

PRIME MINISTER

VISIT OF PRESIDENT MITTERRAND

You agreed with President Mitterrand that he would come over to Chequers in the fairly near future for a talk. I doubt he will want to come before his summer holiday, but there is a lot to be said for having the visit as early as possible in the autumn. I have looked at the diary with Amanda, and we have identified Friday 1 or Saturday 2 September as possibilities. I attach the relevant page of the long-term diary.

Content to offer one of these dates?

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Charles Powell

17 July 1989

Wednesday 30 August

c0915 DEPART NO.10  
KEEP FREE FOR CDP

Thursday 31 August

? Keep free for speechwriting  
TO CHEQUERS?

Friday 1 September

Keep free for AP

Sunday 3 September

? DEPART CHEQUERS  
1430 PRESENT INTERNATIONAL YOUTH SKILL OLYMPICS AWARDS  
+ CS BIRMINGHAM  
? RETURN TO No. 10

Monday 4 September

0830 Hair  
1055 DEPART No 10  
1100-1230 ATTEND OPENING OF IPU CENTENARY CONFERENCE + CDP  
PALACE OF WESTMINSTER  
RETURN TO No 10  
Keep free for speech + CDP

Tuesday 5 September

0930-1030 Diary Meeting  
1430 Sir Fergus Montgomery +Eddie Shah +MLB  
1500-1545 Sir David Goodall +CDP  
1830-1900c LOOK IN AT SIR PHILIP HARRIS' RECEPTION +CS  
PARK LANE HOTEL  
Working Supper

Wednesday 6 September

Keep free for speech + CDP  
1430-1515 ADDRESS IPU CENTENARY CONFERENCE ?  
RETURN TO No 10  
1600-1645 Conrad Black and Board of Hollinger + CDP

Thursday 7 September - Sunday 10 September

REGIONAL TOUR AND KEEP FREE

Monday 11 September

DEPART  
LUNCH WITH CUMBRIAN NEWSPAPERS EXPORT AWARD SCHEME  
+ TP  
RETURN TO LONDON

Tuesday 12 September

Hair  
Keep free for AP



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*From the Private Secretary*

18 July 1989

**VISIT OF PRESIDENT MITTERRAND**

I promised to suggest dates when the Prime Minister could see President Mitterrand after the summer break. I should be grateful if you would ask our Embassy in Paris to propose lunch at Chequers on either Friday 1 or Saturday 2 September. It would be helpful to know as soon as possible if the President can manage one or other of these dates.

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