

Dates for the diary

April 2023

Have a look at the key dates coming up in the month ahead, April 2023

Consumer

- 01 April Fool's Day
- 01 Rail workers on strike across the country
- 01 Annual TV licence fee remains frozen
- 01 Ofgem's energy price cap update comes into effect
- 02 International Fact-Checking Day
- 02 Palm Sunday
- 03 Ofcom introduces new 'One Touch Switch' for landline and broadband customers
- 03 Royal Mail First and Second Class Stamp price rises takes effect
- 04 Royal Mail New King Charles III definitive stamp goes on sale
- 04 NIQ publishes latest UK supermarket share figures
- 06 Halifax House Price Index
- 06 Halifax House Price Index: UK Regional Breakdown quarterly release
- 06 BRC-Sensormatic IQ Footfall Monitor
- 07 Good Friday
- 09 Easter Sunday
- 10 Easter Monday, public holiday except in Scotland
- 11 Barclays Consumer Spending Data monthly figures
- 11 BRC-KPMG Retail Sales Monitor
- 12 ONS The Energy Intensity of the Consumer Prices Index: 2022 statistics
- 19 ONS Index of private housing rental prices (IPHRP) in Great Britain
- 19 ONS UK House Price Index
- 19 BRC Scottish Retail Sales Monitor
- 20 UK Finance Card Spending statistics
- 21 HMRC Number of property transactions
- 21 National Tea Day
- 21 GfK UK Consumer Confidence Survey
- 21 ONS UK monthly retail sales figures
- 21 Deloitte Consumer Tracker

- 21 Muslim festival of Eid
- 22 Earth Day
- 23 St. George's Day
- 24 Rightmove House Price Index
- 27 U.S. National Teach Children to Save Day
- 28 International Workers Memorial Day
- 28 Nationwide House Price Index
- 29 Trafalgar Square Eid Festival

Media/Awards

- 04 Forbes' World Billionaires List
- 04 Fortune Magazine 100 Best Companies to Work For
- 05 Professional Pensions Women in Pensions Awards nomination deadline
- 06 Insurance Post British Insurance Awards shortlist announcement
- 07 Investment Life & Pensions Moneyfacts Awards voting deadline
- 11 Forbes Midas List
- 14 Professional Adviser's Women In Financial Advice Awards nomination deadline
- 14 STEP Private Client Awards entry deadline
- 17 The Wealth For Good Awards winners notification
- 17 Made in the UK, Sold to the World Awards winners announcement expected mid-April
- 20 The Leadership Awards
- 20 PRmoment Awards London ceremony
- 21 Corporate Adviser Awards - provider categories entry deadline
- 21 The King's Awards for Enterprise winners announcement
- 24 IoD Japan-UK Symposium
- 25 Professional Adviser Awards
- 25 PRmoment Awards Manchester ceremony
- 25 London Evening Standard SME XPO
- 26 COVER Women in Protection and Health Awards
- 27 Credit Summit
- 28 PRCA DARE Awards finalists announcement
- 28 WSB Awards - Workplace Savings and Benefits Awards registration and nomination deadline

Economic/FS Industry

- 01 HM Treasury Annual Investment Allowance £1m cap becomes permanent
- 01 HMRC Corporation Tax main rate increases to 25%
- 01 MPs' pay rise
- 01 HMRC New UK company tax year
- 03 S&P Global / CIPS UK Manufacturing PMI
- 03 British Chambers of Commerce Economic Survey expected this week
- 03 RES and SES Annual Conference
- 03 OPEC Joint Ministerial Monitoring Committee meeting
- 05 HMRC Last day of current tax year
- 05 S&P Global / CIPS UK Services PMI

05 Resolution Foundation Labour Market Outlook
 06 HM Treasury Additional rate of income tax threshold cut
 06 HMRC Start of new tax year
 06 S&P Global / CIPS UK Construction PMI
 06 StepChange Debt Charity Annual Statistical Yearbook
 06 SCC Quarterly Economic Indicator
 06 Tax-free allowances for dividend and capital gains tax cut
 06 ONS Business insights and impact on the UK economy statistics
 07 U.S. Employment Report
 07 U.S. stock markets closed on Good Friday
 07 UK: Good Friday. Financial markets closed
 07 Scottish Govt pitch fee uprating under Mobile Homes Act 1983 consultation deadline
 10 UK: Easter Monday. Financial markets closed
 10 IMF and World Bank Spring Meetings Week
 11 WTO annual trade statistics and forecasts
 11 DWP Alternative Claimant Count statistics, January 2013 to February 2023
 11 IMF World Economic Outlook
 11 BCC Quarterly Recruitment Outlook expected this week
 11 ONS Regional economic activity by gross domestic product, UK: 1998 to 2021 statistics
 12 Federal Open Market Committee meeting minutes and economic forecast
 12 HMRC Personal Incomes Statistics 2020-21 Tables 3.12 to 3.15a
 12 IMF Fiscal Monitor published
 12 G20 Finance Ministers and Central Bank Governors Meeting dinner
 12 IMF and World Bank Spring Meetings - Development Committee meeting
 12 HMRC Child Benefit Statistics: Annual release including small area statistics 2022
 13 DCMS Sectors Economic Estimates 2021: Trade
 13 ONS Construction output monthly statistics
 13 NIESR Monthly GDP Tracker
 13 ONS Monthly GDP estimates
 13 LCCI Capital 500 Quarterly Economic Survey event
 13 OPEC Monthly Oil Market Report
 13 RICS Residential Market Survey
 13 G20 Finance Ministers and Central Bank Governors Meeting
 14 ONS UK productivity statistics
 14 IEA Oil Market Report
 14 IMF and World Bank Spring Meetings - International Monetary and Financial Committee meeting
 14 NAMB Annual Legislative and Regulatory Conference
 15 U.S. Money Smart Week
 15 Tobacco companies make annual payment to reimburse U.S. health care costs
 17 UK Regional PMI
 18 DWP Universal Credit Statistics, 29 April 2013 to 9 March 2023
 18 ONS Earnings and Employment Statistics from Pay As You Earn (PAYE)
 18 ONS UK monthly unemployment figures
 18 Federal Tax Day and IRS quarterly tax filing deadline day
 18 Mortgage Bankers Association National Advocacy Conference
 18 Insolvency Service Monthly Insolvency Statistics
 19 ONS UK producer prices
 19 ONS Services Producer Price Inflation

