Chester. Same design as 5536I but only 43mm wide and slightly shallower so all lettering etc smaller.

Prostate Cancer UK (4th use)

3730A

5606I 14 March to 3 Oct

Used in IMPs at all 25 offices.

Interrupted for individual items during the weeks 26 March to 2 April and 9 to 15 May, see 5607I to 5628I below.

Used in error:

11 Oct Preston 5 Nov 2013 to 10 Mar 2014

used continuously on one IMP at Bristol. This use overlapped with the 5th and 6th uses of the slogan (5657I, 5670I)

In addition used in three different Bristol IMPs for various dates from 14 to 18 Nov

<u>Celebrating 50 years of Doctor Who</u> 26 March to 2 April

Used on mail processed in IMPs and addressed **to** the actor's home town

The slogans coincided with the issue of Royal Mail's set of Doctor Who stamps on 26 March.

Because of the way these slogans were used, it is not known which IMP offices used them; the dates of use included the Easter weekend where little or no mail would have been processed.

The illustrations are based on the specimens produced by Royal Mail; the only Doctor Who slogans reported are two copies of Type 3747 which do seem to be identical to the specimen.

Celebrating 50 years of Doctor Who William Hartnell First Doctor 1963–1966

Type 3739

Celebrating 50 years of Doctor Who Patrick Troughton Second Doctor 1966-1969

Type 3740

Celebrating 50 years of Doctor Who Jon Pertwee Third Doctor 1970-1974

Type 3741

Celebrating 50 years of Doctor Who Tom Baker Fourth Doctor 1974-1981

Type 3742

Celebrating 50 years of Doctor Who Peter Davidson Fifth Doctor 1981-1984

Type 3743

Celebrating 50 years of Doctor Who Colin Baker Sixth Doctor 1984-1986

Type 3744

Celebrating 50 years of Doctor Who Sylvester McCoy Seventh Doctor 1987-1989, 1996

Type 3745

Celebrating 50 years of Doctor Who Paul McGann Eighth Doctor 1996

Type 3746

Celebrating 50 years of Doctor Who Christopher Eccleston Ninth Doctor 2005

Type 3747

Celebrating 50 years of Doctor Who David Tennant Tenth Doctor 2005–2010

Type 3748

Celebrating 50 years of Doctor Who Matt Smith Eleventh Doctor 2010 to date

Type 3749

	William Hartnell	<u>3739</u>
5607I	Used on IMP mail addressed to St Pancras N	JW1
	Patrick Troughton	<u>3740</u>
5608I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Mill Hill NV	<i>N</i> 7
	John Pertwee	<u>3741</u>
5609I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Chelsea SW	3
	Tom Baker	<u>3742</u>
5610I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Liverpool L	*
	Peter Davidson	<u>3743</u>
5611I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Knaphill GU	J21
	Colin Baker	<u>3744</u>
5612I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Rochdale O	L11
	Sylvester McCoy	<u>3745</u>
5613I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Dunoon PA	23
	Paul McGann	<u>3746</u>
5614I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Liverpool L	*
	Christopher Eccleston	<u>3747</u>
5615I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Salford M	
	David Tennant	<u>3748</u>
5616I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Paisley PA1	
	Matt Smith	<u>3749</u>
5617I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Northampto	n NN5
* As there were two slogans for Liverpool postcodes, they were		

switched half way through.

Football Heroes Stamps 9 to 15 May

Used on mail processed in IMPs and addressed **to** the footballer's home town – or, in the case of John Barnes who was born in Jamaica, his first UK club. The slogans appear not to have been used in the Gatwick IMPs.

The slogans coincided with the issue of Royal Mail's set of Football Heroes stamps.

Only about half the images have been seen on live mail so the others are reconstructions from the specimen images produced by Royal Mail.

Football Heroes stamps
Celebrating 150 years
of Association Football
Gordon Banks

Type 3750

Football Heroes stamps
Celebrating 150 years
of Association Football
John Barnes

Type 3751

Football Heroes stamps
Celebrating 150 years
of Association Football
George Best

Type 3752

Football Heroes stamps
Celebrating 150 years
of Association Football
John Charles

Type 3753

Football Heroes stamps
Celebrating 150 years
of Association Football
Bobby Charlton

Type 3754

Football Heroes stamps Celebrating 150 years of Association Football Jimmy Greaves

Type 3755

Football Heroes stamps Celebrating 150 years of Association Football Kevin Keegan

Type 3756

Football Heroes stamps
Celebrating 150 years
of Association Football
Denis Law

Type 3757

Football Heroes stamps Celebrating 150 years of Association Football Dave Mackay

Type 3758

Football Heroes stamps Celebrating 150 years of Association Football Bobby Moore

Type 3759

Football Heroes stamps Celebrating 150 years of Association Football Bryan Robson

Type 3760

	Gordon Banks 3750
5618I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Sheffield
	John Barnes 3751
5619I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Watford
	George Best 3752
5620I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Belfast
	<u>John Charles</u> <u>3753</u>
5621I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Swansea
	Bobby Charlton 3754
5622I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Ashington NE63
	Jimmy Greaves 3755
5623I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Manor Park E12
	Kevin Keegan 3756
5624I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Doncaster DN3
	Denis Law 3757
5625I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Aberdeen AB10-13, 15,
	16, 21-5
	Dave Mackay 3758
5626I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Edinburgh
	Bobby Moore 3759
5627I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Barking IG11
	Brian Robson 3760
5628I	Used on IMP mail addressed to Chester-le-Street DH2,3

<u>Finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design</u> <u>Competition</u>

Used in IMPs at all offices; 5651I and 5652I were used on mail to addresses in Wales.

Each slogan was used for one day, or two days for those starting on a Friday. As usual, slogans were not changed over at midnight so use at some time on the following day is not unusual.

The competition was open to children aged 4 to 11 and the theme was 'What does the Christmas season mean to you?' Two finalists from each of twelve regions were chosen and the two winning designs were issued on 5 November – see 5653I and 5654I.

	Molly Robson from Horsham	3761
5629I	3 Oct	
	Natacha Simpson from Wandsworth	3762
5630I	4 to 5 Oct	

Olivia Heller from Tunbridge Wells 3763

5631I	7 Oct	
	Latest use:	
	12 Nov Leeds	
	Tia Dann from Bamber Bridge	<u>3764</u>
5632I	8 Oct	<u>5701</u>
	Adil Hanney from Blackburn	3765
5633I	9 Oct	
	Niall Conn from Armagh	<u>3766</u>
5634I	10 Oct	
	Corin McCrea from Holywood	<u>3767</u>
5635I	11 to 12 Oct	27.69
5636I	Faye Hughes from Darlington 14 Oct	<u>3768</u>
30301	Rowan McAlpine Berwick-on-Tweed	3769
5637I	15 Oct	<u>3707</u>
20271	Finn Alexander from Taunton	<u>3770</u>
5638I	16 Oct	
	Rosie Hargreaves from Devon	<u>3771</u>
5639I	17 Oct	
	Archie Hilton from Banchory	<u>3772</u>
5640I	18 to 19 Oct	2772
5641I	Danielle Lockie Newtown St Boswells 21 Oct	<u>3773</u>
30411	Kristina Pavic from Sheffield	<u>3774</u>
5642I	22 Oct	<u>3114</u>
	Thomas Donaldson from Hull	<u>3775</u>
5643I	23 Oct	
	Daniel Payne from Rainham	<u>3776</u>
5644I	24 Oct	
5 C 45T	Thomas Gaynham from Chelmsford	<u>3777</u>
5645I	25 to 26 Oct	2770
5646I	Ava Reynolds from Norwich 28 Oct	<u>3778</u>
30401	Ethan Mahal from Derby	3779
5647I	29 Oct	<u>5117</u>
	Morgan Spink from Newark	3780
5648I	30 Oct	
	Oliver Miller from Oswestry	<u>3781</u>
5649I	31 Oct	
# < # O ¥	Fred Egerton Newcastle-under-Lyme	<u>3782</u>
5650I		
	The lettering on this slogan was slightly smarrest of the series.	aller than the
	Latest use:	
	8 Nov Wolverhampton	

Molly Robson from Horsham A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3761

Olivia Heller from Royal Tunbridge Wells A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3763

Natacha Simpson from Wandsworth A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3762

Tia Dann from Bamber Bridge A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3764

Adil Hanney from Blackburn A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3765

Corin McCrea from Holywood A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3767

Rowan McAlpine from Berwick-upon-Tweed A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3769

Rosie Hargreaves from Devon A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3771

Danielle Lockie from Newtown St. Boswells A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3773

Thomas Donaldson from Hull A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3775

Thomas Gaynham from Chelmsford A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3777

Ethan Mahal from Derby A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3779

Niall Conn from Armagh A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3766

Faye Hughes from Darlington A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3768

Finn Alexander from Taunton A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3770

Archie Hilton from Banchory A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3772

Kristina Pavic from Sheffield A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3774

Daniel Payne from Rainham A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3776

Ava Reynolds from Norwich A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type3778

Morgan Spink from Newark A finalist in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3780

С	Oliver Miller from Oswestry A finalist in Royal Mail's hristmas Stamp sign Competition	Fred Egerton Newcastle-unde A finalist i Royal Mall Christmas St Design Compe	r-Lyme n 's amp
	Type 3781	Type 3782	
Fina	Jayden Roberts & Nicole Murphy from Wales dists in Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp esign Competition	Jayden Robe & Nicole Mur o Gymru rhestr fer Cystac Dylunio Stamp N Post Brenhi	phy lleuaeth adolig y
	Type 3783	Type 3'	
5651I 5652I	Jayden Roberts & Nico 3 to 17 Oct Jayden Roberts & Nico 18 Oct to 4 Nov		3783 3784
Congratulations to Molly Robson Winner of Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition Congratulations to Rosie Hargreaves Winner of Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition			
	Type 3785	Type 3'	786
	Winner of Royal Mail's	s Christmas Stamp D	<u>esign</u>
	Competition Molly Robson		<u>3785</u>
5653I	4 to 11 Nov Rosie Hargreaves		3786
5654I	11 to 18 Nov	22 65	<u>5755</u>
	Used in error (5653I):	nford (5654I) ford IMP1 having use ov nford	ed 5654I on
5655I	Royal Mail supports M 18 Nov to 2 Dec	ovember (3 rd use)	<u>3732</u>
		st on 2 different mac oridge nford	
5656I	Royal Mail supports M 18 Nov to 2 Dec	ovember (bilingual)	(3 rd use) 3733
50501	Used in IMPs at about 2	22 offices.	
5657I	Prostate Cancer UK (5th 2 to 9 Dec	h use)	<u>3730A</u>

Used in IMPs at about 22 offices.

For late use see 5606I.

Note: for the non-IMP Christmas designs below, 2-24 Dec are the assumed dates of use although some have only been seen for a short time in December.

A card makes everyone's Christmas (1996 design)

5658 2 to 24 Dec

Two dies used at Chelmsford (South East Anglia).

Happy Christmas please post early (no lines at right)

5659 2 to 24 Dec Used at Chelmsford, Preston (two Lancashire South Lakes dies) and Plymouth (Plymouth Cornwall & W Devon). Also used with dated diamond at Gatwick.

> Happy Christmas please post early (lines at right) 2890A

5660 2 to 24 Dec

> Used at Croydon, Inverness, Preston (two Lancashire South Lakes dies) and Stromness.

Happy Christmas please post early (bilingual)

2891

5661 2 to 24 Dec

Used at Chester (bilingual town die).

A Happy Christmas The Post Office 1278

5662 2 to 24 Dec

> Used at Chelmsford and Gatwick (also with dated diamond at Gatwick).

Happy Christmas (1988 Welsh tree design) 2672

5663 2 to 24 Dec

Two dies used at Chester (bilingual town die).

Post Early for Christmas (candle) 169

5564 2 to 24 Dec

Used at Leeds (North & West Yorkshire).

<u>3354</u> Season's Greetings

5665 2 to 31 Dec

Used at Inverness.

It's Christmas time! Last posting dates 1st class 20 December 2nd class 18 December

1843 - 2013 Celebrating 170 years of A Christmas Carol

Type 3787

Type 3788

Last posting dates for Christmas 1st Class 20th December Special Delivery 23rd December

1843-2013 Celebrating 170th anniversary of the first Christmas card sent

3787

Type 3789 Type 3790

It's Christmas time Last posting dates

5666I 9 to 16 Dec

Used in IMPs at about 23 offices.

1843 - 2013 170 years of A Christmas Carol 3788

5667I 16 to 18 Dec

Used in IMPs at about 23 offices.

Commemorating the publication of the book by Charles Dickens.

Last posting dates 1st class Special Delivery 3789

5668I 18 to 21 Dec

Used in IMPs at about 22 offices.

170th Anniversary of the first Christmas card 3790

5669I 21 to 30 Dec

Used in IMPs at about 22 offices.

The first Christmas cards were commissioned by Sir Henry Cole and illustrated by John Callcott Horsley in 1843. Cole was an assistant to Sir Rowland Hill and helped introduce the Penny Post.

Royal Mail supports
PROSTATE
CANCER UK

Delivering first class

care for men

Royal Mail supports

PROSTATE CANCER UK

Delivering first class care for men



With 9 wavy lines Type 3730A iLSM With 11 wavy lines

The two sizes of iLSM slogans occur with the 9 and 11 wavy line cancellations - the latter used on deeper envelopes.

In general, illustrations of slogans used in iLSMs will be of the 9 line version unless there are significant differences between the two.

Prostate Cancer UK (6th use)

3730A

5670I 30 Dec to 20 Sep 2014

Used in IMPs at all offices; interrupted for individual items and for national campaigns at many times during this period.

5670iL 17 April 2014 initially to 27 June but again used as a 'filler' slogan after that until 6 Sep.

Used in iLSMs at all offices starting with Swindon and in general use at all offices by 6 May; interrupted for other slogans such as 5688iL at Norwich and Peterborough and nationally for slogans 5691iL onwards.

Used in error (both IMP) 31 Oct 2014 Gatwick 7 Nov 2014 Newcastle

Celebrating the birth of Charles Dickens 1812 - 1870

Type 3791

Happy St. Patrick's Day 2014

Type 3793

Dydd Gŵyl Dewi hapus 2014 Happy St David's Day 2014

Type 3792

Don't forget Mother's Day Sunday 30th March

Type 3794

Dathlu bywyd Dylan Thomas Stampiau Bywydau Hynod 1914–1953

Type 3795

Celebrating the life of Roy Plomley Remarkable Lives Stamps 1914–1985

Type 3796

Celebrating the life of Noorunissa Inayat Khan Remarkable Lives Stamps 1914–1944

Type 3797

Celebrating the life of Dylan Thomas Remarkable Lives Stamps 1914–1953

Type 3798

Celebrating the life of Sir Alec Guinness Remarkable Lives Stamps 1914–2000

Type 3799

years of the Postcode 1974 - 2014

Type 3800

Dathlu deugain mlwyddiant y cod post 1974 - 2014

Type 3801





homecomingscotland.com

9 line

Type 3802

11 line

Happy Saint George's Day 2014 Giro d'Italia Big Start 9 – 11 May 2014

Type 3803

Type 3804

Celebrating the birth of Charles Dickens

3791

5671I 24 Feb to 8 March

Used in IMPs on mail sent to addresses with PO (Portsmouth area) postcodes.

Happy St David's Day 2014

3792

5672I 28 Feb only

Used in IMPs on mail sent to addresses in Wales. The slogan was used on first and second class mail; the latter of course not delivered until after St David's Day (1st March).

Happy St Patrick's Day 2014

<u>3793</u>

5673I 14 and 15 March

> Used in IMPs on mail sent to addresses in Northern Ireland (see 5672I).

In 2014 St Patrick's Day (17th March) was a Monday.

Mother's Day 30th March

3794

5674I 24 to 29 March

Used in IMPs at about 21 offices

Also see 5675-7I which were in use during this period.

Remarkable Lives Dylan Thomas (Welsh) 3795

24 to 29 March 5675I

Used in IMPs on mail addressed to Wales.

Dylan Thomas was born in Swansea. His best known work is the radio drama Under Milk Wood and his poetry includes Do Not Go Gentle into That Good Night.

This was the first of a series of slogans connected with the March 2014 Remarkable Lives stamp issue which commemorated ten people born in 1914. Initially the slogans were used in IMPs on mail addressed to particular postcode areas or regions connected with the person concerned and were, apart from Dylan Thomas whose birthday was in October, used at the time of the centenary of their birth. Later slogans in the series were used nationally and

See also 5676-9, 5687, 5689, 5696, 5698, 5702 and 5706.

Remarkable Lives Roy Plomley

3796

5676I 24 to 29 March

> Used in IMPs on mail addressed to the KT (Kingstonupon-Thames) postcode area.

In 1942, Roy Plomley created Desert Island Discs which is the UK's longest running radio entertainment show.

Remarkable Lives Noorunissa Inayat Khan 3797 Ε

5677I 24 to 29 March

postcodes.

Used in IMPs on mail addressed to London WC1

Noorunissa Inayat Khan was born in Moscow. She worked as a wireless officer for the British Special Operations Executive in Paris during 1943 but was betraved and arrested. She was executed at Dachau in September 1944. She was posthumously awarded the French Croix de Guerre and was one of only three women to receive the British George Cross during the Second World War.

Remarkable Lives Dylan Thomas (English) 3798

31 March to 5 April 5678I

3800

Used in IMPs on mail addressed to Wales. See 5675I above

Remarkable Lives Sir Alec Guinness 3799

5679I 1 to 7 Apr

> Used in IMPs on mail addressed to London W9 postcodes.

> Sir Alec Guinness first acted on screen in 1946 in Great Expectations. He won an Oscar in 1957 and then an Academy Honorary Award in 1979.

40 years of the Postcode

7 to 12 April 5680I

> Used in IMPs at about 20 offices, not used at Carlisle. For use in iLSMs, see 5688iL.

40 years of the Postcode (Welsh) 3801

5681I 7 to 12 April Used, presumably, in the same IMPs as 5680I on mail addressed to Wales.

It was 40 years since the allocation of postcodes to every town in Britain was completed.

Homecoming Scotland (1st use) 3802

5682iL 14 Apr to 2 May

Used in iLSMs at the Scottish offices, Aberdeen, Edinburgh, Glasgow; announced as ending on 30 April. Homecoming Scotland was a year-long programme of events celebrating Scotland.

This was the first use of slogans in iLSMs since the Jubilee Mail Centre trials in 2009-10.

Saint George's Day

3803

3804

5683I 22 April

> Used in most IMPs on mail addressed to English postcodes; not used at Belfast, Carlisle or Manchester. The specimen shown in Royal Mail publicity for this slogan had 'St' instead of 'Saint' in the design.

Giro d'Italia

5684I 2 to 10 May

> The official announcement said the slogan would be used on all locally stamped mail due for delivery in the week but it was also used in mainland Mail Centres' IMPs on mail addressed to Northern Ireland.

> Giro d'Italia is a cycle race, it started in Belfast on 9 May and the route passed through Northern Ireland and onto Dublin on 11 May before continuing in Italy.

Well done to Congratulations to Royal Mail Group Royal Mail Group employees for raising employees for raising £2 million for £2 million for Prostate Cancer UK **Prostate Cancer UK**

> Type 3805 Type 3805A

Congratulations Royal Mail employees

5685I 12 and 13 May seen

Only reported from Birmingham, Gatwick, Greenford, Leeds and Preston; one IMP each.

