

Cookie Policy

1. Introduction

The Daily Round website and related digital platforms may use cookies and similar technologies to support website functionality, improve user experience, analyse traffic, enhance security, and assist with editorial, operational, advertising, and promotional activities.

This Cookie Policy explains:

- what cookies are,
- how The Daily Round may use them,
- how third parties may use them,
- and the choices available to users regarding cookie preferences and related technologies.

This policy applies to:

- website visitors,
- newsletter subscribers,
- community users,
- contributors,
- and other individuals who access or interact with The Daily Round platforms.

The Daily Round aims to use cookies and related technologies transparently and responsibly while providing users with reasonable information and control over how these technologies are used.

Some cookies may be necessary for website functionality, while others may support:

- analytics,
- advertising,
- performance monitoring,
- social media features,
- affiliate tracking,
- or user experience improvements.

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2. What Are Cookies?

Cookies are small text files that may be stored on a user's device when visiting a website or using online services.

Cookies and similar technologies help websites recognise devices and may be used to:

- remember preferences or settings,
- support website functionality,
- improve user experience,
- maintain security,
- analyse website traffic and performance,
- and assist with advertising, analytics, or related services.

Cookies may be:

- temporary ("session cookies"), which expire when a browser is closed,
- or longer-lasting ("persistent cookies"), which remain on a device for a set period of time or until deleted.

Similar technologies may also include:

- tracking pixels,
- scripts,
- local storage technologies,
- analytics tools,
- or other systems used to collect information relating to website usage or functionality.

Cookies generally do not directly identify individuals on their own, but they may be associated with browser, device, or usage information depending on how they are used.

3. Types of Cookies Used

The Daily Round may use different categories of cookies and related technologies for various operational, analytical, functional, and commercial purposes.

Essential Cookies

Essential cookies help support the core operation and security of the website and related services.

These cookies may assist with:

- website functionality,
- page navigation,

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- security features,
- fraud prevention,
- session management,
- login or account functionality,
- form submissions,
- and technical operation of the platform.

Some essential cookies may be necessary for the website or certain features to function correctly.

Analytics Cookies

Analytics cookies help The Daily Round understand how visitors interact with the website and related platforms.

These cookies may be used for:

- traffic analysis,
- visitor insights,
- audience measurement,
- performance monitoring,
- content engagement analysis,
- and improving website functionality and user experience.

Analytics technologies may collect information relating to:

- pages visited,
- time spent on the site,
- referral sources,
- device or browser information,
- and general interaction patterns.

Advertising & Marketing Cookies

Advertising and marketing cookies may be used to support:

- advertising performance measurement,
- sponsored content reporting,
- affiliate tracking,
- campaign analytics,
- promotional effectiveness,
- audience targeting,
- and retargeting or remarketing activities.

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These technologies may be used by:

- The Daily Round,
- advertising providers,
- affiliate partners,
- sponsors,
- analytics providers,
- or other authorised third parties involved in advertising or promotional activities.

Functional Cookies

Functional cookies help improve user experience and website usability.

These cookies may support:

- remembering user preferences,
- saving settings,
- video or audio playback,
- social media integrations,
- embedded content,
- accessibility features,
- and personalised functionality where available.

Functional cookies may also help maintain consistency across user sessions and improve interaction with website features and services.

4. Third-Party Cookies

The Daily Round may use third-party services, platforms, tools, or integrations that place cookies or use similar technologies in connection with the operation of the website and related services.

These third parties may include:

- analytics providers such as Google Analytics,
- advertising or marketing networks,
- affiliate tracking providers,
- newsletter and email distribution systems,
- social media platforms,
- video hosting or embedded media providers,
- event or webinar platforms,

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- community or engagement tools,
- and other operational or commercial service providers.

Third-party cookies or technologies may be used for purposes including:

- analytics and audience measurement,
- advertising and campaign reporting,
- social media integration,
- embedded video or multimedia functionality,
- affiliate or referral tracking,
- newsletter performance monitoring,
- and website functionality or optimisation.

The Daily Round does not control all third-party cookies or technologies used by external providers and services.

Users interacting with:

- embedded videos,
- social media content,
- external advertisements,
- affiliate links,
- or integrated third-party services,

may also be subject to the cookie policies, privacy policies, or terms of those third parties.

The Daily Round may update or introduce additional third-party providers, platforms, or integrations as the website and related services continue to develop.

5. How Users Can Control Cookies

Users may have options to manage, control, restrict, or disable cookies and related technologies used in connection with The Daily Round website and related services.

Where applicable, The Daily Round may provide:

- cookie banners,
- consent tools,
- preference management options,
- or similar mechanisms allowing users to manage cookie settings.

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Users may also control cookies through their browser or device settings, including options to:

- block cookies,
- delete existing cookies,
- restrict certain categories of cookies,
- or receive notifications when cookies are placed.

Please note that disabling or restricting cookies may affect:

- website functionality,
- user experience,
- login or account features,
- embedded content,
- personalised settings,
- analytics functionality,
- or other aspects of the website and related services.

Some essential cookies may be necessary for certain website features or operational functions to work correctly.

Instructions for managing cookies are generally available through browser support documentation or device settings provided by relevant software providers.

6. Consent

Where required by applicable laws or regulations, The Daily Round may request user consent before placing certain categories of cookies or using related tracking technologies.

Consent requests may be presented through:

- cookie banners,
- consent pop-ups,
- preference management tools,
- or other notification mechanisms used on the website.

By continuing to use certain features of the website after receiving relevant notices or consent options, users acknowledge that cookies and related technologies may be used in accordance with this Cookie Policy and applicable settings or preferences.

Users may:

- manage cookie preferences,
- withdraw consent,

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- change settings,
- or disable certain categories of cookies at any time through available preference tools or browser settings where applicable.

Withdrawal of consent or disabling cookies may affect:

- website functionality,
- user experience,
- personalised features,
- advertising functionality,
- analytics capabilities,
- or access to certain services or content.

7. Changes to Cookie Policy

The Daily Round reserves the right to update, amend, or modify this Cookie Policy at any time where considered necessary or appropriate.

This may include changes relating to:

- website functionality,
- analytics or advertising technologies,
- third-party providers,
- legal or regulatory requirements,
- operational developments,
- or evolving cookie and privacy practices.

Updated versions of this Cookie Policy may be published on the website together with revised dates or notices where appropriate.

Users are encouraged to review this Cookie Policy periodically to remain informed about how cookies and related technologies may be used by The Daily Round.

Continued use of the website following updates to this policy may be considered acceptance of the revised policy where permitted by applicable law.

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8. Contact Us

If you have any questions, concerns, or requests relating to this Cookie Policy or the use of cookies and related technologies by The Daily Round, please contact:

- editorial@dailyround.news

This may include enquiries relating to:

- cookie preferences,
- consent settings,
- analytics technologies,
- advertising or tracking concerns,
- or related privacy matters.