- 19 ONS UK monthly inflation figures
- 19 ONS Employee workplace pensions in the UK: 2023 provisional
- 19 ONS Employee workplace pensions in the UK: 2020 revised
- 19 HM Treasury Forecasts for the UK economy statistical release
- 20 TheCityUK International Conference
- 20 IPA Bellwether Report on marketing budgets
- 20 Mortgage Solutions' Buy to Let Market Forum
- 20 DBT UK trade in numbers release
- 20 London Mortgages Forum
- 21 Property Investor Media Property Investor Show
- 21 CIPS Flash UK PMI
- 24 LIMRA International Life Insurance & Annuity Conference
- 24 CBI Industrial Trends Survey
- 24 ONS Disability pay gaps, UK: 2022
- 24 EY Profit Warnings report
- 24 ONS Foreign direct investment, experimental UK subnational estimates: March 2023
- 25 Bank of England Asset Purchase Facility Quarterly Report
- 25 HMRC Tax Receipts and National Insurance Contributions for the UK publication
- 25 ONS Public sector finances
- 25 Kantar grocery market share figures and price inflation
- 25 James Cleverly speaks at City of London Corporation's Easter Banquet
- 25 WFP 'Cost of living pressures and public health' conference
- 26 GDP Monthly Estimate, Scotland
- 26 Scottish Statutory Debt Solutions Statistics
- 26 DWP Housing Benefit Speed of Processing statistics
- 26 ONS UK trade in services by industry, country and service type: 2017 to 2021
- 26 ONS UK trade in goods by industry, country and commodity: 2008 to 2021
- 26 Mortgage Solutions' Buy to Let Market Forum Cardiff
- 26 Scottish Quarterly National Accounts & Second Estimate of GDP
- 26 Westminster and City Bulk Annuities Conference
- 27 The Investing and Saving Alliance Annual Retirement Conference
- 27 Pensions Age Spring Conference
- 27 ONS Profitability of UK companies
- 27 FCA publishes companies' complaints handling data
- 27 ONS UK Trade in Services by Partner Country
- 27 ONS UK Trade: Quarterly trade in goods and services tables
- 27 U.S. reveals first set of GDP data for first quarter of 2023
- 28 Insolvency Service Insolvency statistics
- 28 ONS UK government debt and deficit
- 28 Eurostat EU reveals latest growth figures
- 28 BRC-LDC Vacancy Monitor
- 30 CBI Growth Indicator Survey

Politics/Regulation

- 01 VOA Business rates revaluation takes effect
- 01 HM Treasury Air Passenger Duty rate changes come into effect
- 01 HM Treasury National Living Wage and National Minimum Wage rises take effect

- 01 Water UK Annual water bill price changes come into effect
- 01 Govt energy bill relief scheme limit rises
- 01 Govt's new Energy Bills Discount Scheme for businesses starts
- 01 Joe Biden expected to visit Northern Ireland and Ireland this month
- 01 Ofwat business retail price caps change takes effect
- 01 HM Treasury Research and Development (R&D) tax relief changes take effect
- 03 4th anniversary of MPs approving votes on Brexit delay
- 04 Private and voluntary sector employers must publish annual gender pay gap reports by today
- 05 HMRC Income tax exemption for COVID-19 tests ends
- 06 Scottish income tax changes come into effect
- 10 DWP New State Pension rates come into effect
- 11 Ministry of Justice 'Personal Injury Discount Rate: Exploring the option of a dual/multiple rate' consultation deadline
- 11 HM Treasury Buy-Now-Pay-Later consultation closes
- 16 G7 Foreign Ministers Meeting
- 20 HM Treasury consultation closes on the Insurer Resolution Regime
- 25 Scottish Govt Adult Disability Payment consultation deadline
- 25 Scottish Govt community wealth building consultation deadline
- 26 Biden hosts South Korean president for a state visit
- 27 Govt consultation ends on reforms to boost bus, coach and HGV driver recruitment
- 30 HM Treasury Future financial services regulatory regime for cryptoassets consultation closes

Reports

- 01 IoD's Directors' Economic Confidence Index
- 10 BDO Business Trends report
- 10 Resolution Foundation publishes its annual 'Low Pay Britain' report mid April
- 11 IMF Global Financial Stability Report published
- 12 KPMG and REC UK Report on Jobs
- 12 CBI and PwC Financial Services Survey
- 14 IEA 'Energy Price Spikes and Affordability Challenges' report published
- 17 Deloitte CFO Survey
- 18 EY CEO Outlook Pulse report
- 19 Scottish Widows Future Finances Index
- 24 BDO's Rethinking the Economy survey published
- 26 Home Office Crime against businesses: Commercial Victimization Survey findings
- 26 REC JobsOutlook survey
- 27 World Bank World Development Report launch
- 27 DESNZ Fuel Poverty sub-regional report – 2021
- 27 Cifas Fraudscape report
- 27 ICAEW Business Confidence Monitor
- 28 Lloyds Bank and Bank of Scotland Business Barometer