Well done Royal Mail employees 3805A

5686I 13 to 27 May

> Used in IMPs in 19 offices; not used at Carlisle or Manchester.

> Interrupted for individual items, see 5687I and 5689I below.

Remarkable Lives Max Perutz 3806

5687I 16 to 22 May

> Used in IMPs on mail addressed to CB (Cambridge area) postcodes.

> Max Perutz devoted most of his working life to the study of haemoglobin. For demonstrating how X-ray crystallography could be used to determine protein structure, he shared the 1962 Nobel Prize for Chemistry.

Celebrating 40 years of the Postcode 1974 - 2014

Type 3800 (iLSM)

Celebrating the life of Max Perutz Remarkable Lives Stamps 1914–2002

Celebrating the life of Barbara Ward Remarkable Lives Stamps 1914–1981

Type 3806

Type 3807

40 years of the Postcode

3800

5688iL 19 to 24 May

Used in iLSMs at Norwich (19 to 23 May) and Peterborough (to 24 May) in two sizes; other offices continued with the Prostate Cancer UK slogan (5670iL). These two offices were used as Norwich pioneered the use of postcodes in the UK and second class Norwich mail is cancelled at Peterborough. No Saturday mail is cancelled at Norwich. There was no Welsh version of the slogan used in the iLSMs.

Also see 5680I.

Remarkable Lives Barbara Ward

3807

5689I 22 to 28 May

Used in IMPs on mail addressed to YO31 postcodes. Barbara Ward was an economist who helped to inspire the European Union and was a pioneer of global environmental issues.

200th anniversary of Lord's Cricket Ground 3808

5690I 16 to 23 June

Used in IMPs in about 18 offices; not used at Belfast, Carlisle or Manchester.

Originally announced as being used on mail addressed to London NW8 but was used nationally. There was no iLSM version of this slogan.

It appears that Royal Mail finally realised that postmarks being used only on mail to one postcode area were being seen by very few people and a decision was made at the last minute to extend this slogan to national use.

Dog Awarreness (sic) Week

3809

5691iL 30 June to 2 July

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes; the spelling mistake, which did not occur in the IMP cancellation, was corrected during the week (see 5692iL below).

Celebrating the 200th anniversary of Lord's Cricket Ground 1814 - 2014 Dog Awarreness
Week 2014
Help us reduce dog
attacks on postal workers
Get advice & tips
www.royalmail.com

Type 3809

Type 3808

Dog Awareness Week 2014 elp us reduce dog

Help us reduce dog attacks on postal workers Get advice & tips www.royalmail.com Dog Awareness
Week 2014
Help us reduce dog
attacks on postal workers
Get advice & tips
www.royalmail.com

IMP

Type 3809A

iLSM

Yorkshire Grand Départ Tour de France 2014

Yorkshire Grand Départ Tour de France 2014

IMP

Type 3810

iLSM





IMP

Type 3811

iLSM

Glasgow 2014

XX Commonwealth Games

July 23 - August 3 2014

Type 3812

Celebrating the life of Abram Games Remarkable Lives Stamps 1914–1996

Type 3813 IMP

Celebrating the life of Abram Games Remarkable Lives Stamps 1914 - 1996

Type 3813 iLSM

Lest We Forget Commemorating the First World War Lest We Forget Commemorating the First World War 1914 - 1918

1914 - 1918 IMP

Type 3814

iLSM

Dog Awareness Week

5692I 30 June to 4 July

Used in IMPs at up to 19 offices; not used at Carlisle or Manchester.

5692iL 1 to 3 July

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes and with the spelling corrected.

Royal Mail wanted to encourage responsible dog ownership and appealed to dog owners to keep animals under control when a postman called. On average there were about nine dog attacks a day on postal workers delivering mail and the number was increasing.

Yorkshire Tour de France 2014

3810

3809A

5693I 4 to 5 July

Used in IMPs at most offices

5693iL 3 to 5 July

Used in iLSMs; the 9 and 11 wavy line versions were both the same size for this slogan.

The 2014 Tour de France started in Leeds on 5 July.

Commonwealth Games Glasgow 2014 (logo) 3811

5694I 14 to 26 July

Used in IMPs at up to 19 offices; not used at Carlisle or Manchester.

5694iL 14 to 25 July

Used in iLSMs with 11 wavy line cancel (for 9 line, see below).

Latest use:

14 Aug Birmingham (IMP) 31 July Glasgow (iLSM)

Glasgow 2014 XX Commonwealth Games 3812

5695iL 14 to 25 July

Used in iLSMs with 9 wavy line cancels.

5694/5 were announced as being "carried on all stamped and franked mail across the UK until August 3" (a Sunday) which was the last day of the Games. No starting date was given.

Latest use:

31 July Glasgow

Remarkable Lives Abram Games 3813

5696I 28 July to 4 Aug

Used in IMPs at about 17 offices; not used at Carlisle or Manchester. Birmingham and Newcastle continued using 5694I.

5696iL 28 July to 1 Aug

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes, probably not used at Glasgow (late use of 5694/5).

This was the first in the Remarkable Lives series to be used nationally and the first to be used in iLSMs. The slogan was originally announced as being used in IMPs only on mail addressed to the London E1 postcode area. Abram Games trained as a commercial artist and became the only official War Office Poster Artist in World War 2.

Lest we forget First World War 1914-1918 3814

5697I 4 to 8 Aug

Used in IMPs at about 17 offices; not used at Carlisle or Manchester. Birmingham and Newcastle continued using 5694I.

5697iL 1 to 7 Aug

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes; announced as ending 8 Aug but no start date given.

Remarkable Lives Joe Mercer 3815

5698I 8 to 14 Aug

Used in IMPs at about 17 offices; not used at Carlisle or Manchester. Birmingham and Newcastle continued using 5694I.

5698iL 8 to 14 Aug

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

The slogan was originally announced as being used in IMPs only on mail addressed to the CH (Chester) postcode area.

Joe Mercer was a footballer who played for England, Everton and Arsenal. He went on to manage Sheffield United, Aston Villa and Manchester City, leading City to victory in the FA Cup, European Cup Winners' Cup and Football League Cup.

Latest use:

23 Aug Leeds

Celebrating the life of Joe Mercer Remarkable Lives Stamps 1914–1990

Type 3815 IMP

Celebrating the life of Joe Mercer Remarkable Lives Stamps 1914 - 1990

Type 3815 iLSM

Please remember to write the postcode clearly Please remember to write the postcode clearly

IMP

Type 3716A

iLSM

Celebrating the Invictus Games September 10th - 14th 2014

Celebrating the Invictus Games September 10th - 14th 2014

IMP

Type 3816

iLSM



Type 3817

Please remember to write the postcode clearly 3716A

5699I 8 Sep

Used in IMPs; last general use was in 2011 (see 5539I). This version is wider and shallower than before.

5699iL 8 Sep

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes; this was the first use in iLSMs.

5548I continued in use in several IMPs and on mail from Belfast that was not addressed to Northern Ireland postcodes.

<u>Invictus Games</u>

<u>3816</u>

5700I 9 to 15 Sep

Used in IMPs at about 19 offices; not used at Carlisle or Manchester.

5700iL 9 to 13 Sep

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

The Invictus Games were for wounded, injured and sick servicemen and women from different countries.

Ryder Cup Gleneagles 2014 (first use)

3817

5701I 15 to 19 Sep

Used in IMPs at about 19 offices; not used at Carlisle or Manchester.

5701iL 15 to 18 Sep

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

The IMP and iLSM slogans are the same design, the iLSM cancel is slightly larger.

Remarkable Lives Kenneth More

3818

5702iL 19 to 20 Sep

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

The slogan was originally announced as being used in IMPs on mail addressed to SL9 postcodes from 19 Sep for a week. With the change to using the slogans nationally this clashed with the Ryder Cup slogan (5701). In fact the slogan was only used in iLSMs and Prostate UK (5670I) was used in IMPs for the two days instead. Kenneth More was an actor who played Second World War pilot Douglas Bader in Reach for the Sky.

Ryder Cup Gleneagles 2014 (second use) 3817

5703I 22 to 29 Sep

Used in IMPs at about 19 offices; not used at Carlisle or Manchester.

5703iL 22 to 26 Sep Used in iLSMs.

Royal Mail proudly supports Stroke Association 3819

5704iL 27 Sep to 12 Nov

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes, replaced by 5705iL below.

Royal Mail proud to support Stroke association 3820

5705I 29 Sep 2014 to 5 April 2017 Used in IMPs at all offices.

5705iL 20 Nov 2014 to 29 March 2017

Used in all iLSMs in two different sizes.

5704/5 were 'filler' slogans. They were initially used to 4 Oct and then again later in the month.

Royal Mail employees voted for the Stroke Association to be their chosen Charity of the Year replacing Prostate Cancer UK.

5705I Latest use:

4 May 2018 Cardiff (IMP)

Remarkable Lives Joan Littlewood 3821

5706I 4 to 11 Oct

Used in IMPs at about 19 offices; not used at Carlisle or Manchester.

5706iL 3 to 10 Oct

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

The slogan was originally announced as being used in IMPs only on mail addressed to the London SW9 postcode area which includes Stockwell where she was born.

Joan Littlewood was an influential theatre director.

<u>Homecoming Scotland</u> (2nd use) <u>3802A</u>

5707I 13 Oct seen

Used in IMPs on mail addressed to Scottish postcodes.

5707iL 13 to 14 Oct

Used in iLSMs at the Scottish offices Aberdeen, Edinburgh and Glasgow; the 9 line version is without the website. Used for the first time in IMPs.

The slogan was originally scheduled to have been used throughout October in the Scottish iLSMs, but a later announcement gave dates of 13 to 15 October and 20 to 25 October (see 5709iL). 5705I was used on IMP mail to other addresses and 5704iL by non-Scottish iLSMs.

Celebrating the life of Kenneth More Remarkable Lives Stamps 1914 - 1982

Type 3818

Royal Mail Proudly supports

Stroke

Type 3819

Royal Mail proud to support

Royal Mail proud to support

association

IMP

Type 3820

iLSM

Celebrating the life of Joan Littlewood Remarkable Lives Stamps 1914–2002

Type 3821 IMP

Celebrating the life of Joan Littlewood Remarkable Lives Stamps 1914 - 2002

Type 3821 iLSM





homecomingscotland.com

IMP & iLSM 9 line Type 3802A iLSM 11 line

Congratulations to Richard Flanagan winner of the 2014 Man Booker Prize Congratulations to Richard Flanagan winner of the 2014 Man Booker Prize

IMP Type 3822 iLSM

Richard Flanagan winner Man Booker Prize 3822

5708I 14 to 17 Oct

Used in IMPs at about 18 offices, not used at Belfast, Carlisle or Manchester.

5708iL 14 to 17 Nov

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

The Man Booker Prize is a literary award for the best English language novel published in the UK that year.

Latest use

22 Oct

Edinburgh (iLSM)

Celebrating the first ever landing on a comet. Congratulations to the European Space Agency

Type 3823 iLSM

Celebrating the first ever landing on a comet. Congratulations to the European Space Agency

Type 3823 IMP

Happy Saint Andrew's Day 2014

Type 3824

Homecoming Scotland (3rd use)

3802A

5709iL 20 to 23 Oct seen

Used in iLSMs at Aberdeen and Glasgow in two different sizes; Edinburgh continued using 5708iL No reports of use in IMPs have been received

Celebrating first ever landing on a comet

3823

5710I 12 to 20 Nov

Used in IMPs at all 21 offices.

5710iL 12 to 19 Nov

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

The European Space Agency's 10 year Rosetta mission to land on the comet 67P/Churyumov-Gerasimenko was successful when the Philae lander touched down on 12 November.

The practice of postmarking 2nd class mail with the date of posting but processing it the next morning means that iLSM impressions of this slogan can be found which appear to be postmarked before Philae landed!

St Andrew's Day

3824

5711I 28 Nov

Used in IMPs on mail addressed to Scottish postcodes. There was no version used in iLSMs in spite of an announcement that the slogan would appear on all stamped and franked mail in the UK on Saturday 29 November (i.e. delivered that day).

Note: for the non-inkjet Christmas designs below, 1-24 Dec are the assumed dates of use although some have only been seen for a short time in December.

What will you send this Christmas? (holly) 3586

5712 1 to 24 Dec

Two dies used at Edinburgh.

What will you send this Christmas? (present) 3552

5713 1 to 24 Dec

Used at Swindon.

A card makes everyone's Christmas 3499

5714 1 to 24 Dec

Used at Chelmsford.

Happy Christmas please post early (no lines at right)

5715 1 to 24 Dec

Used at Chelmsford (2), Leeds (North & West Yorkshire) (2), Preston (Lancashire South Lakes) (2) and Plymouth (Plymouth Cornwall & W Devon).

Happy Christmas please post early (lines at right)
2890A

5716 1 to 24 Dec

Used at Stromness and 2 dies at Preston (Lancashire).

A Happy Christmas The Post Office 1278

5717 1 to 27 Dec

Used at Inverness (City of Inverness).

Happy Christmas (1988 Welsh tree design) 2672

5718 1 to 24 Dec

Used at Chester (bilingual town die).

Post Early for Christmas (candle) 169

5719 1 to 24 Dec

Used at Leeds (North & West Yorkshire).

Season's Greetings 3354

5720 1 to 24 Dec

Used at Inverness.

It's Christmas time!

Last posting dates

1st Class - 20th December

2nd Class - 18th December



Type 3787 iLSM

It's Christmas time Last posting dates 3787

5721I 6 to 19 Dec

Used in IMPs at all offices.

5721iL 7 to 19 Dec

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes; this was the first use of the slogan in iLSMs.

Earliest use:

5 Dec Southampton (IMP)

The Stroke Association slogans 5705I and iL were used for the rest of the year.

2015

In general, when no other slogan was in use, machines reverted to the Stroke slogan 5705I/iL.

A few IMP machines continued with the postcode slogan 5548I as did all mail from Belfast (Northern Ireland) sent outside the province.

Celebrating **Burns Night** January 25

Celebrating **Burns Night** January 25

IMP

Type 3825

iLSM

Dydd Santes Dwynwen Ionawr 25 St Dwynwen's Day January 25



Type 3826

Type 3737 iLSM

Happy Chinese **New Year** 2015

Happy Chinese New Year 2015 春节快乐

春节快乐

IMP

Type 3827

iLSM

Celebrating Burns Night

3825

5722I 23 Jan seen

Used in IMPs on mail addressed to Scottish postcodes

5722iL 22 to 24 Jan

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes at the Scottish offices, Aberdeen, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

St Dwynwen's Day

3826

5723I 22 and 23 Jan seen

Used in IMPs on mail addressed to Welsh postcodes; not used in iLSMs.

St Dwynwen is the Welsh equivalent of St Valentine.

Send a card to someone special on February 14th

3737

5724I 7 to 14 Feb

Used in IMPs at about 21 offices

5724iL 9 to 14 Feb

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes; this is the first use of the slogan in iLSMs

Latest use:

16 Feb Southampton (IMP)

Happy Chinese New Year

3827

5725I 18 and 19 Feb

Used in IMPs at about 21 offices

5725iL 17 and 18 Feb

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Latest use:

25 Feb Bristol (IMP)

Inventive Britain Stamps Catseyes **Percy Shaw**

IMP

Type 3828

iLSM

Inventive Britain Stamps Stainless Steel Harry Brearley

IMP

Type 3829

Stamps Stainless Steel Harry Brearley

Inventive Britain

Inventive Britain

Stamps

Catseyes

Percy Shaw

iLSM

Inventive Britain Stamps **DNA Sequencing** Frederick Sanger

IMP

Inventive Britain Stamps **DNA Sequencing** Frederick Sanger

Inventive Britain

Stamps

Fibre Optics

Charles Kao + George Hockham

iLSM

Type 3830 iLSM

Inventive Britain Stamps **Fibre Optics** Charles Kao + George Hockham

IMP

Type 3831

Inventive Britain Stamps Carbon Fibre

William Watt

IMP

Type 3832

Stamps Carbon Fibre William Watt

Inventive Britain

iLSM

Inventive Britain Stamps i-limb **David Gow**

IMP

Type 3833

Inventive Britain Stamps i-limb David Gow

iLSM

Inventive Britain Stamps Colossus Tommy Flowers

IMP

Type 3834

Inventive Britain Stamps Colossus Tommy Flowers

iLSM

Inventive Britain Stamps World Wide Web Tim Berners-Lee

IMP

Inventive Britain Stamps

Type 3835

Stamps World Wide Web Tim Berners-Lee

Inventive Britain

iLSM

The slogans (5726-33) were used for one day each in connection with the set of eight stamps issued by Royal Mail on 19 Feb.

All of the slogans used in iLSMs appear in two different sizes and, because of the way 2nd class mail is handled (see Introduction). all the iLSM slogans used Tuesday to Saturday can be found dated one day earlier.

5726I 5726iL	Catseyes Percy Shaw 19 Feb 18 to 19 Feb Latest use: 25 Feb Peterborough (iLSM)	3828
5727I 5727iL	Stainless Steel Harry Brearley 20 Feb 19 to 20 Feb Latest use: 26 Feb Peterborough (iLSM)	<u>3829</u>
5728I 5728iL	DNA Sequencing Frederick Sanger 21 Feb 20 to 21 Feb	<u>3830</u>
5729I 5729iL		ham 3831
5730I 5730iL	Carbon Fibre William Watt 24 Feb 23 to 24 Feb	3832
5731I 5731iL	<u>i-Limb David Gow</u> 25 Feb 24 to 25 Feb	<u>3833</u>
5732I 5732iL	Colossus Tommy Flowers 26 Feb 25 to 26 Feb	<u>3834</u>
5733I 5733iL	World Wide Web Tim Berners-Lee 27 Feb 26 to 27 Feb	<u>3835</u>

An unusual iLSM error where one or more of the lines of type appear in a smaller font has been seen occasionally from Glasgow during 2015 and other offices later in the year and into 2016.

Inventive Britain

Stamps

Carbon Fibre

William Watt

Type 3832 iLSM error used at Glasgow

GREAT Festival of Creativity Shanghai 2 - 4 March 2015 "创意英伦"盛典

2015年3月2日-4日

GREAT Festival of Creativity Shanghai 2 - 4 March 2015 "创意英伦"经典 2015年3月2日-4日

IMP

Type 3836

iLSM

British Bridges Stamp Issue March 5th 2015



British Bridges

IMP

Type 3837

iLSM

Don't forget Mother's Day Sunday March 15th

Don't forget Mother's Day Sunday March 15th

IMP

Type 3838

iLSM

British Science Week 13 - 22 March 2015 #britishscienceweek

Type 3839 IMP

British Science Week 13 - 22 March 2015

www.britishscienceweek.org

Type 3839 iLSM

500th anniversary Hampton Court Palace

Type 3840

CELEBRATING BRITAIN'S COMEDY GREATS WITH ROYAL MAIL SPECIAL STAMPS

Type 3841 IMP

CELEBRATING BRITAIN'S COMEDY GREATS WITH ROYAL MAIL SPECIAL STAMPS

Type 3841 iLSM

Great Festival of Creativity Shanghai

<u>3836</u>

5734I 28 Feb to 4 March

Used in IMPs at about 21 offices

5734iL 27 Feb to 3 March

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Royal Mail announced a tie up with a Chinese website to give Chinese consumers access to British products.

Bridges Stamps

3837

5735I 4 to 7 March

Used in IMPs at about 21 offices

5735iL 3 to 6 March

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Celebrating 50 years of The Queen's Award for Enterprise

Happy St. George's Day 2015

Type 3842

Type 3843

Anthony Trollope 1815 - 1882 "Grandfather" of the pillar box

Anthony Trollope 1815 - 1882 "Grandfather" of the pillar box

IMP

Type 3844

iLSM

Penny Black 1840-2015

Penny Black 1840 - 2015

IMP

Type 3845

iLSM

Mother's Day March 15th

3838

5736I 7 to 14 March

Used in IMPs at about 21 offices

5736iL 6 to 13 March

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

British Science Week

3839

5737I 14 to 21 March

Used in IMPs at about 21 offices

5737iL 13 to 21 March

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

500th Anniversary Hampton Court Palace 3840

30 March to 4 April 5738I

(except 1 April, see 5739I below)

Used in IMPs at all offices possibly only on mail addressed to England although announced as being used

nationwide; not used in iLSMs.

Celebrating Britain's Comedy Greats 3841

5739I 1 April

Used in IMPs at all offices

5739iL 31 March to 1 April

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

50 years Queen's Award for Enterprise 3842

5740iL 20 April

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes; not used in IMPs even though the press release for the slogan showed an

IMP impression.

Happy St George's Day 2015

3843

5741I 22 April

Used in all IMPs, apart from Belfast, on mail addressed to English postcodes. Not used in iLSMs.

Anthony Trollope 1815 – 1882 3844

5742I 22 to 29 April

Used in IMPs at about 21 offices

5742iL 22 to 29 April

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Latest use:

26 May Chester (IMP)

Congratulations TRH The Duke and Duchess of Cambridge on the birth of their daughter

Type 3846 IMP

Congratulations TRH The Duke and **Duchess of Cambridge** on the birth of their daughter

Type 3846 iLSM

70th anniversary VE Day

70th anniversary **VE Day**

IMP

Type 3847

iLSM



Type 3848

Magna Carta stamps commemorating the foundation of liberty

Type 3849 IMP

Magna Carta stamps commemorating the foundation of liberty

Type 3849 iLSM

Penny Black 1840 – 2015

3845

5743I 30 Apr to 2 May and 6 May Used in IMPs at about 21 offices

5743iL 29 Apr to 1 May and 5 to 6 May

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Not announced in advance but would have been used for the whole period if the Royal baby had not been born on 2 May - see 5744.

The slogan was introduced on mail due to be delivered on 1 May, the anniversary of the date that the Penny Black and Twopenny Blue were first put on sale, although their use was not valid until 6 May 1840.

Magna Carta 800th anniversary Magna Carta 800th anniversary

IMP

Type 3850

iLSM

 Battle of
 Battle of

 Waterloo
 Waterloo

 1815 – 2015
 1815 - 2015

IMP

Type 3851

iLSM

Don't forget Don't forget
Father's Day
Sunday 21 June
Sunday 21 June

IMP

Type 3852

iLSM

Armed Forces Day 27 June 2015 Show Your Support

Type 3853

Armed Forces
Day
27 June 2015

Armed Forces Day

27 June 2015

IMP

Type 3854

iLSM

Congratulations Duke and Duchess of Cambridge 3846

5744I 2 to 5 May

Used in IMPs at about 21 offices

5744iL 2 to 5 May

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Originally announced as being used on 2 May only, the day Princess Charlotte was born, but extended later to 5 May; the 3rd was a Sunday and 4th a Bank Holiday.

Latest use:

16 June Chester (IMP)

70th Anniversary VE Day

3847

5745I 7 May

Used in IMPs probably at all offices

5745iL 6 and 7 May

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Dog Awareness Week 2015 Help us reduce dog attacks on postal workers Get advice & tips at royalmail.com/dogawareness

Type 3855 IMP

Dog Awareness Week 2015
Help us reduce dog attacks
on postal workers
Get advice & tips at
royalmail.com/dogawareness

Type 3855 iLSM

Dubai Duty Free Irish Open

3848

5746I 27 to 29 May

Used in IMPs on mail addressed to Northern Ireland; not used in iLSMs

The Dubai Open was a golf competition held at the Royal County Down Golf Club.

The Royal Mail announcement said the slogan would be used on stamped mail across Northern Ireland from Thursday 28th to Sunday 31st May.

Magna Carta Stamps

3849

5747I 30 May to 4 June

Used in IMPs at all offices

5747iL 1 to 4 June

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Announced as being used on 2 to 6 June (delivery dates)

Magna Carta 800th anniversary

3850

5748I 13 to 16 June

Used in IMPs at about 21 offices

5748iL 13 June

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Announced as being used on mail delivered on 15 June.

Battle of Waterloo 1815-2015

<u>3851</u>

5749I 17 June

Used in IMPs, probably at all offices

5749iL 16 to 18 June

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line cancellations are the

same size

Don't forget Father's Day

3852

5750I 19 to 20 June

Used in IMPs at about 21 offices

5750iL 18 to 19 June

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the

same size

Armed Forces Day Show your Support

<u>3853</u>

5751I 25 June only

Used in IMPs at about 21 offices; not used in iLSMs

Armed Forces Day 27 June 2015

<u>3854</u>

5752I 26 June only

Used in IMPs at most offices

5752iL 25 to 26 June

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line cancellations are the

same size

75th anniversary Battle of Britain

75th anniversary Battle of Britain

IMP

Type 3856

iLSM

Royal Mail proud to support **National Scams** Awareness Month

Royal Mail proud to support National Scams Awareness Month

IMP

Type 3857

iLSM

Dog Awareness Week 2015

3855

26 June to 3 July 5753I

Used in IMPs at all offices

5753iL 26 June to 3 July

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Announced by Royal Mail as starting on mail delivered on 30 June; the week ran from 30 June to 4 July.

Latest use:

28 Aug Chester (IMP)

75th Anniversary Battle of Britain (1st use) 3856

5754I 9 July

Used in IMPs probably at all offices

5754iL 8 to 9 July

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11line cancellations are the

The Battle of Britain started on 10 July 1940.

75th Anniversary Battle of Britain (2nd use) 3856

5755I 15 to 17 July

Used in IMPs probably at all offices

5755iL 14 to 17 July

Used in iLSMs

A set of stamps commemorating the Battle of Britain was put on sale on 16 August

Latest use:

16 Sep Gatwick (IMP); may well be Exceptional use

National Scams Awareness Month 3857

5756I 18 to 22 July

Used in IMPs probably at all offices

5756iL 17 to 21 July

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Edinburgh Festival (1st use) 3858

6 to 16 Aug 5757I

Used in IMPs at all offices

5757iL 6 to 15 Aug

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Announced by Royal Mail as being applied to UK mail from 7 to 31 August (delivery dates, however 31st was Bank Holiday Monday when no mail is delivered) but

then interrupted by 5758I/iL.

Latest use:

21 Aug Southampton (IMP)

Edinburgh Festival Fringe 07 - 31 August

Type 3858 IMP

Edinburgh Festival Fringe

07 - 31 August

Type 3858 iLSM

BUZZ BUZZ

New Stamps Explore British Bees www.royalmail.com/bees

Type 3859 IMP

BUZZ BUZZ New Stamps Explore British Bees www.royalmail.com/bees

Type 3859 iLSM

New stamps mark our longest reigning monarch www.royalmail.com/ theroyalconnection

Type 3860 IMP

New stamps mark our longest reigning monarch

royalmail.com/theroyalconnection Type 3860 iLSM

Buzz Buzz New Stamps British Bees 3859

5758I 17 to 22 Aug

Used in IMPs at all offices

5758iL 17 to 24 Aug

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Latest use:

28 Aug Plymouth (IMP)

Edinburgh Festival (2nd use) 3858

5759I 24 to 29 Aug

> Used in IMPs at most offices, probably not used at Plymouth (late use of 5758)

5759iL 24 to 28 Aug

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

National Letter Writing Week 14-18 Sept 2015

Type 3861 IMP

National Letter Writing Week

14 - 18 September 2015

Type 3861 iLSM

Rugby World Cup 18 Sep - 31 Oct 2015 rovalmail.com/ rugbyworldcup

Type 3862 IMP

Rugby World Cup 2015

18 Sep - 31 Oct

royalmail.com/rugbyworldcup

Type 3862 iLSM

New stamps mark longest reigning monarch 3860

5760I 8 to 11 Sep

Used in IMPs probably at all offices

5760iL 7 to 11 Sep

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

At 4.18pm on the 9th of September 2015, Queen Elizabeth II became Britain's longest reigning monarch, passing the record set by Queen Victoria.

Latest use:

14 Sep Gatwick (IMP)

National Letter Writing Week 3861

12 to 16 Sep 5761I

Used in IMPs probably at all offices

5761iL 11 to 16 Sep

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line cancellations are the same size

Rugby World Cup

3862

5762I 17 to 19 Sep

Used in IMPs at all offices

5762iL 16 to 18 Sep

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

The order of the wording in the IMP and iLSM versions differs slightly.

Used in error:

2 to 11 Dec NW Midlands (IMP)

Thinking of you week 3863

21 to 23 Sep 5763I

Used in IMPs at all offices

5763iL 19 to 23 Sep

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

'Thinking of you Week' was a campaign organised by the Greetings Card Association to encourage people to send someone a card. Announced as being used until 26 September (delivery date) but finished earlier.

Thinking of You Week Sending Cards Raises Smiles!

Type 3863 IMP

Thinking of You Week Sending Cards Raises Smiles!

Type 3863 iLSM





IMP

Type 3864

iLSM

Congratulations to Marlon James winner of the 2015 Man Booker Prize

Congratulations to Marlon James winner of the 2015 Man Booker Prize

IMP

Type 3865

iLSM

3864

The Global Goals 5764I

23 Sep to 1 Oct

Used in IMPs at all offices

5764iL 23 Sep to 1 Oct

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

World Leaders have committed to 17 Global Goals to achieve three aims in the next 15 years. They are to end extreme poverty, fight inequality and injustice and to fix climate change.

Marlon James Winner of Man Booker Prize 3865

5765I 14 to 16 Oct

Used in IMPs at most offices

5765iL 13 to 16 Oct

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Announced as being applied to stamped mail from 14 to 17 Oct.

Get safe online week 3866

5766I 17 to 23 Oct

Used in IMPs at most offices

5766iL 16 to 23 Oct

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line cancellations are the same size

Stay Well this Winter

3867

24 to 29 Oct 5767I

> Used in IMPs at most offices on mail addressed to English postcodes; not used in iLSMs.

> This slogan supported a campaign by NHS England and Public Health England.

Get Safe Online Week getsafeonline.org

Type 3866 IMP

Get Safe Online Week

getsafeonline.org Type 3866 iLSM

STAY WELL THIS WINTER

Type 3867

Congratulations to New Zealand winners of the Rugby World Cup 2015

Type 3868 IMP

Congratulations New Zealand Rugby World Cup 2015 Winners

Type 3868 iLSM

Lest We Forget Lest We Forget

11.11.15

11.11.15

IMP

Type 3869

iLSM

New Zealand Rugby World Cup winners 3868

5768I 2 to 3 Nov

Used in IMPs at most offices

5768iL 2 to 3 Nov

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

The wording of the IMP and iLSM versions differs

slightly.

<u>Lest We Forget 11.11.15</u> 3869

5769I 10 Nov

Used in IMPs at most offices

5769iL 9 to 10 Nov

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line cancellations are the same size

Latest use:

13 Nov Swindon (iLSM)

Children in Need 3870

5770I 12 Nov

Used in IMPs at most offices (bear on right, no BBC)

5770iL 11 to 12 Nov

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes (bear on left)

Children in Need 13 Nov 15

Type 3870 IMP



BBC Children in Need

13 Nov 2015

Type 3870 iLSM

Remember to post early for Christmas! royalmail.com/greetings

Type 3871 IMP

Remember to post early for Christmas!

royalmail.com/greetings

Type 3871 iLSM

Happy St. Andrew's Day 2015

Type 3872

It's Christmas time! Last posting dates First class 21 Dec Second class 19 Dec It's Christmas time!
Last posting dates
First class
21st December
Second class
19th December

IMP

Type 3873

iLSM

Remember to post early for Christmas 3871

5771I 14 Nov to 11 Dec

Used in IMPs at all offices, but see 5772I below

5771iL 13 to 26 Nov

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes; iLSMs reverted to the Stroke slogan (5705iL) after 26 Nov

Happy St. Andrew's Day 2015

3872

5772I 28 Nov only

Used in IMPs on mail addressed to Scottish postcodes; not used in iLSMs

Note: for the non-inkjet Christmas designs below, 30 Nov-24 Dec are the assumed dates of use although some have only been seen for a short time in December.

What will you send this Christmas? (holly) 3586 5773 30 Nov to 24 Dec Used at Edinburgh and Gatwick Happy Christmas please post early (no lines at right) 5774 30 Nov to 24 Dec Used at Chelmsford, Preston (Lancashire) and two dies used at Leeds (North & West Yorkshire). Happy Christmas please post early (lines at right) 2890A 5775 30 Nov to 24 Dec Used standard at Inverness, Preston (Lancashire) and Stromness. 5775t 30 Nov to 24 Dec One die used transposed at Exeter (Exeter & Devon) Happy Christmas please post early (bilingual) 2891 5776 30 Nov to 24 Dec One die used at Chester (bilingual town die).

5777 A Happy Christmas The Post Office 1278
30 Nov to 24 Dec
Used at Chelmsford and Inverness

Happy Christmas (1988 Welsh tree design) 2672

5778 30 Nov to 24 Dec
One die used at Chester (bilingual town die).

5779 Post early for Christmas (candle design) 169
30 Nov to 24 Dec
One die used at Leeds (North & West Yorkshire).

<u>Last Posting Dates</u> 3873 5780I 11 to 19 Dec

Used in IMPs at all offices 5780iL 11 to 19 Dec

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes Announced as appearing on all UK stamped mail from 14 to 21 Dec (delivery dates). Used in error on one Gatwick IMP 8 to 11 Jan 2016 2016



Type 3874 IMP



Type 3874 iLSM



Type 3875 IMP



Type 3875 iLSM

Celebrating Burns Night 25 Jan 2016

Type 3876 IMP

Celebrating Burns Night 25 January 2016

Type 3876 iLSM

Send a card to someone special on February 14th

Type 3737A



child rescue alert

childrescuealert.org.uk

childrescuealert.org.uk

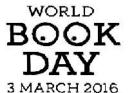
IMP

Type 3877

iLSM

Dydd gŵyl Dewi hapus 2016 Happy St David's Day 2016

Type 3878



WORLD

IMP

Type 3879

iLSM

Celebrating 500 Years of Royal Mail

3874

4 Jan to 24 Dec (initially used 4 to 12 Jan) 5781I

Used in IMPs at all offices

5781iL 4 Jan to 24 Dec but interrupted by other slogans

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

This was a 'filler' slogan used when there was no other national slogan, 5705 (Stroke Association) also continues.

Armed Forces Covenant

3875

5782I 13 Jan

Used in IMPs

5782iL 12 to 13 Jan

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

The Armed Forces Covenant, which Royal Mail supports, is a promise from the nation that those who serve or have served in the Forces, and their families, are treated fairly.

Celebrating Burns Night

3876

5783I 23 Jan

Used in IMPs

5783iL 22 to 23 Jan

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same

This is the first time a Burns Night slogan has been used nationally.

Send a card February 14th 3737

5784I 8 to 12 Feb

Used in IMPs at all offices

5784iL 8 to 12 Feb 3737A

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

This is a revised design with the wording outside the heart

Child Rescue Alert

3877

5785I 13 to 15 Feb and 20 Feb to 1 March

Used in IMPs at all offices

5785iL 12 to 15 Feb and 19 to 26 Feb

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes Interrupted by 5781I/iL (500 Years)

The slogan publicised Child Rescue Alert fortnight, a national campaign by the charity Missing People. The campaign asked people to sign up to receive the Child Rescue Alert on their mobile phones.

Child Rescue Alert is activated when a child is missing and police believe their life is in imminent danger.

Don't forget Don't forget Mother's Day 06 March 2016

Mother's Day 6 March 2016

IMP

Type 3880

iLSM



IMP

Type 3881

iLSM





IMP

Type 3882

iLSM

Happy St David's Day 2016

3878

5786I 29 Feb

> Used in IMPs only on mail addressed to Welsh postcodes, not used in iLSMs.

World Book Day

3879

5787I 2 March

Used in IMPs

5787iL 1 to 2 March

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Don't forget Mother's Day

3880

5788I 3 to 4 March

Used in IMPs, seen from most offices

5788iL 2 to 4 March

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

One You

3881

5789I 5 to 11 March

Used in IMPs, seen from most offices

5789iL 4 to 11 March

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

One You was a campaign launched by Public Health England to encourage people to adopt a healthier lifestyle. Use was not restricted to English addresses.

British Science Week

3882

5790I 12 March

Used in IMPs

5790iL 11 to 14 March

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Nicholas Winton 1909 – 2015 royalmail.com/ humanitarians

Type 3883

Sue Ryder 1924 – 2000 royalmail.com/ humanitarians

Sue Ryder 1924 - 2000 royalmail.com/ humanitarians

IMP Type 3884 iLSM

John Boyd Orr 1880 – 1971 John Boyd Orr 1880 - 1971 royalmail.com/ humanitarians humanitarians

IMP Type 3885 iLSM

Eglantyne Jebb 1876 – 1928 royalmail.com/ humanitarians

Eglantyne Jebb 1876 - 1928 royalmail.com/ humanitarians

IMP Type 3886 iLSM

Joseph Rowntree 1836 – 1925 royalmail.com/ humanitarians

Joseph Rowntree 1836 - 1925 royalmail.com/ humanitarians

IMP Type 3887 iLSM

Josephine Butler 1828 – 1906 royalmail.com/ humanitarians

Josephine Butler 1828 - 1906 royalmail.com/ humanitarians

IMP Type 3888 iLSM

Happy St. Patrick's Day 2016

Type 3889

Happy Easter 2016 Happy Easter 2016

IMP Type 3890 iLSM

Humanitarians

The slogans (5791-6) were used for one day each in connection with the set of six stamps issued by Royal Mail on 15 March. All of the slogans used in iLSMs appear in two different sizes and, because of the way 2nd class mail is handled, most of the iLSM slogans used Tuesday to Saturday have been found dated one day earlier.

Sir Nicholas Winton	<u>3883</u>
14 March	
Used in IMPs only, iLSMs continued with 5	790iL
Sue Ryder	<u>3884</u>
15 March	
14 to 15 March	
John Boyd Orr	<u>3885</u>
16 March - unlikely to have been used	l at Belfast
see 5797I below	
15 to 16 March	
Eglantyne Jebb	<u>3886</u>
17 March	
16 to 17 March	
Joseph Rowntree	<u>3887</u>
18 March	
17 to 18 March	
•	<u>3888</u>
19 March	
18 to 19 March	
	14 March Used in IMPs only, iLSMs continued with 5 Sue Ryder 15 March 14 to 15 March John Boyd Orr 16 March - unlikely to have been used see 5797I below 15 to 16 March Eglantyne Jebb 17 March 16 to 17 March Joseph Rowntree 18 March 17 to 18 March Josephine Butler 19 March

Sir Nicholas Winton, known as the 'British Schindler', organized the rescue of 669 predominantly Jewish children from Czechoslovakia on the eve of the Second World War.

Sue Ryder founded care homes in the UK and Europe. Lord Boyd Orr, the Nobel Prize winning Scottish physician and biologist, advocated improved nutrition and global food provision.

Eglantyne Jebb was a social reformer and founder of the organisation that became Save the Children.

Joseph Rowntree was a Quaker businessman who championed social reform and workers' welfare.

Josephine Butler campaigned for women's rights and social reform.

Happy St Patrick's Day 3889

5797I 16 March

Used in IMPs on mail addressed to Northern Ireland, not used in iLSMs

<u>Happy Easter 2016</u> 3890

5798I 21 to 24 March

Used in IMPs at all offices

5798iL 21 to 24 March

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

<u>William Shakespeare 1564 - 1616</u> 3891

5799I 4 to 8 April

Used in IMPs at all offices

5799iL 4 to 8 April

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Happy St George's Day 2016 3892

5800I 22 to 26 April

Used in IMPs at all offices, except Belfast, on mail sent to English addresses; not used in iLSMs which continued with 500 Years (5781).

Should have been used on 22 April only.

William Shakespeare 1564-1616

royalmail.com/shakespeare

Type 3891 IMP William Shakespeare 1564-1616

royalmail.com/shakespeare

Type 3891 iLSM

Happy St. George's Day 2016

Type 3892

HAY FESTIVAL

imagine the world

Type 3893 IMP

HAY FESTIVAL

imagine the world

Type 3893 iLSM



Type 3894

<u>Hay Festival</u> 3893

5801I 25 May to 3 June

Used in IMPs at all offices. Was used on all mail from 25 to 27 May, then until 3 June on mail to addresses outside England (see 5802I below)

5801iL 25 May to 2 June

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

Bristol Old Vic 250 Years 3894

5802I 28 May to 3 June

Used in IMPs at all offices except Belfast on mail sent to English addresses; not used in iLSMs (see 5801 above)

Don't forget Father's Day 19 June 3895

5803I 11 to 17 June

Used in IMPs at all offices

5803iL 10 to 17 June

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

Don't forget Don't forget

Father's Day Father's Day

Sunday 19 June Sunday 19 June

IMP

Type 3895

iLSM

Welcome home Tim Peake

Welcome home Tim Peake

IMP

Type 3896

iLSM

Armed Forces Day Day 25 June 2016

IMP

Type 3897

iLSM

Dog Awareness Week 2016 Help us reduce dog attacks on postal workers Get advice & tips at www.royalmail.com/ dogawareness

Type 3898 IMP

Dog Awareness Week 2016 Help us reduce dog attacks on postal workers Get advice & tips at royalmail.com/dogawareness

Type 3898 iLSM

Welcome home Tim Peake

3896

5804I 18 to 23 June

Used in IMPs at all offices

5804iL 18 to 23 June

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same

Tim Peake was the British astronaut who spent six months on the International Space Station.

Armed Forces Day 25 June

3897

5805I 24 June

Used in IMPs

5805iL 23 to 24 June

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

Latest use:

25 June Gatwick (IMP)

Dog Awareness Week

3898

5806I 1 to 7 July

Used in IMPs at most offices

5806iL 1 to 6 July

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Latest use:

5 Sep Southampton (IMP)

Farnborough International Airshow 15 July 16 Celebrating the birth of international airmail

Farnborough International Airshow 15 July 2016 Celebrating the birth of international airmail

IMP

Type 3899

iLSM



The Bishopmark Introduced in 1661



IMP

Type 3900

iLSM



www.blood.co.uk

Type 3901 IMP

Type 3901A IMP

3899 Farnborough Air Show 14 July Used in IMPs

5807I

5807iL 13 to 14 July

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

3900 **Bishopmark**

5808I 1 to 5 Aug and 10 to 13 Aug

> Used in IMPs at most offices, interrupted by 500 Years (5781I)

5808iL 1 to 13 Aug

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Presumably part of the Royal Mail 500 programme; the Bishop Mark (not Bishopmark - it was named after Col Henry Bishop, the first Postmaster General) was first used in August 1661 and had two letters representing the month over a date, not, as in this design, over another letter.

Latest use:

20 Aug Home Counties North (iLSM)

24 Sep SE Wales (IMP)

Missing Type (no website) 3901

5809I 15 to 16 Aug

Used in IMPs at most offices

Missing Type www.blood.co.uk 3901A

5810I 17 to 18 Aug

Used in IMPs at most offices

5810iL 15 to 20 Aug

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

This was publicising the NHS International Blood Type campaign to recruit new blood donors. The As and Os missing from 'International' are two of the main blood types. Omitting the website from the first IMP version meant that the slogan was very confusing.

Latest use:

26 Aug Swindon (iLSM)

INTERN TΙ MISSING TYPE

MISSINGTYPE www.blood.co.uk

Type 3901A iLSM

Royal Mail supports Organ **Donation Week**

organdonation.nhs.uk

Type 3902 IMP

Royal Mail supports Organ Donation Week organdonation.nhs.uk

Type 3902 iLSM

Reserves Reserves Day Day 08 September 8 September 2016 2016

IMP

Type 3903

iLSM

It's Thinking of It's Thinking of You Week You Week! Send a card to Send a card to raise a smile raise a smile!

IMP

Type 3904

iLSM

Organ Donation Week 3902

5811I 3 to 6 Sep

Used in IMPs at most offices

5811iL 3 to 6 September

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

20 Sep NW Midlands (IMP)

Reserves Day 3903

5812I 7 Sep

Used in IMPs at most offices

5812iL 6 to 7 Sep

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size

22 Sep Cornwall (IMP)

Thinking of you week

3904

5813I 24 to 29 Sep

Used in IMPs at most offices

5813iL 23 to 29 Sep

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes



The High IQ Society 70th Anniversary 1946-2015

IMP

Type 3905

iLSM



Type 3906

Congratulations to Paul Beatty winner of the 2016 Man Booker Prize

Congratulations to Paul Beatty winner of the 2016 Man Booker Prize

IMP

Type 3907

iLSM

Mensa 70th Anniversary

3905

5814I 30 Sep

Used in IMPs at most offices

5814iL 29 to 30 Sep

Used in iLSMs. No 11 line copies have been received so the size is unknown

Mensa is an organisation for people with a high IQ

National Poetry Day

3906

5815iL 4 to 5 Oct

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size. Not used in IMPs.

Stay Well this Winter

3867

8 to 14 Oct 5816I

> As last year, used in IMPs at most offices (not used at Belfast) on mail to English addresses; not used in iLSMs.

> This slogan supported a campaign by NHS England and Public Health England.

Paul Beatty Winner of Man Booker Prize 3907

25 to 28 Oct 5817I

Used in IMPs at most offices

5817iL 25 to 29 Oct

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Latest use:

2 Nov Bristol (IMP)

80th anniversary of broadcast television 3908

31 Oct to 1 Nov 5818I

Used in IMPs at most offices

5818iL 1 Nov

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

80th anniversary of broadcast television

80th anniversary of broadcast television

IMP

Type 3908

iLSM

Lest We Forget 11.11.16

Lest we forget

11.11.16

IMP

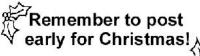
Type 3909

iLSM



early for Christmas! royalmail.com/greetings

Type 3910 IMP



royalmail.com/greetings

Type 3910 iLSM

givingtuesday

GivingTuesday.org.uk GivingTuesday.org.uk 29 November 2016

29 Nov 16 **IMP**

Type 3911

iLSM

Lest we Forget

3909

5819I 10 Nov

Used in IMPs at most offices

5819iL 9 to 10 Nov

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same

Remember to post early for Christmas! 3910

5820I 12 Nov to 15 Dec

> but interrupted by various short campaigns (see Types 3911-13 below) and Stroke (Type 3820) was reintroduced on 29 and 30 Nov in IMPs.

Used in IMPs at all offices

5820iL 11 Nov to 14 Dec

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes, interrupted by Types 3911 and 3913.

Used in error:

6 to 7 Feb 2017 Tyneside (IMP)

Happy St. Andrew's Day 2016

Type 3912

Blood and Transplant Sign up as an organ donor organdonation.nhs.uk

Type 3913 IMP

Blood and Transplant Sign up as an organ donor organdonation.nhs.uk

Type 3913 iLSM





100 years and skills for life

IMP

Type 3914

iLSM

It's Christmas time! Last posting dates First class 21 Dec Second class 20 Dec

It's Christmas time! Last posting dates First class: 21 December

Second class: 20 December



Type 3915

iLSM

Giving Tuesday

3911

5821I 28 Nov

Used in IMPs at most offices

5821iL 28 Nov

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

The postmark supports Giving Tuesday – a global day for giving, fuelled by social media.

St Andrew's Day 2016

3912

5822I 28 Nov

> Used in IMPs on mail addressed to Scottish postcodes; not used in iLSMs.

Note: for the non-inkjet Christmas designs below, 1 to 24 Dec are the assumed dates of use although some have only been seen for a short time in December.

Happy Christmas please post early (no lines at right)

5823 1 to 24 Dec D

Used at Leeds (North & West Yorkshire), Inverness, Preston (Lancashire)

Happy Christmas please post early (lines at right)

2890A

5824 1 to 24 Dec D

Used standard at Exeter (Exeter & District), Preston (Lancashire) and Stromness.

Happy Christmas please post early (bilingual) 2891

5825 1 to 24 Dec Used at Chester (bilingual town die).

> A Happy Christmas The Post Office 1278

5826 1 to 24 Dec

Used at Chelmsford and Chester (bilingual town die).

Happy Christmas (1988 Welsh tree design) 2672

5827 1 to 24 Dec

Used at Chester (bilingual town die).

Post early for Christmas (candle design) 169

5828 1 to 24 Dec

> One die, possibly more, used at Leeds (North & West Yorkshire).

Season's Greetings

3354

3914

5829 1 to 24 Dec

Used at Inverness

NHS Blood and Transplant 3913

5830I 4 to 8 Dec

Used in IMPs at most offices

5830iL 5 to 8 Dec

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

This slogan supported an NHS campaign to persuade people to register online as a donor

Latest use:

12 Dec South Midlands (iLSM)

Cubs 100

5831I 14 to 16 Dec

Used in IMPs at most offices

5831iL 14 to 15 Dec

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

This postmark commemorated the centenary of the Cub Scout organisation.

Last Posting Dates 3915

5832I 15 to 20 Dec

Used in IMPs at most offices

5832iL 15 to 21 Dec

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Burns Night Burns Night 25 Jan 17 25 January 2017

IMP

Type 3916

iLSM



Type 3917



Type 3918 IMP

Send a card to
someone special on
February 14th 2017

Type 3918 iLSM

5833I Burns Night 23 to 24 Jan 3916

Used in IMPs at most offices; IMP mail to Welsh addresses should have received 5834I below

5833iL 23 to 24 Jan

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

Dydd Santes Dwynwen

3917

5834I 23 to 24 Jan

Used in IMPs at most offices (presumably not Belfast) on mail addressed to Welsh postcodes; not used in it SMs

St Dwynwen is the Welsh equivalent of St Valentine.

Send a card to someone special on February 14th 3918

5835I 9 to 11 Feb

Used in IMPs at most offices

5835iL 8 to 11 Feb

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Latest use:

5 April Southampton (IMP)

Happy Valentine's Day 3919

5836I 13 Feb

Used in IMPs at most offices

5836iL 13 Feb

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes



Happy Valentine's Day

IMP

Type 3919

iLSM

Dydd gŵyl Dewi hapus 2017 Happy St David's Day 2017

Type 3920

Imperial War Museums 100 years

Imperial War Museums 100 years

IMP

Type 3921

iLSM



National Apprenticeship Week 6-10 March 2017

Type 3922

Type 3923





IMP

Type 3924

iLSM

Happy St. Patrick's Day 17 March 2017

Type 3925

Don't forget Mother's Day 26 March 2017

Don't forget Mother's Day 26 March 2017

IMP

Type 3926

iLSM

Happy St David's Day 2017

3920

5837I 28 Feb

Used in IMPs at most offices (presumably not Belfast) on mail addressed to Welsh postcodes; not used in iLSMs.

Please remember to write the postcode clearly www.royalmail.com

Please remember to write the postcode clearly www.royalmail.com

IMP redrawn Type 3721

iLSM

Please remember to write the postcode clearly www.royalmail.com

Type 3721 IMP original

Happy Easter 2017

Happy Easter 2017

iLSM

3923

IMP Type 3927

<u>Imperial War Museums 100 years</u> 3921

5838I 3 March

Used in IMPs at most offices

5838iL 2 to 3 March

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Apprenticeships (with logo) 3922

5839I 3 to 7 March

Used in IMPs at most offices (presumably not Belfast) on mail addressed to English postcodes; not used in iLSMs.

National Apprenticeship Week

5840I 8 to 9 March

Used in IMPs at most offices (presumably not Belfast) on mail addressed to English postcodes; not used in iLSMs.

Latest use:

28 June Greenford/Windsor

British Science Week 2017 3924

5841I 10 to 17 March

Used in IMPs at most offices

5841iL 9 to 17 March

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Happy St Patrick's Day 2017 3925

5842I 16 March

Used in IMPs at most offices on mail addressed to Northern Ireland postcodes; not used in iLSMs.

Don't forget Mother's Day 2017 3926

5843I 18 to 24 March

Used in IMPs at most offices

5843iL 20 to 24 March

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes, the 11 line version omits the apostrophe from 'Don't'

Latest use:

8 May Bristol (IMP)

#writingmatters
National
Stationery
Week ** 24-30 APRIL 2017

#writingmatters
National
Stationery
Week ** 24-30 APRIL 2017

IMP

Type 3928

iLSM



urFeetDay.com April 28°

IMP Type 3929

iLSM

Please remember to write the postcode clearly 3721
5844I 5 April to 29 July. Initial use was 5 to 7 April.

Used in IMPs at most offices. The size of the design is 21mm high compared with 24mm when first introduced in 2011 (5228I).

Used as a default slogan in some IMPs at Mail Centres including Bristol, SE Anglia, Leeds and Manchester up to May 2018

5548I continued in IMPs at Belfast on mail outside the province until Sep 2017.

5844iL 31 March to 26 July. Initial use was from 31 March to 7 April.

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes. This is the first time the slogan has been used in iLSMs.

This is a 'filler' slogan introduced when the Stroke Association slogan (5705I/iL) finished. Use of the slogan ended with the introduction of 5862I/iL.

Latest use:

10 Aug Greenford/Windsor (IMP) - but see above

<u>Happy Easter 2017</u> 3927

5845I 8 to 15 April

Used in IMPs at most offices

5845iL 7 to 13 April

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

Latest use:

26 April NW Midlands (IMP)

National Stationery Week 3928

5846I 22 to 28 April

Used in IMPs at most offices

5846iL 21 to 28 April

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes Interrupted by Type 3929 (see below)

Latest use:

3 May Peterborough (iLSM) 10 June NW Midlands (IMP)

On your feet Britain 3929

5847I 27 April

Used in IMPs at most offices

5847iL 26 to 27 April

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

'On Your Feet Britain' was a campaign to get office workers out of their chairs by, for example, standing when making telephone calls.

East Kilbride 70 years of Scotland's first new town

Type 3930

Royal Mail supports Mental Health Awareness Week #mhaw17

Royal Mail supports Mental Health Awareness Week #mhaw17

IMP

Type 3931

iLSM

Royal Mail supports

Mental Health Awareness

Week

#mhwa17

Type 3931A

Congratulations to the 24 Finalists of Royal Mail's 2017 Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3932 IMP

Congratulations to the 24 Finalists of Royal Mail's 2017 Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3932 iLSM

East Kilbride 70 years

3930

5848I 5 May

Used in IMPs at most offices on mail addressed to Scottish postcodes; not used in iLSMs.

East Kilbride was appointed Scotland's first new town on 6 May 1947.

Royal Mail supports Mental Health Awareness Week #mhaw 3931

5849I 6 to 12 May

Used in IMPs at most offices

5849iL 10 to 12 May

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

Royal Mail supports Mental Health Awareness Week #mhwa (sic) 3931A

5850iL 8 to 9 May

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

'mhwa' error, replaced by 5849iL

Celebrating 50 years of the Machin Definity 1967 - 2017

Celebrating 50 years of the Machin Definitive 1967 - 2017

IMP

Type 3933

iLSM

Don't forget
Father's Day
Sunday 18 June
Sunday 18 June

IMP

Type 3934

iLSM

World Blood World Blood Donor Day Donor Day 14 June 2017 14 June 2017

IMP

Type 3935

iLSM

Reserves Day Reserves Day 21 June 17 Reserves Day 21 June 2017

IMP

Type 3936

iLSM

3933

24 Finalists 2017 Christmas Stamp Design competition 3932

5851I 19 to 26 May

Used in IMPs at most offices

5851iL 20 to 26 May

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes, the larger version

is over five lines rather than four.

50 years of the Machin Definitive

5852I 2 to 10 June

Used in IMPs at most offices

Definitive spelt 'Definity' in IMP version

5852iL 2 to 9 June

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Don't forget Father's Day 3934

5853I 10 to 16 June

Used in IMPs at most offices

5853iL 10 to 16 June

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same

size.

Interrupted by Type 3935 (see below)

World Blood Donor Day 3935

5854I 13 June

Used in IMPs at most offices

5854iL 12 to 13 June

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Armed Forces Day

Armed Forces Day #SaluteOurForces

#SaluteOurForces

IMP

Type 3937

iLSM

Dog Awareness
Week 2017
Help us reduce
dog attacks
on postal workers
Get advice & tips at
royalmail/dogawareness

Type 3938 IMP

Dog Awareness Week 2017 Help us reduce dog attacks on postal workers Get advice & tips at royalmail.com/dogawareness

Type 3938 iLSM

Royal Mail proudly supports 30 years of Payroll Giving

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IMP

Type 3939

iLSM

Reserves Day

3936

5855I 20 to 22 June

Used in IMPs at most offices

5855iL 20 June

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size

Armed Forces Day

<u>3937</u>

5856I 23 to 24 June

Used in IMPs at most offices

5856iL 22 to 23 June

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

Dog Awareness Week 2017

3938

5857I 30 June to 7 July

Used in IMPs at most offices

5857iL 30 June to 7 July

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Latest use:

22 July NW Midlands (IMP)

Royal Mail supports Payroll Giving 393

5858I 7 to 14 July

Used in IMPs at most offices, possibly not used at NW Midlands - late use of 5857I on several machines

5858iL 7 to 13 July

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Payroll giving allows employees to donate to charity directly from their wages or pension without paying tax on the donation.

Latest use:

17 July Medway (iLSM)

Jane Austen Jane Austen 1775 – 1817 1775 – 1817

IMP

Type 3940

iLSM

50 years since Peterborough new town designation

Type 3941



The **Postal** Museum



NOW OPEN

IMP

Type 3942

iLSM

Jane Austen 1775-1817

3940

5859I 17 July

Used in IMPs at most offices

5859iL 17 July

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

Latest use:

20 July Chester (IMP)

50 years Peterborough new town

3941

5860I 19 to 20 July

Used in IMPs at most offices on mail addressed to English postcodes, not used in iLSMs.

Postal Museum now open

3942

5861I 27 to 28 July

Used in IMPs at most offices

5861iL 26 to 28 July

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same

The Postal Museum opened in London on 28 July 2017.

Royal Mail supports mental health awareness 3943

5862I 31 July 2017 to 9 May 2018

Used in IMPs at all offices

5862iL 28 July to 9 May 2018

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

This is the latest in a series of slogans publicising causes or charities supported by Royal Mail and voted for by their staff (see 5705I/iL etc).

It is a 'filler' slogan used when no other national campaign is running. The initial use was from 31 July to 2 August in IMPs and 28 July to 14 August in iLSMs.

For a short time between late July and the middle of August, Exeter and Swindon iLSMs used thicker wavy lines. The 9 thin lines were replaced with 10 thicker ones, the 11 line version had the number of lines unchanged. Slogans seen with this are 5861iL and 5862iL.

The slogan was replaced by 5911I/iL

Royal Mail supports mental health awareness

Royal Mail supports mental health awareness

IMP

Type 3943

iLSM

August 2017: 70th anniversary of Edinburgh's #FestivalCity

Type 3944

350 years since of John Milton's Paradise Lost

350 years since the publication the publication of of John Milton's John Milton's Paradise Lost

IMP

Type 3945

iLSM

Official Opening of the Queensferry Crossing 30 August 2017

Type 3946

Royal Mail **Supports Organ Donation Week** organdonation.nhs.uk

Type 3902A

70th Anniversary Edinburgh's Festival City 3944

5863I 3 Aug

Used in IMPs at most offices

The first Edinburgh Festival was staged in 1947. The 1947 Festival was not commemorated by a slogan postmark but 1948 (Type 81) and 1949 (Type 88) were. Other slogans since then have supported the Festival.

Only used in IMPs; strangely not used in the Scottish iLSMs.

350 years John Milton's Paradise Lost 3945

5864I 15 to 16 Aug

Used in IMPs at most offices

5864iL 14 to 15 July

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

29 Aug Lancashire and South Lakes (IMP)

Opening of the Queensferry Crossing 3946

5865I 29 Aug

> Used in IMPs at most offices on mail addressed to Scottish postcodes, not used in iLSMs.

> The Queensferry Crossing is a new road bridge across the Firth of Forth.

Cassini's Grand Finale

Mission to explore Saturn

Twenty Years of Science

Type 3947

Royal Mail Supports **Know Your** Numbers! Week (18-24 September 2017) bloodpressureuk.org

Type 3948 IMP

Know Your Numbers! Week (18-24 September 2017) the UK's biggest free blood pressure testing event bloodpressureuk.org

Type 3948 iLSM

NHS Blood and Transplant (2nd use)

3913

5866I 4 to 8 Sep

Used in IMPs at most offices

Organ Donation Week was 4 to 10 September 2017 and was publicised on an RM website saying that a special postmark would be applied. However, unlike the iLSM version, the IMP slogan did not specifically mention the week.

Organ Donation Week

3902A

5867iL 6 to 7 Sep

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

The design is over four lines rather than three in the original use (5811iL).

Cassini's Grand Finale

3947

5868iL 13 to 14 Sep

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same

Cassini was a space probe sent to study Saturn and its moons. It was launched in 1997 and studied the planet from 2004 before being sent into its atmosphere on 15th September 2017 to burn up.

An IMP version of the slogan was expected to have been used but apparently was cancelled at the last minute.

Know your Numbers week!

3948

5869I 18 Sep

Used in IMPs at most offices

5869iL 16 to 18 Sep

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

"Know your numbers!" was an NHS campaign to encourage people to have their blood pressure checked.

National Eye
Health Week
18-24 September 2017
Promoting the
importance of
eye health

Type 3949 IMP

National Eye Health Week 18-24 September 2017 Promoting the importance of eye health

Type 3949 iLSM

Thinking of You Week 25 Sept – 1 Oct

#sendacarddeliverasmile

Type 3950 IMP

Thinking of You Week 25 Sept -- 1 Oct

#sendacarddeliverasmile

Type 3950 iLSM

National Poetry Day

28 September 2017

Type 3951 IMP

National Poetry Day 28 September 2017

Type 3951 iLSM

National Eye Health Week 3949

5870I 20 to 22 Sep

Used in IMPs at most offices

5870iL 20 to 22 Sep

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same

Latest use:

26 Sep Lancashire and South Lakes (IMP)

Thinking of you Week 3950

5871I 23 to 26 Sep

Used in IMPs at most offices

5871iL 23 to 26 Sep

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Latest use:

10 Oct Lancashire and South Lakes (IMP)

National Poetry Day 3951

5872I 27 Sep

Used in IMPs at most offices

5872iL 26 to 27 Sep

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Celebrating the Lake District

World Heritage Site #WeAreTheLakes Celebrating the Lake District World Heritage Site #WeAreTheLakes

IMP

Type 3952

iLSM

World Mental World Mental Health Day Health Day October 10 October 10

IMP

Type 3953

iLSM

100th Anniversary
Merchant Navy Convoys
Serving the Need
Supporting a Nation

Type 3954 IMP

100th Anniversary Merchant Navy Convoys Serving the Need Supporting a Nation

Type 3954 iLSM

Congratulations to George Saunders winner of the 2017 Man Booker Prize Congratulations to George Saunders winner of the 2017 Man Booker Prize

IMP

Type 3955

iLSM

Celebrating Lake District World Heritage Site 3952

5873I 28 Sep

Used in IMPs at most offices

5873iL 27 to 28 Sep

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

World Mental Health Day

3953

5874I 9 Oct

Used in IMPs at most offices

5874iL 9 Oct

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

100th Anniversary Merchant Navy Convoys 3954

5875I 14 to 16 Oct

Used in IMPs at most offices

5875iL 14 to 16 Oct

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Convoys (groups of Merchant Navy vessels escorted by Royal Navy ships) were introduced in 1917 as a way of combating the U-boat threat during World War 1.

Latest use:

28 Feb 2018

NW Midlands (IMP)

Have you had your flu jab yet?

Type 3956

STOP MEN DYING TOO YOUNG. DO SOMETHING GOOD.



STOP MEN DYING TOO YOUNG. DO SOMETHING GOOD. MOVEMBER.COM

MOVEMBER.COM

IMP

Type 3957

iLSM

Congratulations
Hastings Pier Winner of the
RIBA Stirling
Prize 2017

Congratulations
Hastings Pier Winner of the
RIBA Stirling
Prize 2017

IMP

Type 3958

iLSM

George Saunders Winner of Man Booker Prize 3955

5876I 18 to 19 Oct

Used in IMPs at most offices

5876iL 17 to 19 Oct

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Have you had your flu jab yet? 3956

5877I 28 to 30 Oct

Used in IMPs at most offices on mail addressed to English postcodes, not used in iLSMs.

Stop men dying too young. Movember.com 3957

5878I 31 Oct to 4 Nov

Used in IMPs at most offices

5878iL 31 Oct to 4 Nov

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

<u>Hastings Pier - Winner RIBA Stirling Prize</u> 3958

5879I 6 Nov

Used in IMPs at most offices

5879iL 6 Nov

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

RIBA = Royal Institute of British Architects

Ted Lewis-Clark Christmas Stamp Design Winner

3959

5880I 7 to 11 Nov

Used in IMPs at most offices

5880iL 6 to 11 Nov

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes Interrupted by 5881I/iL - see below

Lest we forget 11.11.17 3960

5881I 10 Nov

Used in IMPs at most offices

5881iL 10 Nov

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

Latest use:

Latest use.

20 Dec Northern Ireland (IMP)

Ted Lewis-Clark
Winner of
Royal Mail's
Christmas Stamp
Design Competition

Type 3959 IMP

Ted Lewis-Clark
Winner of Royal Mail's
Christmas Stamp
Design Competition

Type 3959 iLSM

Lest We Forget 11.11.17

Lest we forget 11.11.17

IMP

Type 3960

iLSM

Our right to a healthy future World Diabetes Day 14 November 2017

Our right to a healthy future World Diabetes Day 14 November 2017

IMP

Type 3961

iLSM

Arwen Wilson Winner of Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3962 IMP

Arwen Wilson Winner of Royal Mail's Christmas Stamp Design Competition

Type 3962 iLSM

Her Majesty the Queen's Platinum Wedding Anniversary 20 November 2017

Her Majesty the Queen's Platinum Wedding Anniversary 20 November 2017

IMP

Type 3963

iLSM

World Diabetes Day

3961

5882I 13 Nov

Used in IMPs at most offices

5882iL 13 Nov

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Celebrating the formation of the Women's Royal Naval Service 29 November 2017 Celebrating the formation of the Women's Royal Naval Service 29 November 1917

IMP

Type 3964

iLSM

REMEMBER TO POST EARLY THIS CHRISTMAS! royalmail.com/greetings

Type 3965 IMP

REMEMBER TO POST EARLY THIS CHRISTMAS!

royalmail.com/greetings

Type 3965 iLSM

Merry Christmas! Last posting dates: 1st Class: 22 December 2nd Class: 21 December

Type 3966

Arwen Wilson Christmas Stamp Design Winner 3962
13 to 17 Nov
Used in IMPs at most offices

5883iL 13 to 16 Nov Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Latest use:

11 Dec Birmingham (IMP)

Queen's Platinum Wedding Anniversary 3963

5884I 18 to 19 Nov Used in IMPs at most offices

Used in IMPs at most offices

5884iL 18 Nov
Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

Latest use:

20 Nov Tyneside (IMP)

Celebrating formation of Women's Royal Naval Service 3964

5885I 28 Nov

Used in IMPs at most offices

5885iL 27 to 28 Nov

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

The IMP version had the year 2017 while the iLSM version had 1017

version had 1917.

Remember to post early this Christmas! 3965

5886I 4 to 8 Dec

Used in IMPs at most offices replacing 5887I - see below

5886iL 30 Nov to 8 Dec

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Congratulations
Kazuo Ishiguro
Awarded the
Nobel Prize in
Literature 2017

Congratulations Kazuo Ishiguro -Awarded the Nobel Prize in Literature 2017

IMP

Type 3967

iLSM

Merry Christmas! Last posting dates: 1st Class: 21 December 2nd Class: 20 December

Type 3968 IMP

Merry Christmas! Last posting dates:

1st Class: 21 December 2nd Class: 20 December

Type 3968 iLSM

Merry Christmas! Last posting dates 22 Dec 3966

5887I 1 to 4 Dec

Used in IMPs at most offices

These were the wrong dates, see 5895I for the corrected version. Replaced by 5886I

Note: for the non-inkjet Christmas designs below, 4 to 23 Dec are the assumed dates of use although some have only been seen for a short time in December.

<u>Happy Christmas please post early</u> (no lines at right)

<u>2890</u>

5888 4 to 23 Dec

Used at Chelmsford (South East Anglia), Leeds (North & West Yorkshire) and Preston (Lancashire)

<u>Happy Christmas please post early</u> (lines at right) 2890A

5889 4 to 23 Dec

Used at Inverness (City of Inverness), Preston (Lancashire and South Lakes) and Stromness.

Happy Christmas please post early (bilingual) 2891

5890 4 to 23 Dec

Used at Chester (bilingual town die).

<u>Happy Christmas</u> (1988 Welsh tree design) <u>2672</u>

5891 4 to 23 Dec

Used at Chester (bilingual town die).

A Happy Christmas The Post Office 1278

5892 4 to 23 Dec

Used at Plymouth (Plymouth Cornwall and W Devon)

Post early for Christmas (candle design) 169
4 to 23 Dec

Used at Leeds (North & West Yorkshire).

5893

Kazuo Ishiguro Nobel Prize in Literature 3967

5894I 8 to 14 Dec

Used in IMPs at most offices

5894iL 8 to 14 Dec

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Latest use:

21 June 2018 Sheffield (IMP)

Merry Christmas! Last posting dates 21 Dec 3968

5895I 14 to 20 Dec

Used in IMPs at most offices

5895iL 14 to 20 Dec

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

2018

Congratulations to Military Working Dog Mali -Centenary PDSA Dickin Medal recipient Congratulations to Military Working Dog Mali -Centenary PDSA Dickin Medal recipient

iLSM

IMP Type 3969

Congratulations Ocean Vuong -Winner of the 2017 T.S. Eliot Prize for Best New

Congratulations
Ocean Vuong Winner of the 2017
T.S. Eliot Prize for
Best New Poetry Collection

Poetry Collection

IMP Type 3970 iLSM

Fair fa' your honest, sonsie face, Great Chieftain o' the Puddin-race! Burns Night -25 January 2018

Fair fa' your honest, sonsie face, Great Chieftain o'the Puddin-race! Burns Night -25 January 2018

IMP Type 3971 iLSM

Military Working Dog Mali PDSA Dickin Medal 3969

5896I 10 to 15 Jan

Used in IMPs at most offices

5896iL 10 to 13 Jan

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

PDSA = People's Dispensary for Sick Animals The PDSA was founded in 1917 by Maria Dickin who, in 1943, instigated the Dickin Medal to be awarded for bravery by an animal attached to the Armed Forces. Mali was injured on duty while working in Afghanistan. The award was made in November 2017 so it is unclear why the slogan did not appear until January 2018.

Ocean Vuong winner of the T S Eliot Prize for Poetry 3970

5897I 16 to 19 Jan

Used in IMPs at most offices

5897iL 15 to 19 Jan

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

T S Eliot was the poet who wrote *The Waste Land*.

Latest use:

1 Feb N Ireland (IMP)

<u>Burns Night 25 January 2018</u> 3971

5898I 22 to 24 Jan

Used in IMPs at most offices

5898iL 22 to 24 Jan

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

The quote is the first two lines of the Robert Burns poem *Address to a Haggis*.

Latest use:

28 Feb Southampton (IMP)

LET'S BEAT CANCER SOONER ON WORLD **CANCER DAY** 4 FEBRUARY 2018

Type 3972 IMP

LET'S BEAT CANCER SOONER ON WORLD CANCER DAY 4 FEBRUARY 2018

Type 3972 iLSM

100 Years since the Representation of the People Act 1918

100 Years since the Representation of the People Act 1918

IMP

Type 3973

iLSM

Supporting Team GB at Pyeongchang 2018 Winter Olympics #WeAreTheGreat

Type 3974 IMP

Supporting Team GB at Pyeongchang 2018 Winter Olympics #WeAreTheGreat

Type 3974 iLSM

World Cancer Day 3972

5899I 27 Jan to 2 Feb

Used in IMPs at most offices

5899iL 27 Jan to 2 Feb

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

Representation of the People Act 1918 3973

5900I 3 to 5 Feb

Used in IMPs at most offices

5900iL 2 to 6 Feb

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same

The Representation of the People Act gave the vote to some women over 30 and to men over 21.

Supporting Team GB 2018 Winter Olympics 3974

6 to 8 Feb 5901I

Used in IMPs at most offices

5901iL 6 to 9 Feb

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same

Latest use:

14 May Tyneside (IMP)

"More than kisses, letters mingle souls" John Donne Valentine's Day 2018

Type 3975 IMP

"More than kisses, letters mingle souls" John Donne Valentine's Day 2018

Type 3975 iLSM

LONDON 20 FEBRUARY 2018 16-20 FEBRUARY 2018

IMP

Type 3976

iLSM

Valentine's Day 2018

3975

5902I 9 to 13 Feb

Used in IMPs at most offices

5902iL 10 to 13 Feb

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same

The quote is the first line of the poem To Sir Henry Wotton by John Donne.

London Fashion Week

3976

5903I 15 to 19 Feb

Used in IMPs at most offices

5903iL 14 to 19 Feb

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes

World Book Day

3977

5904I 27 to 28 Feb

Used in IMPs at most offices

5904iL 27 to 28 Feb

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same

National Apprenticeship Week 2018 3978

5905I 1 to 5 March

Used in IMPs at most offices

5905iL 2 to 6 March

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes. Not used for the whole period in all machines; some started late while others appear to have used the Mental Health slogan (Type 3943) for the duration.

Latest use:

7 March Exeter (iLSM)

International Women's Day 2018

3979

5906I 7 March

Used in IMPs at most offices

5906iL 6 to 7 March

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

Latest use:

8 March Exeter (iLSM)

World **Book Day** 1 Mar 2018

World Book Day 1 March 2018

IMP

Type 3977

iLSM

NATIONAL **WEEK 2018** #NAW2018

NATIONAL APPRENTICESHIP APPRENTICESHIP **WEEK 2018** #NAW2018

IMP

Type 3978

iLSM

International Women's Day 8 Mar 2018

Type 3979 IMP

International Women's Day 8 March 2018

Type 3979 iLSM

Don't forget Mother's Day! Sunday 11 March

Don't forget Mother's Day! Sunday 11 March

iLSM

IMP

Type 3980

Don't forget Mother's Day

<u>39</u>80

5907I 8 to 9 March

Used in IMPs at most offices

5907iL 7 to 9 March

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

There was no slogan used for Easter 2018

Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting 3981

5908I 12 to 18 April

Used in IMPs at most offices

5908iL 13 to 18 April

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size

Celebrate Digital Pride

3982

5909I 20 to 21 April

Used in IMPs at most offices

5909iL 20 to 21 April

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

The slogan was due to have been used for a week but was replaced by Type 3983 (see below).

Digital Pride was the first online LGBTI (Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Intersex) event.

COMMONWEALTH HEADS

OF GOVERNMENT

MEETING

London 2018

16-20 April

Type 3981 IMP

COMMONWEALTH HEADS OF GOVERNMENT

MEETING

London 2018

16-20 April

Type 3981 iLSM

Celebrate **Digital Pride** 21-28 April 2018 Delivering with Pride

Type 3982 IMP

Celebrate Digital Pride 21-28 April 2018 **Delivering with Pride**

Type 3982 iLSM

Congratulations **TRH The Duke**

and Duchess

of Cambridge on the

birth of their son

Congratulations TRH The Duke and Duchess of Cambridge on the birth of their son

IMP

Type 3983

iLSM

Royal Mail

Royal Mail supporting youth supporting youth

mental health with mental health with ACTION FOR CHILDREN ACTION FOR CHILDREN

IMP

Type 3984

iLSM

Congratulations Duke and Duchess of Cambridge 3983

5910I 23 to 30 April

Used in IMPs at most offices

5910iL 23 to 27 April

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

Prince Louis was born on April 23 and the slogan was

introduced the same day.

Royal Mail supporting youth mental health 3984

5911I 10 May to date (initial use up to 20 May but see 5912I below)

Used in IMPs at most offices

5911iL 10 May to date (initial use to 11 May)

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

Type 3984 used as a filler slogan when no other slogan

was in use; replacing Type 3943.

Royal Mail proudly supporting Mental Health Awareness Week

Type 3985 IMP

Royal Mail proudly supporting Mental Health Awareness Week

Type 3985 iLSM

Royal mail proudly supports Children's Hospice Week 19 – 24 June May 2018

Type 3986

Royal Mail proudly supports Children's Hospice Week 21 - 27 May 2018

Royal mail proudly supports Children's Hospice Week 21 – 27 May 2018

IMP

Type 3986A

iLSM

Royal Mail proudly supports Children's Hospice Week 21 – 27 May 2018

Type 3986A iLSM corrected

Royal Mail supporting Mental Health Awareness Week

5912I c12 to 19 May

Seen on mail from IMPs addressed to Scotland and on Northern Ireland internal mail. Not used on mail addressed to England.

5912iL 11 to 17 May

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

Children's Hospice Week 19-24 June May (sic) 2018

<u> 3986</u>

5913iL 17 to 18 May

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size; date error quickly corrected (see 5914 below)

Children's Hospice Week 21-27 May 2018 3986A

5914I 21 to 23 May

Used in IMPs at most offices

5914iL 19 to 23 May

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size

There are two versions of the corrected slogan used in iLSMs. Initially the M of 'Mail' was in lower case (as it was in Type 3986) used after 5913iL on 18 May and on 19 May but then corrected on 21 May.

Commemorating the 65th anniversary of the Queen's Coronation 2 June 2018

Type 3987 IMP

Commemorating the 65th anniversary of the Queen's Coronation 2 June 2018

Type 3987 iLSM

Chippendale
300 years
1718 - 2018
A celebration
of Britains greatest
furniture maker

Chippendale 300 years 1718 - 2018 A celebration of Britain's greatest furniture maker

IMP

Type 3988

iLSM

150 years since the birth of polar explorer Captain Robert Falcon Scott 6 June 2018

150 years since the birth of polar explorer Captain Robert Falcon Scott 6 June 2018

IMP

Type 3989

iLSM

Hay Festival (2nd use)

3893

5915I 24 to 31 May

Used in IMPs at most offices

5915iL 24 to 31 May

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same

Slogan first used in 2016 (5801)

65th anniversary of the Queen's Coronation 3987

5916I 1 June

Used in IMPs at most offices

5916iL 31 May to 1 June

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

Chippendale 350 years

3988

5917I 2 to 4 June

Used in IMPs at most offices

5917iL 1 to 4 June

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

The apostrophe from Britain's is missing in the IMP version.

Captain Robert Falcon Scott

3989

5918I 4 to 7 June

Used in IMPs at most offices

5918iL 4 to 7 June

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.



IMP

Type 3990

iLSM (9 line)

Happy Father's Day! 17 June 2018

Happy Father's Day! 17 June 2018

IMP

Type 3991

iLSM

RA 250 1768-2018

3990

5919I 7 to 12 June

Used in IMPs at most offices

5919iL 8 to 11 June

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

RA = Royal Academy

There is a horizontal line at the top of the design only in the iLSM 9 line version. This does not appear if the cancellation is near the top of the envelope

Latest use:

11 Dec

Tyneside (IMP)

Happy Father's Day 2018

3991

5920I 14 to 15 June

Used in IMPs at most offices

5920iL 14 to 15 June

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same

Congraulations (sic) Benjamin Myers Winner Walter Scott Prize 3992

5921I 18 June

> Used in IMPs at most offices, error does not appear in iLSMs (see below)

Congratulations Benjamin Myers

3992A

5922I 19 to 21 June

Used in IMPs at most offices

5922iL 18 to 22 June

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

Latest use:

26 June

South East Anglia (IMP)

Dog Awareness Week 2018

3993

5923I 22 to 26 June

Used in IMPs at most offices

5923iL 25 to 26 June

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same

Latest use:

7 July NW Midlands (IMP)

Art Fund Museum of the Year Brooklands Museum

3994

5924I 27 June

Used in IMPs at most offices

5924iL 27 June

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

Congraulations Benjamin Myers Winner of the 2018 Walter Scott Prize for historical fiction

Type 3992

Congratulations Benjamin Myers Winner of the 2018 Walter Scott Prize for historical fiction

Type 3992A IMP

Congratulations Benjamin Myers Winner of the 2018 **Walter Scott Prize** for historical fiction

Type 3992A iLSM

Dog Awareness Week 2018 Get advice & tips royalmail.com/

Dog Awareness Week 2018 Get advice & tips at

dogawareness

royalmail.com/dogawareness

IMP

Type 3993

iLSM



Art Fund_ Museum of the Year 2018

Museum of the Year 2018 Finalist

Brooklands Museum

Brooklands Museum

IMP

Type 3994

iLSM



Art Fund_ Museum of the Year 2018 **Finalist**



Art Fund Museum of the Year 2018 **Finalist**

Ferens Art Gallery

Ferens Art Gallery

IMP

Type 3995

iLSM

Art Fund Museum of the Year Ferens Art Gallery

5925I 28 June

Used in IMPs at most offices

5925iL 28 June

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

Latest use:

14 July

NW Midlands (IMP)

Armed Forces Day 2018

3996

29 to 30 June 5926I

Used in IMPs at most offices

5926iL 28 to 29 June

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same

size

Armed Armed Forces Day Forces Day 30 June 2018 30 June 2018

IMP

Type 3996

iLSM



Art Fund_ Museum of the Year 2018 **Finalist**

Glasgow Women's Library

Type 3997



Art Fund_ Museum of the Year 2018 **Finalist**



Art Fund_ Museum of the Year 2018 **Finalist**

Tate St Ives

Tate St Ives

IMP

Type 3998

iLSM



Art Fund_ Museum of the Year 2018 **Finalist**



Art Fund_ Museum of the Year 2018

The Postal Museum

The Postal Museum

IMP

Type 3999

iLSM

Art Fund Museum of the Year Glasgow Women's

Library

5927iL 29 to 30 June

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes. Not used in IMPs, see 5926I above

Art Fund Museum of the Year Tate St Ives 3998

5928I 2 July

Used in IMPs at most offices

5928iL 2 July

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

Art Fund Museum of the Year The Postal Museum

5929I 3 July

Used in IMPs at most offices

5929iL 2 to 3 July

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

The winner of the 2018 award was Tate St Ives.

Michael Ondaatje Winner Golden Man Booker Prize

5930I 9 to 14 July

Used in IMPs at most offices

5930iL 9 to 13 July

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

Happy 200th Birthday Emily Bronte 4001

5931I 27 to 28 July

Used in IMPs at most offices

5931iL 27 July

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

Congratulations Michael Ondaatje Winner of the Golden Man Booker Prize for The English Patient 1992

Type 4000 IMP

Congratulations Michael Ondaatje Winner of the Golden Man Booker Prize for The English Patient (1992)

Type 4000 iLSM

Happy 200th Happy 200th birthday birthday **Emily Bronte**

30 July 2018

Emily Bronte 30 July 2018

Type 4001 iLSM

Congratulations **Henry Perry** Winner of the 2018 Wainwright Prize **UK Nature & Travel Writing**

Type 4002

First World War Centenary **AMIENS** REMEMBERED #amiens100

First World War Centenary **AMIENS** REMEMBERED #amiens100

IMP

Type 4003

iLSM

Henry Perry Winner Wainwright Prize 4002

5932I 2 Aug

Used in IMPs at most offices

Not used in iLSMs.

The actual winner of the prize was Adam Nicolson for The Seabird's Cry. Henry Perry is Royal Mail's Postmark Programme Manager whose name was presumably put in the draft design while RM were awaiting the announcement of the winner. The draft was then downloaded to IMPs before being hurriedly withdrawn!

First World War Amiens Remembered

4003

5933I 7 to 22 Aug

Used in IMPs at most offices

5933iL 7 to 10 Aug

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

Latest use:

11 Sep

Southampton (IMP)

Congratulations to Anna Burns Winner of the 2018 Man Booker Prize

Type 4004 IMP

Congratulations to **Anna Burns** Winner of the 2018 Man Booker Prize

Type 4004 iLSM

STOP MEN DYING TOO YOUNG SIGN UP OR DONATE AT MOVEMBER.COM



IMP

Type 4005

iLSM

Lest we forget Lest we forget 11.11.18 11.11.18 #Armistice100 #Armistice100

IMP Type 4006 iLSM

Happy 70th Birthday to **HRH The Prince** of Wales 14th November 2018

Type 4007 IMP

Happy 70th Birthday to HRH The Prince of Wales 14th November 2018

Type 4007 iLSM

Anna Burns Winner of Man Booker Prize 4004

5934I 17 to 22 Oct

Used in IMPs at most offices

5934iL 16 to 22 Oct

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same size.

Latest use:

29 Oct Bristol (IMP)

Stop men dying too young Movember (1st use) 4005

5935I 1 to 7 Nov

Used in IMPs at most offices

5935iL 30 Oct to 3 Nov

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

Congratulations Ross Edgley the first swimmer to the first swimmer to circumnavigate **Great Britain**

Congratulations Ross Edgley circumnavigate **Great Britain**

IMP

Type 4008

iLSM

Remember to Remember to **Post Early** Post Early this Christmas! this Christmas!

IMP

Type 4009

iLSM

Stay well Stay well this Winter! this Winter! Find out more at Find out more at nhs.uk/staywell nhs.uk/staywell

IMP

Type 4010

iLSM

Lest we Forget 11.11.18

4006

5936I 8 to 14 Nov

Used in IMPs at most offices

5936iL 7 to 10 Nov

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the

same size.

Latest use:

12 Dec

Chester (IMP)

Prince of Wales 70th Birthday

4007

5937I 14 Nov

Used in IMPs at most offices

5937iL 12 to 14 Nov

Used in iLSMs, both 9 and 11 line versions are the same

Congratulations Ross Edgley

4008

5938I 15 to 20 Nov

Used in IMPs at most offices

5938iL 14 to 20 Nov

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

On 4 November, Ross Edgley became the first person to swim around Britain. He took 157 days and swam

1791 miles without setting foot on land.

Stop men dying too young Movember (2nd use) 4005

5939I 21 to 27 Nov

Used in IMPs at most offices

5939iL 21 to 27 Nov

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

Latest use:

12 Dec

Gatwick (IMP)

Post Early this Christmas!

4009

28 Nov to 5 Dec 5940I

Used in IMPs at most offices

5940iL 28 Nov to 4 Dec

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

Merry Christmas!
Last posting dates:
2nd Class:
Tuesday 18th
1st Class:
Thursday 20th

Type 4011 IMP

Merry Christmas! Last posting dates for mail: 2nd class - Tuesday 18th 1st class - Thursday 20th

Type 4011 iLSM

Note: for the non-inkjet Christmas designs below, 3 to 24 Dec are the assumed dates of use although some have only been seen for a short time in December.

Happy Christmas please post early (no lines at right)

2890

5941 3 to 24 Dec

Leeds (North & West Yorkshire) two dies and Preston (Lancashire)

Happy Christmas please post early (lines at right) 2890A

5942 3 to 24 Dec

Preston (Lancashire) two dies and Stromness

Happy Christmas please post early (bilingual) 2891

5943 3 to 24 Dec

Used at Chester (bilingual town die).

Happy Christmas (1988 Welsh tree design) 2672

5944 3 to 24 Dec

Used at Chester (bilingual town die).

Post early for Christmas (candle design) 169

5945 3 to 24 Dec

Used at Leeds (North & West Yorkshire).

Stay well this Winter! 4010

5946I 5 to 13 Dec

Used in IMPs at most offices

5946iL 5 to 13 Dec

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

Latest use:

25 March 2019 Tyneside (IMP)

Merry Christmas 4011

5947I 13 to 20 Dec

Used in IMPs at most offices

5947iL 13 to 19 Dec

Used in iLSMs in two different sizes.

MISCELLANEOUS SLOGANS

Amendments/additions to lists shown in *Collecting Slogan Postmarks* and other volumes in the *Slogan Postmarks of the UK* series:

M30 Also used at Paisley on incorrectly dated meter mail, September 1992 seen.

Seen used at Leeds (North & West Yorkshire) in black ink Feb 2015

Add

M32t Used at Shrewsbury (Shropshire & Mid-Wales) 22 June 1988 transposed

M65R Used March 2017; in Autumn 2013 it was again used on 'Received out of course' C9 mail

M78 Continued until at least May 2016 at Manchester

M78R Used 19 Dec 2015 incorrectly on stamped mail at Preston (Lancashire South Lakes)

Continued until at least July 2016 at Edinburgh

M 81 probably finished at the end of March 2014 when second class postage increased to 53p.

Add:

Do not Surcharge Revenue Protection London Central
M 85 last used 1 May 2012

This slogan was found in an SCM machine which came into the BPMA (British Postal Museum & Archive). The town die was Mount Pleasant P and dated 1 May 2012. It had obviously been used because of the ink on the die; no image is available at present.

It is not known whether the 1 May 2012 date is significant, neither M82 nor M83 have been seen since that date.

ACCESS OUT OF COURSE BRISTOL MC 14/06/2013

Type M86

M 86I Used in an IMP on C9 mail 'Received Out of Course' at Bristol (see P70 Slogan Postmarks 2000 to 2012).

Initially used from Dec 2012 without a date - the date was added from about 10 June 2013.

2013-2014

Cleared by Revenue Protection DO NOT SURCHARGE South Midlands Mail Centre

Type M87

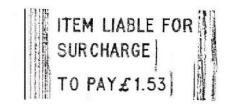
Cleared by Revenue Protection

M87

M 87iL 11 May 2013 but no datestamp

Used in error in an iLSM at Northampton (South Midlands Mail Centre). A trial was carried out printing inkjet Revenue Protection messages; they should have only been used on test mail but in error this one was applied to some live second class mail. There is no block quality mark, the date has been worked out from the coding bars.





Type M88

M 88 Item liable for surcharge to pay £1.53 M88

M 88 16 July 2014 seen but probably used from April 2014 until March 2015 while second class postage was 53p.

Used in black ink at Glasgow.

By air mail = Par avion =

The above slogan was used transposed on mail handed in during a Postal Mechanisation Study Circle visit to London FS in late October 1988. Although there was a German address on the cover, there was no Air Mail label and it carried normal 1st class postage. The datestamp was a London FS handstamp. There have been no reports of the slogan being used on commercial mail. Airmail slogans were used from the mid 1990s (see M61 etc in *Slogan Postmarks of the Nineties Part 2*).

EXCEPTIONAL USES

Amendments/additions to lists shown in *Collecting Slogan Postmarks* and other volumes in the *Slogan Postmarks of the UK* series:

E 19 Add London FS M seen 9 Oct 1959

E 427 Probably ended early Dec 2013 when Christmas slogan started; presumably not used after that as wavy lines seen in Jan 2014

Add:

Voters Lists 98A

EA25 Used with Stockport B town die 8 March 1961.
Used only with the A die at the correct time in late 1960; Stockport B was recorded with the Christmas Candle slogan in December.

FORCES MAIL

Amendment to Collecting Slogan Postmarks:

Type F3 **Add** Bristol 1938

Only one copy recorded, used 12 July 1938 with Bristol C town die

MARITIME SLOGANS

Amendment to *Collecting Slogan Postmarks:* Type P5 Grays seen used April 1967

ISLE OF MAN SLOGANS

Amendments/additions to lists shown in *Collecting Slogan Postmarks* and other volumes in the *Slogan Postmarks of the UK* series:

IM122t reported from Ramsey 12 Nov 2015 but Ramsey appears to have stopped cancelling mail, they moved to new premises in Feb 2016 and nothing has been seen since.

IM125t continued in use to date at Douglas

IM126t continued in use to date at Douglas

IM127t Used probably until the end of 2013, see IM148t below

IM M3Rt still in use (latest seen Nov 2016)

<u>2013</u>

<u>Available 24/7 Samaritans</u> (9th use) <u>IM42</u>

IM145t 2 Jan (assumed start date) to 11 Feb

Used in both types of Siemens machine at Douglas.

Available 24/7 Samaritans (10th use) IM42

IM146t 18 Nov (earliest seen) to 18 Jan 2014 (latest seen) Used in both types of Siemens machine at Douglas.

<u>2014</u>

Be properly addressed 2156

IM147t 30 Jan seen

Used in Universal machine at Douglas; IM125t continues in use to date.

It is probable that a Valentine's Day slogan was used in February in the new Siemens inkjet machine but no copies have been reported.

Collect IOM Stamps IM25

IM148t 26 Feb 2014 to at least Oct 2015 (no year showing in datestamp)

Used at Ramsey, possibly started at the beginning of the year.

The telephone number on the slogan is no longer valid.

Happy Mother's Day

IM149t 28 March seen

Used at Douglas in the Siemens inkjet machine.

Happy Easter

IM150t 17 Apr seen

Used at Douglas in the Siemens inkjet machine.

Available 24/7 Samaritans 08457 909090

Type IM 42 (new inkjet)





IM43

IM44

Type IM 43

Type IM 44

TT FESTIVAL 2014

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

Type IM 45

Type IM 46

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TT Festival 2014

IM45

IM151t 6 June seen

Used at Douglas in the Siemens inkjet machine.

Happy Father's Day

IM46

IM152t 13 June seen

Used at Douglas in the Siemens inkjet machine.

Isle of Man Post Office Postcodes What's yours?

IM47

IM153t 26 to 30 Aug

Used at Douglas in the Siemens inkjet machine; the town die now reads ISLE OF MAN / POST OFFICE replacing ISLE OF MAN POST / DOUGLAS.

Used again in 2015

Use of the original Siemens machines seems to have stopped by the end of August 2014.

Advertise your organisation or event in this space

IM48

IM154t 1 to probably 13 Sep initially.

Used again in 2014 and 2015

Used at Douglas in the Siemens inkjet machine.

See IM177t for same design with telephone number.

ISLE OF MAN POST OFFICE

Postcodes What's yours?

Type IM 47

ADVERTISE YOUR
ORGANISATION OR EVENT
IN THIS SPACE WITH
ISLE OF MAN POST OFFICE
FOR MORE INFORMATION
VISIT: WWW.IOMPOST.COM

Type IM 48



Clinic Celebrating 50 years of cervical screening

Samaritans Isle of Man Our new local number is 0300 30 300 36 Here for you 24/7

Type IM 49 Type IM 50

Staywell Clinic
IM155t 15 to 20 Sep

Used at Douglas in the Siemens inkjet machine.

IM49

Samaritans Isle of Man 0300 30 300 36 IM50

IM156t 24 Nov 2014 to 25 Jan 2015

Official end date 17 Jan 2015

Used at Douglas in the Siemens inkjet machine.

The Postage Paid and Air Mail Postage Paid slogans have also been seen from the new machine.

2015

All the following slogans were used at Douglas with "Isle of Man/Post Office" datestamp.



ADVERTISE YOUR SPECIAL EVENT HERE

Type IM51



Type IM52

HAPPY CHINESE NEW YEAR Win a Penny Black worth £500!

Plus other fantastic prizes worth over £1,000 Visit www.iompost.com

Type IM53

新年快乐

Type IM54

Send your love by post

<u>IM51</u>

IM157t 10 Feb seen - not on the Post Office list of slogans

Happy Valentine's Day

IM52

IM158t 12 to 14 Feb (official dates)

Happy Chinese New Year

IM53

IM159t 19 and 20 Feb seen, probably used 18 to 21 Feb; 'Advertise Here' (Type IM48) was in use on 16 Feb and again on 23 Feb.

Win a Penny Black

IM54

IM160t 25 Feb (earliest seen) probably to 4 March; used again, 16 March seen, also from about 22 to 28 April and (official dates) 14 to 29 May. The competition closed on 31 May.

Have you set up your safe place?

IM55

IM161t Used on island mail only, no dates given but seen 5 to 8 and 16 March; interrupted by IM162t

Happy Mother's Day

<u>IM43</u>

IM162t 9 to 14 March (official dates 12 to 15 March - a Sunday)

New Solar Eclipse Post Office Collectable IM56
IM163t Official dates 17 to 24 March, 23 March seen

IM164t Happy Easter (chicken and egg)

IM57

IM164t 30 March to 7 April (official dates 1 to 7 April which was the Tuesday after Easter)

IOM PO also said last year's design (Type IM44) was used for the same dates but no reports received.

Millennium of Tynwald Tapestry First day IM58
IM165t 7 to 14 April (official dates 9 to 14 April)

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WI Talk about Organ Donation

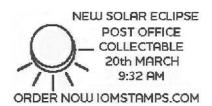
<u>IM59</u>

IM166t 14 to 21 April

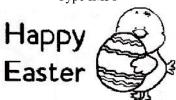
WI 100 years Stamp issue IM60
IM167t 22 to 28 April



Type IM55



Type IM56



Type IM57

THE MILLENNIUM OF
TYNWALD TAPESTRY
FIRST DAY OF ISSUE
10.04.2015
ISLE OF MAN
ORDER NOW IOMPOST.COM

Type IM58



Type IM59

John Halsall's Maritime History
IM168t 29 Apr to 5 May

IM61

NEW STAMP ISSUE



WOMEN FOR 100 YEARS 1915-2015

ORDER NOW IOMPOST.COM

Type IM60

NEW STAMP ISSUE John Halsall's

MARITIME History

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Announcing the birth of H.R.H. The Princess of Cambridge

on 2 May 2015 • 8.34am ORDER NOW IOMPOST.COM

Type IM61

Type IM62

NEW STAMP ISSUE
WATERLOO 200
1815 - 2015
A DEFINING MOMENT IN
EUROPEAN HISTORY
ORDER NOW IOMPOST.COM

Type IM63

Announcing the birth of HRH The Princess of

Cambridge IM6

IM169t 5 to 8 May

There was also a handstamp version dated 2 May which was applied to a commemorative cover and which had slightly different wording.

New Stamp Issue Waterloo 200 IM63

IM170t 8 to 14 May (official start date 9 May)

IM171t Best online Forex rates on the island only, 23 May seen IM64

Isle of Man celebrates 2015 TT IM65
IM172t 29 May to 15 June

INTI/2t 29 May to 13 Julie

IM173t New Stamp Issue Pomp & Circumstance IM66
IM173t 15 to 18 June (official end date 21 June - a Sunday, but see IM174 below)

 $\frac{\text{Happy Father's Day}}{\text{IM}174t} \quad \frac{\text{IM}46}{\text{19 to 20 June (official end date 21 June - a Sunday)}}$

Happy 21st Birthday Charlotte Stewart IM67
IM175t 22 to 23 June

The slogan IM154t introduced in Sep 2014 offered postmark advertising for organisations or events. IM175t was the first of several family occasions to be commemorated on a slogan postmark.

Safe Place IM68

IM176t 23 to 30 June

Used again later in the year and in 2016 as a 'filler' slogan, probably on island mail only.

ISLE OF MAN POST OFFICE VISIT WWW.IOMPOST.COM FOR THE BEST **ONLINE FOREX** \$ RATES ON ISLAND €

Type IM64

ISLE OF MAN CELEBRATES 2015 TT

NEW STAMP ISSUE



POMP & CIRCUMSTANCE THE REIGN OF QUEEN ELIZABETH II ORDER NOW IOMPOST.COM

Type IM65

Type IM66

HAPPY 21st BIRTHDAY CHARLOTTE STEWART FROM MUM AND KIRA WWW.IOMPOST.COM

SAFE PLACE "BE IN WHEN YOU **ARE OUT" ASK YOUR POSTMAN OR VISIT**

Type IM67

Type IM68

ADVERTISE YOUR ORGANISATION OR EVENT IN THIS SPACE WITH ISLE OF MAN POST OFFICE. FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL: 01624 698444

Type IM48A

NEW STAMP ISSUE

50 YEARS OF THE CURRAGHS WILDLIFE PARK



ORDER NOW IOMPOST.COM

Type IM69



BUY VEHICLE NUMBER PLATES AT YOUR LOCAL POST OFFICE DELIVERED TO YOUR DOOR

Type IM70



Type IM71



Type IM72

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ISLE OF MAN POST OFFICE MARK VICTORY OVER JAPAN -THE END OF WW2 #VJDAY70 15TH AUGUST 2015 **IOMSTAMPS.COM**

Type IM73

Type IM74

Advertise (telephone number)

IM48A

IM177t 24 June seen, not on the PO list of slogans but an image is shown on the Business section of their website in connection with postmark advertising. For the original version with the website rather than the telephone number see IM 154t.

Curraghs Wildlife Park stamp issue

IM69

IM178t 1 to 7 July

Buy Vehicle Number Plates at Post Office IM70 IM179t 7 to 10 July (official dates) but 27 July seen. Used on island mail only.

Manx Buses Part II stamp issue IM71 IM180t 10 to 13 Jul seen, not on the PO list of slogans

Lynda & Mark 01.08.15 IM181t 31 July to 1 Aug See below IM175t.

IM72

Isle of Man Post Office www.iompost.com IM73 IM182t 6 Aug earliest seen, appears to be another 'filler' slogan

> **VISIT IOM STAMP & COINS** AT THE VMCC FESTIVAL OF JURBY 2015, FOR OFFICAL TT MERCHANDISE



30th**AUGUST** 2015

Type IM75

Isle of Man Post Office celebrates a lifetime of service of HM Queen Elizabeth II

Type IM76

Isle of Man Post Office commemorates 75th Anniversary – Battle of Britain Day

Type IM77

NEW STAMP ISSUE

150th Anniversary of the Isle of Man Companies' Act

1865 - 2015 ORDER NOW IOMSTAMPS.COM

Type IM78

NEW STAMP ISSUE

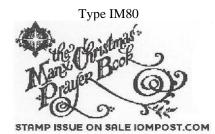
BRYAN KNEALE RA SIX DECADES

ORDER NOULIOMSTAMPS.COM

Type IM79

WORLD **POST DAY** 9th OCT 2015

WWW.IOMPOST.COM



Type IM81

Victory over Japan IM183t 12 to 15 Aug

IM74

VMCC Festival of Jurby 2015 IM75

IM184t 24 to 30 Aug (official dates) on island mail only

Lifetime of Service Queen Elizabeth II IM76 IM185t 9 Sep seen, not on the PO list of slogans although was shown on the Post Office Twitter feed.

75th Anniversary Battle of Britain Day IM77

IM186t 14 to 15 Sep

150th Anniversary Companies' Act stamp issue IM78

IM187t 22 to 30 Sep

Bryan Kneale RA stamp issue

IM188t 30 Sep to 8 Oct

IM79

IM80

World Post Day IM189t 8 to 10 Oct

Manx Christmas Prayer Book stamp issue IM81 IM190t 20 to 24 Oct (official dates) but seen on 26 Oct as well

ISLE OF MAN BANK **CELEBRATING** 150 YEARS OF **COMMUNITY BANKING** 1865 - 2015

LEST WE FORGET REMEMBRANCE **DAY 2015**

Type IM82

Type IM83

PLEASE INCLUDE THE POSTCODE. YOU'RE NOT PROPERLY **ADDRESSED** WITHOUT IT

HAS THE SENDER **INCLUDED YOUR** POSTCODE? IF NOT PLEASE TELL THEM YOUR POSTCODE

Type IM84

Type IM85



Type IM86

ISLE OF MAN POST OFFICE EXTENDS



Type IM87

Isle of Man Bank 150 years IM82 IM191t 24 to 26 Oct

Lest we Forget Remembrance Day 2015 IM83

IM192t 10 to 11 Nov

Please include the Postcode IM84

IM193t 13 Nov earliest seen, another 'filler' slogan

Has the sender included your Postcode? IM85 IM194t 13 Nov (official start date), another 'filler' slogan

1st Birthday Tiernan Farrell IM86

IM195t 25 to 26 Nov See IM175t

> Season's Greetings IM87

IM196t 13 to 31 Dec

<u>2016</u>

Dates given are those supplied by IOM Post Office.

Type IM84 was seen at various times through the year acting as a 'filler' slogan.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

www.iompost.com

Type IM88

NEW STAMP ISSUE
ROYAL AERONAUTICAL
SOCIETY.
CELEBRATING
150 YEARS
ORDER NOW IOMSTAMPS.COM

Type IM89



IM197t	Happy New Year 1 to at least 4 Jan	<u>IM88</u>
IM198t	Royal Aeronautical Society stamp issue 11 to 17 Jan but 10 Jan reported	<u>IM89</u>
IM199t	Happy Chinese New Year Date unclear, not reported by PO	<u>IM53</u>
IM200t	Happy Valentine's Day 12 Feb seen, not reported by PO	<u>IM52</u>
IM201t	Matt Sewell's Birds stamp issue 24 to 30 March	<u>IM90</u>
IM202t	Excellent Exchange Rates on the Island 30 March to 15 April on island mail only	<u>IM91</u>
IM203t	<u>Census 2016</u> 18 to 30 April	<u>IM92</u>
IM204t	Drive safely during TT Week 1 to 12 June on island mail only	<u>IM93</u>
IM205t	Isle of Man celebrates TT 2016 1 to 12 June on outward mail	<u>IM94</u>
IM206t	Great Father's Day gift ideas 13 to 14 June	<u>IM95</u>





COMPLETE YOUR CENSUS FORM 24 APRIL

Type IM92

DRIVE SAFELY DURING TT WEEK

Type IM93

ISLE OF MAN CELEBRATES TT 2016

Type IM94

GET GREAT FATHER'S DAY GIFT IDEAS AT IOMSTAMPS.COM

Type IM95

IM207t	<u>Churches of Parish Walk stamp issue</u> 14 to 17 June, 20 June also seen. Interrupted	<u>IM96</u> by IM208t
IM208t	Happy Father's Day! 17 June seen, not reported by PO	<u>IM46</u>
IM209t	Laa Tinvaal, 500 laa Jerrey Souree, 2016 1 to 5 July Laa Tinvaal is Manx for Tynwald Day, 5 Jul	<u>IM97</u> ly
IM210t	100 Years IOM War Pensions Committee 4 to 9 Aug	<u>IM98</u>
IM211t	Shaun the Sheep Royal Manx Show 9 to 15 Aug	<u>IM99</u>
IM212t	<u>Islands and Bridges stamp issue</u> 18 to 26 Aug	<u>IM100</u>

NEW STAMP ISSUE CHURCHES OF THE PARISH WALK 15.06.2016

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Type IM96

Laa Tinvaal, 500 laa Jerrey Souree, 2016

Type IM97



1916 · 15T IN THE BRITISH ISLES · 2016

Type IM98

Spannapspeak

at NFU Mutual stand in the maze at the Royal Manx Show on Fri 12th and Sat 13th Aug 2016

Type IM99

NEW STAMP ISSUE

ISLANDS AND BRIDGES
THE ART OF
ROGER DEAN
19.08.16

ORDER NOW IOMSTAMPS.COM

Type IM100

Ramsey Grammar School IM101
IM213t 15 to 19 Sep

Biosphere stamp issue IM102

IM214t 3 to 10 Oct, not sure about end date - see below

World Post Day
IM215t 6 to 10 Oct (6 Oct start date confirmed)

50 years of Postcodes IM104

IM216t 11 to 15 Oct

Christmas Pantomimes stamp issue IM105

IM217t 19 to 26 Oct

Lest we Forget 2016 IM106

IM218t 9 to 12 Nov

CELEBRATING
70 YEARS OF
COMPREHENSIVE

MPREHENSIVE EDUCATION 16.09.2015

Type IM101

NEW STAMP ISSUE
BIOSPHERE ISLE OF MAN
THINK GREEN
7/10/16
ORDER NOW
WWW.IOMPOST.COM/BIOSPHERE

Type IM102

WORLD
POST DAY

9TH OCT 2016
WWW.IOMPOST.COM

Type IM103

50 YEARS OF POSTCODES

YOU'RE NOT PROPERLY ADDRESSED WITHOUT IT

www.iompost.com

Type IM104



Type IM105

REMEMBRANCE DAY 2016

Type IM106

Sending Mail to Operational BFPO?
IM219t 18 to 21 Nov on island mail only

Post early for Christmas Last posting dates IM108

IM220t 21 to 26 Nov on island mail only although has been seen on outward mail

IM107

SENDING MAIL TO
OPERATIONAL BFPO?
25th NOVEMBER IS THE
LAST RECOMMENDED
POSTING DATE OVER
THE FESTIVE PERIOD

Type IM107

POST EARLY FOR CHRISTMAS. LAST POSTING DATES AVAILABLE AT IOMPOST.COM

Type IM108



Type IM110

SENDING MAIL TO STATIC BFPO? 14th DECEMBER IS THE LAST RECOMMENDED POSTING DATE OVER THE FESTIVE PERIOD

Type IM111

ISLE OF MAN POST OFFICE

VISIT

WWW.IOMPOST.COM

FOR COMPETITIVE

EXCHANGE RATES

S ON ISLAND

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Type IM112

URGENT OR VALUABLE
ITEMS TO POST?
USE OUR GUARANTEED
SPECIAL DELIVERY
SERVICE.
VISIT iompost.com

Type IM113

PLANNING A TRIP AWAY?
DON'T FORGET
YOUR MAIL!
TAKE A LOOK AT OUR
KEEPSAFE SERVICE AT
iompost.com

Type IM114

SENDING MAIL TO THE UK? 21st DECEMBER IS THE LAST RECOMMENDED POSTING DATE OVER THE FESTIVE PERIOD

Type IM115



Type IM116

IM221 Type IM109 deleted as a repeat use of Type IM68

IM222t	Post early for Christmas 1 to 20 Dec on outward mail	<u>IM110</u>
IM223t	Sending Mail to Static BFPO? 1 to 5 Dec on island mail only	<u>IM111</u>
IM224t	Competive Exchange Rates on Island 5 to 9 Dec on island mail only	<u>IM112</u>
IM225t	Urgent or valuable items to post? 9 to 13 Dec on island mail only	<u>IM113</u>
IM226t	Planning a trip away? 13 to 17 Dec on island mail only	<u>IM114</u>
IM227t	Sending Mail to the UK? 17 to 20 Dec on island mail only	<u>IM115</u>
IM228t	Post Office extends Seasons Greetings 20 to 31 Dec (19 Dec seen)	<u>IM116</u>

2017

Types IM64, IM84, IM111, IM109, IM112, IM114 have been seen at times during the year and are being regarded as filler slogans

FROM THE ISLE OF MAN POST OFFICE iompost.com

Type IM117

NEW STAMP ISSUE
THE HEARTS OF
ELLAN VANNIN
BY ADAM BERRY
19 JANUARY 2017

iompost.com/adamberry

Type IM118



www.iompost.com

Type IM119

INTERNATIONAL
WOMEN'S DAY
WEDNESDAY
8th MARCH 2017
#BeBoldForChange

IM120

150TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE FIRST POPULAR ELECTION OF THE BOUSE OF KEYS



Type IM121

Happy New Year

IM117

IM229t 1 to 5 Jan

Hearts of Ellan Vannin

IM118

IM230t 19 to 26 Jan

Ellan Vannin is the Manx name for the Isle of Man

Send your love by Post

IM231t 3 to 6 Feb

Happy Valentine's Day

IM52

IM52

ISLE OF MAN FESTIVALS MINIATURE SHEET

ISSUE DATE 06.04.2017
ORDER NOW IOMPOST.COM/FESTIVALS

Type IM122

CELEBRATING 125 YEARS OF THE MANX MUSIC, SPEECH AND DANCE FESTIVAL 21.04.2017 - 29.04.2017

Type IM123



Type IM124

New Stamp Issue



BY NICOLA DIXON

www.iompost.com/greenmann

Type IM125

IM120

International Women's Day

IM233t 7 to 8 March

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Happy Mother's Day IM234t 23 March seen	<u>IM43</u>
The House of Keys IM235t 27 March to 9 April	<u>IM121</u>
Isle of Man Festivals IM236t 10 to 14 April	<u>IM122</u>
No Easter slogan has been reported for 2017.	
125 Years of Manx Music IM237t 21 to 28 April	<u>IM123</u>
Stamp Day 4th May IM238t 3 to 4 May	<u>IM124</u>
Green Mann IM239t 4 to 10 May	<u>IM125</u>
300 Years of Freemasonry IM240t 11 to 16 May	<u>IM126</u>
TT Winners New Stamp Issue IM241t 27 May to 15 June	<u>IM127</u>

New Stamp Issue 300 YEARS of FREEMASONRY

www.iompost.com/freemasons

Type IM126

NEW STAMP ISSUE

FEATURING JOEY DUNLOP, STEVE HISLOP, IAN SIMPSON AND IAN HUTCHINSON ISSUE DATE 26.05.17

Type IM127

Mananan International Festival of Music and of the Arts Erin Art Centre 19.06.2017 - 01.07.2017

Type IM128

HSBC UK | National Road Championships Isle of Man 22nd – 25th June 2017

Type IM129

Laa Tinvaal, 500 laa Jerrey Souree, 2017

Type IM130

Happy Father's Day

IM242t	15 to 17 June seen	
IM243t	Mananan Internationa Festival of Music 19 to 21 June	<u>IM128</u>
IM244t	HSBC UK National Road Championships 21 to 25 June	<u>IM129</u>
IM245t	Laa Tinvaal 500 4 to 7 July Laa Tinvaal is Manx for Tynwald Day, the National Day. In 2017 it was 5 July.	IM130 Isle of Man's
IM246t	Southern Agricultural Show 25 to 30 July (24 July seen)	<u>IM131</u>
IM247t	Royal Manx Agricultural Show 8 to 12 August	<u>IM132</u>

Visit Isle of Man Post Office at the Southern Agricultural Show 29th – 30th July 2017

Type IM131

VISIT
ISLE OF MAN POST OFFICE
AT THE
ROYAL MANX
AGRICULTURAL SHOW
11TH - 12TH AUGUST 2017

Type IM132

Type IM133 no image available

Share the Dream of the Queen's Baton XXI Commonwealth Games Queen's Baton Relay Isle of Man 1st to 4th September 2017

Type IM134

New Stamp Issue: Invention & Innovation Dr John C Taylor OBE 13.09.2017

www.iompost.com/DrJohnCTaylor

Type IM135

Isle of Man
Food and Drink
Festival
Villa Marina
16.09.2017-17.09.2017

Type IM136

Good Luck Miss Isle of Man Finalists IM133

IM248t 4 Aug reported

This slogan was not shown on the IOM Post Office listing and no image is currently available. The finals were on 6 August.

Queen's Baton Relay Commonwealth Games IM134

IM249t 30 Aug to 4 Sep

<u>Invention & Innovation</u> <u>IM135</u>

IM250t 7 to 13 Sep

Isle of Man Food and Drink Festival IM136

IM251t 13 to 19 Sep

IM46

New Stamp Issue: Bloodhound SSC Miniature Sheet 22.09.2017 www.iompost.com/bloodhound

Type IM137



Type IM138

Happy Birthday
Keri Hampson
16 Years Old
Today
4-10-17

Type IM139

New Stamp Issue: Manx Cats by Leslie Anne Ivory 10.10.2017

www.iompost.com/manxcats

Type IM 140

IM252t	Bloodhound SSC Miniature Sheet 20 to 28 Sep seen, also reported 12 Oct Not on post office listing	<u>IM137</u>
IM253t	1st Birthday Georgie Simpson 22 to 23 Sep	<u>IM138</u>
IM254t	Happy Birthday Keri Hampson 3 to 4 Oct	<u>IM139</u>
IM255t	New Stamp Issue Manx Cats 4 to 11 Oct	<u>IM140</u>
IM256t	Twelve Days of Christmas 11 to 23 Oct, also reported 25 Oct	<u>IM141</u>
IM257t	Manx Language Festival 19 and 20 Oct seen, not on post office listing	<u>IM142</u>
IM258t	Happy Silver Wedding Simpson 23 to 24 Oct	<u>IM143</u>

New Stamp Issue: The Twelve Days of Christmas by Catherine Rowe 19.10.2017 www.iomstamps.com

Type IM141

Yn Chruinnaght & Cooish Manx Language Festival 20 - 21 October 2017 www.ynchruinnaght.com

Type IM142

HAPPY SILVER
WEDDING
ANNIVERSARY
FIONA & GARY
SIMPSON
24/10/1992

Type IM143

LEST WE FORGET

JEANMAYD JARROOD

ER-AGGLE DY

Type IM144

Visit
iompost.com/christmas
for all of the last
recommended
posting dates
and destinations

Type IM145

A VERY
MERRY CHRISTMAS
FROM ALL AT THE
ISLE OF MAN
POST OFFICE

Type IM146

 Lest We Forget
 IM144

 IM259t
 9 to 13 Nov

 Visit iompost.com/Christmas
 IM145

 IM260t
 5 to 22 Dec (1 Dec seen)

 A Very Merry Christmas
 IM146

 IM261t
 22 to 28 Dec (21 Dec seen)

2018

Types IM47, IM68, IM84 have been seen at times during the year and are being regarded as filler slogans.

Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary John and Janet Tyson Love From Mel, Char and Kira xxxx

Type IM147

New Stamp Issue:
Manx Tholtans
by Ray Kelly
05.01.18
www.iomstamps.com

Type IM148

Happy New Year IM117
IM262t 3 Jan seen

<u>Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary</u> <u>IM147</u> IM263t 3 to 4 Jan

1112031 3 10 4 3411

Manx Tholtans by Ray Kelly IM148

IM264t 4 to 15 Jan

Manx by Design IM149 IM265t 29 Jan to 12 Feb

Happy 1st Wedding Anniversary IM150
IM266t 4 to 5 Feb

NEW STAMP ISSUE

Manx by Design - Preen by Thornton Bregazzi

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Type IM149

Happy 1st Wedding Anniversary

Robert and Chantelle 4th February 2018

Type IM150

NEW STAMP ISSUE

Chinese Year of the Dog 08.02.18

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Type IM151

NEW STAMP ISSUE

The Film Adaptations of Hall Caine 14.02.18

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Type IM152

HAPPY 70th BIRTHDAY FRINKLE

Type IM153

Chinese Year of the Dog
IM151
IM267t 5 to 13 Feb

Film Adaptions of Hall Caine
IM268t 13 to 20 Feb (seen 21 Feb)

Happy 70th Birthday Frinkle
IM269t 23 Feb official date but seen 13 Nov

International Women's Day
IM270t 7 to 8 March

Happy Mother's Day
IM43
IM271t 9 March seen

INTERNATIONAL
WOMEN'S DAY
THURSDAY
8th MARCH 2018
#PressForProgress

Type IM154

In memory of Professor Stephen Hawking 1942 - 2018

Type IM155

NEW STAMP ISSUE

Harry and Megan – A Celebration Issue Date 28.03.18

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Type IM156

Great British Motorcycles

Order New: iompost.com/motorcycles

Type IM157

TT 2018
Keep Calm and
Ride Safe
#KeepCalmTT

Type IM158

Professor Stephen Hawking	IM155	
IM272t	31 March	IM155
Harry and Megan - A Celebration	IM156	
IM273t	26 March to 9 April	IM157
Great British Motorcycles	IM157	
IM274t	14 to 25 May	IM158
IM275t	1 to 12 June	
Post early for Father's Day	IM159	
IM155	IM156	
IM157	IM158	
IM158	IM159	
IM159		

Manx Electric Railway 125th Anniversary IM160
IM277t 27 June to 7 July

IM276t 12 to 18 June

You can't put a text on a mantelpiece. Post early for Father's Day Sunday 17th June

Type IM159

NEW STAMP ISSUE Manx Electric Railway 125th Anniversary 30.06.18

Order Now: iompost.com/MER125

Type IM160



Type IM161

Isle of Man Post Office
Public Consultation
22.08.18 - 02.10.18
Have Your Say
iompost.com/consultation

Type IM162



Type IM163

Cooish Manx Language Festival 2018

Type IM164

Available 24/7 Samaritans 116 123

Type IM165

Misérables 2ND TO 16TH MARCH 2019 WWW.VILLAGAIETY.COM TICKET HOTLINE 01624 600555

Type IM166

IM278t	Andrew and Sophie's Wedding Day 2 to 3 Aug	<u>IM161</u>
IM279t	Post Office Public Consultation 20 Aug to 2 Oct	<u>IM162</u>
IM280t	Isle of Woman 31 Oct to 2 Nov but seen from 24 Oct	<u>IM163</u>
IM280t	Cooish Manx Language Festival 2018 15 to 16 Nov	<u>IM164</u>
IM281t	Available 24/7 Samaritans 1 to 31 Dec (official dates) but seen from 15 This is a new telephone number (see Type II	

<u>Les Misérables</u> <u>IM166</u> IM282t 3 to 10 Jan 2019 (official dates) but seen 17 Dec 2018

GUERNSEY SLOGANS

Guernsey Post installed two new Siemens sorting machines in 2014 replacing the old one (see Type G59). Testing was undertaken using real mail in March. The slogans used so far are shown below but it is unclear whether both machines use the same slogan on a given day. A Postage Paid slogan has also been seen. All are used with a 'Guernsey Post' town die of 32mm diameter; the previous machine's town die was 28mm.

The timing of the introduction of the various slogans is unknown at present so the order of the listings may change in the future. I am grateful to Guernsey Post for making these illustrations available.

Amendments/additions to lists shown in *Collecting Slogan Postmarks* and other volumes in the *Slogan Postmarks of the UK* series:

G9t Seen used 21 Nov 1973

G70t ended at some time in 2014 when the original Siemens machine was decommissioned, latest seen 30 July 2014, but was used during Dec 2014.

Also seen 10 May 2016 with the 28mm town die



Type G 59 (new machine)



www.guernseypost.com

Type G 60

Type G61, no copy seen



Type G 62

<u>2014</u>

Guernsey Post G60

G 72t 3 March 2014 (earliest seen) to date

Used in the new Siemens machine with 'Guernsey Post' town die. This is presumed to act as a 'filler' slogan.

Happy Mothers Day

<u>G61</u>

G73t No copies seen but Guernsey Post reported that it was used, presumably in late March. No illustration has been made available.



Type G 63



www.guernseypost.com/qos

Type G 64

Remembrance Day

www.guernseypost.com

Type G 65



www.guernseystamps.com

Type G 66



www.guernseypost.com

Type G 67

Please use the Post code

G59

G74t No copies seen but Guernsey Post

reported that it was used; assumed to be another 'filler' slogan. Same design as G70t but larger.

Happy Fathers Day 5 to 9 June seen

G62

G63

G75t

G76t

Love Stamps

9 June 2014, seen again in 2015 and 2016 assumed to be another 'filler' slogan.

How did we do? Rate us

G64

G77t ? July seen – date unclear

G78t	12 Nov seen	<u>G65</u>
G79t	Season's Greetings 2, 3 Dec seen	<u>G66</u>
G80t	Happy Christmas 10 to 18 Dec seen	<u>G67</u>

<u>2015</u>



www.guernseypost.com

Type G68



Get more for your money

www.batif.gg

Happy New Year

Type G69



www.guernseypost.com

Type G70

G81t	2 Jan seen	
G82t	BATIF Get more for your money 26 March seen but PO reported it was use A 'filler' slogan, seen used 2017 and 2018	•
G83t	Valentines Day 13 Feb seen	<u>G70</u>
G84t	Year of the Goat None seen but PO reported it was used; the Goat started on 19 Feb.	G71 e Year of the
C95+	Mothers Day	<u>G72</u>

2 to 10 March seen G85t Unsure if this is the same design as last year but Guernsey PO did not appear to use pictures in their designs at that time.

Year of the Goat Love stamps

www.guernseystamps.com Type G71



Type G72



www.guernseypost.com Type G73



www.guernseystamps.com

Type G74

Don't forget **Fathers Day**

www.guernseypost.com

Type G75

G86t	<u>Happy Easter</u> 1 April seen	<u>G73</u>
G87t	70 Years of Liberation 8 May seen	<u>G74</u>
G88t	<u>Don't forget Fathers Day</u> None seen but PO reported it was used	<u>G75</u>
G89t	Sark: 450 years None seen but PO reported it was used, the owner in August	G76 celebrations
G90t	Her Majesty: Longest Reigning Monarch None seen but PO reported it was used in Se	G77 eptember

G68

Sark: 450 years as a Fief to the Crown

www.guernseystamps.com
Type G76

Her Majesty: The Longest Reigning Monarch (1952 ~ 2015)

www.guernseystamps.com

Type G77



www.guernseypost.com

Type G78

World Post Day

G78

None seen but PO reported it was used; World Post Day was 9 October

Season's Greetings G66

G92t 2 Dec seen

Happy Christmas G67

G93t Mid Dec seen, date unclear

The following slogan was reported used by Guernsey PO but has not been seen. The previous version of 'Love Stamps' (G76t) was seen in Feb and Sep 2015.

If more information is received the above numbers may change.



www.guernseystamps.com

<u>2016</u>

Year of the Monkey Love stamps

www.guernseystamps.com Type G79



www.guernseypost.com Type G80

2016 Election Special



www.guernseypost.com Type G81

Her Majesty: Happy 90th Birthday

www.guernseystamps.com
Type G82

Victor Hugo Toilers of the Sea

www.guernseystamps.com

Type G83

Happy New Year G68
G94t 6 Jan seen

Year of the Monkey G79

G95t Seen with early Feb date but day unclear Stamp issue date was 20 Jan and Lunar New Year was 8

Feb.

Not reported by PO

Don't forget Valentines Day
10 and 11 Feb seen

58

G96t



0% Commission Foreign Exchange

www.batif.gg

Type G84

Stories of the Great War

'Guernsey Bluejackets'

www.guernseystamps.com

Type G85

G97t	Don't forget Mothers Day None seen but PO reported it was used Mother's Day was 6 March	<u>G80</u>
G98t	Happy Easter None seen but PO reported it was used	<u>G73</u>
G99t	2016 Election Special 4 and 8 April seen The island election was on 27 April	<u>G81</u>
G100t	Her Majesty: Happy 90th Birthday Seen but date unclear The Queen's birthday was 21 April	<u>G82</u>
G101t	Victor Hugo Toilers of the Sea 24 May seen, stamps issued 6 May so libbeen used from about then	G83 kely to have
G102t	Fathers Day None seen but PO reported it was used	<u>G75</u>
G103t	World Post Day None seen but believed to have been used to 14 Oct. World Post Day was 9 October -	
G104t	BATIF 0% Commission Foreign Exchange 20 Oct seen. Not reported by PO but was in last year without being seen so probably u Assumed to be a 'filler' slogan.	their listing
G105t	Stories of the Great War None seen but PO reported it was used Stamp issue date was 11 November	<u>G85</u>
G106t	Post Early for Christmas None seen but PO reported it was used	<u>G86</u>
G106t	Season's Greetings 7 to 8 Dec seen. Not reported by PO	<u>G66</u>

Happy Christmas

G107t 17 Dec seen



www.guernseypost.com

Type G86

In addition the Love stamps slogan (illustrated in 2015 list) was reported used by Guernsey PO but only the older version Type G63 has been seen in 2016.

Also a revised version of Type G59 (see below) without the symbol but adding the website was shown in the PO listing. This is presumably a 'filler' slogan but none has been reported.

Please use the post code

www.guernseypost.com

2017

From now on, I am not allocating numbers to the slogans. Very few have been seen on live mail. Some slogans not included in Guernsey Post's list have been seen and in some cases the designs, from Guernsey Post, which I have not included here, are different from the ones actually used.

This is really a record in the hope further reports and information will be forthcoming.

According to Guernsey Post the following slogans continue to be used each year:

Type G59 Please use Post Code Type G60 **Guernsey Post** Type G63 Love Stamps Type G67 Happy Christmas (seen ?20 Dec 2017) although listed as Merry Christmas Type G68 Happy New Year Type G70 Valentine's Day (13 Feb 2017 seen) Type G72/80 Mother's Day Type G73 Happy Easter

Type G84 BATIF- Commission Free currency

Type G86 Post early for Christmas

In addition Type G66 Season's Greetings has been seen on 4 and 7 Dec 2017

It is not clear if the designs have changed from those types shown above.

G67



www.guernseystamps.com

Jan date seen, day unclear. Stamps issued 18 Jan



www.guernseystamps.com

None seen, stamps issued 15 Feb



Don't sit on it, sort it.

bowelcancerguernsey.org

Date unclear, possibly March



www.guernseystamps.com

Seen 15 May, stamps issued 17 May

Don't forget Fathers Day

Sunday 18th June 2017 www.guernseypost.com

c16 June 2017 seen

Guernsey Folklore

www.guernseystamps.com

Seen 24 July, stamps issued 19 July

25th Anniversary of The Princess of Wales's Royal Regiment

www.guernseystamps.com None seen, stamps issued 1 Sep

Stories of the Great War

'The Great War in the Air'

www.guernseystamps.com

None seen, stamps issued 8 Nov

<u>2018</u>

Type G70 seen 13 Feb 2018, not the design in Guernsey Post list



www.guernseystamps.com

Type G63A

A revised version of Type G63 has been seen (Sep 2018) with the website address in full and in italics. This is assumed to be a 'filler' slogan.

Happy New Year

www.guernseypost.com



www.guernseystamps.com

Seen 30 Jan ('2018' not on the design in the Guernsey list)



www.guernseystamps.com

Stamps issued 14 Feb



Sunday 11th March 2018

www.guernseypost.com

Seen 9 March, different from image in Guernsey Post list



Moving? Use Post Redirection

www.guernseypost.com Presumably a 'filler' slogan

201 (Guernsey's Own) Squadron

www.guernseystamps.com Stamps issued 3 April, seen 18 April

Europa: Bridges & Causeways

www.guernseystamps.com Stamps issued 2 May



www.guernseystamps.com Stamps issued 2 May



www.guernseypost.com

Alternative design (see below) on Guernsey Post list but this seen 1 May

Liberation Day 9.5.45



www.guernseystamps.com
On Guernsey Post list but not seen in 2018

Don't forget Fathers Day Sunday 17th June

www.guernseypost.com

Not on Guernsey Post list but seen 13 June

SEPAC: GUERNSEY SPECTACULAR VIEWS ON STAMPS

www.guernseystamps.com Stamps issued 1 Aug

Stories of the Great War

Memorials: Lest We Forget

www.guernseystamps.com

EBOX

Convenient Parcel Collection Sign up now

www.guernseypost.com

Presumably a 'filler' slogan

Guernsey Post website reported a World Post Day slogan was used on 9 Oct but no image shown, possibly Type G78

Remembrance



www.guernseystamps.com

HRH The Prince of Wales 70th Birthday

www.guernseystamps.com

PLEASE POST EARLY FOR CHRISTMAS

www.guernseystamps.com

Seen Nov, Dec; dates unclear

National Postal Workers Day 2018

www.guernseystamps.com

The day was 6 Dec 2018

MISCELLANEOUS SLOGANS

UK 1st CLASS POSTAGE PAID

www.guernseypost.com

This slogan appears to be used on Moonpig greetings cards sent from the island, earliest seen 14 June 2018. Before this the envelopes were stamped and had the current slogan, latest seen March 2018.

JERSEY SLOGANS

Amendments to Slogan Postmarks of the UK 2000 to 2012 and supplements:

J27t	Seen transposed on	philatelic cover	dated 11	March	1974

J208t Used until at least Aug 2013

J220t Used until at least 10 Oct 2013

J419t Earliest date 3 Jan 2000

J424t Latest date 13 May 2000

J425t 3 July to 30 Sep for outward mail only. Between 2 Oct and 31 Dec 2000, both outward and island mail used this slogan.

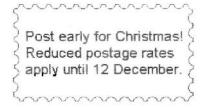
J439t 10 Oct 2001 to 10 March 2009 recorded

J440t Earliest reported 20 May 2009 and was in use until 30 Nov 2013. The machine was eventually decommissioned on the 31 Jan 2014.

My grateful thanks to Malcolm Newton for all the information on Jersey slogans

In October 2013, Jersey Post installed a Böwe Systec Simex letter sorting machine.

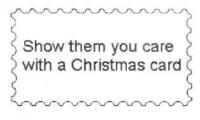
2013



Type J207



Type J208



Type J209

Post Early for Christmas

J207

J441t 2 to 11 Dec

Used on island mail

This was the first slogan used in the new Bowe Systec Siemens cancelling machine

Discover Jersey

J208

J442t 10 Dec to 28 Jan 2014

Used on outward mail although occasionally seen on island mail

Used again from 8 July 2015, initially, in error, on island mail as well as outward mail but then continued on outward mail only. The slogan was 3cm longer than in the initial use in 2013.

Show them you care with a Christmas card J209

2014



This Valentine's Day... Don't just say it, send it.

Type J210

This Mother's Day... Don't just say it, send it! 30 March, 2014



Type J211



Celebrating Business in Jersey

Type J212





Type J213

DO NOTHING. EXPECT NOTHING.

THING. 15 October



Type J214

J444t	This Valentine's Day 5 to 13 Feb	<u>J210</u>
J445t	This Mother's Day 25 to 28 March	<u>J211</u>
J446t	Awards for Enterprise 30 May to 6 June	<u>J212</u>
J447t	Branchage Festival 8 to 26 Sep	<u>J213</u>
J448t	Do something. Vote 15 October 13 to 14 Oct	<u>J214</u>
J449t	jerseywomensrefuge.org 24 to 27 Nov seen	<u>J215</u>



jerseywomensrefuge.org 6

Type J215

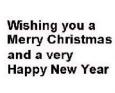


Please support our Christmas Appeal

Type J216



Type J217





Type J218

J450t	Salvation Army Christmas Appeal 3 to 4 Dec All impressions are in a grey ink	<u>J216</u>
J451t	Keep in touch for less this Christmas 8 to 10 Dec	<u>J217</u>
J452t	Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year 11 to 30 Dec	<u>J218</u>
<u>2015</u>		
J453t	Team Jersey sponsored by (Jersey Post) 5 March (45mm long) 6 to 10 March (55 mm long) 11 March (80mm long) ?13 March to 13 June (55mm long) Jersey hosted the Island Games in 2015 an was one of the Jersey Team sponsors. Jersey Post experimented with the length	•

die before settling on the 55m length.



Type J219



PLEASE SUPPORT #TEAM JERSEY 27/06-03/07

Type J220



Type J221

Team Jersey please support

J220

J454t 15 June to 3 July

The games were held from 27 June to 3 July

Santa's big helpers

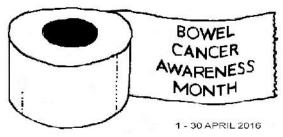
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J455t 4 to 24 Dec

2016



Type J222



Type J223



Awareness Understanding Support Type J224



Type J225

Request for further assistance (Jersey Police) J222

J456t 20 Jan only

The only copy recorded was very poor so this has been reconstructed using a copy of the Jersey Police badge

Bowel Cancer Awareness Month J223

J457t 20 to 28 April

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J224

J458t 26 Sep to 14 Nov

Happy Christmas Bouan Noué

<u>J225</u>

J226

5 to 23 Dec J459t

2017



Type J226

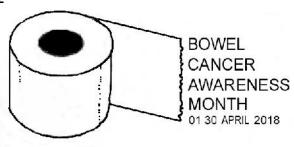
Jersey's Greatest Coffee Morning

J460t 20 to 29 Sep

Santa's big helpers (2nd use) <u>J221</u>

J461t 1 to 22 Dec

2018



Type J227



Type J228

J462t	Bowel Cancer Awareness Month 3 to 30 April Because of the length of the cancellation (19 many impressions are incomplete.	<u>J227</u> 58mm),
J463t	Les Amis 11 to 22 June Les Amis is a Jersey charity which supports learning disabilities. Les Amis was Jersey Post's chosen charity f	
J464t	Happy Christmas Bouan Noué 28 Nov to 13 Dec This is the same design which was used in 2	<u>J225</u> 2016