



Newsletter

Friday 11th June

Family Picnic – today 3.15-5.00pm – do come along with your picnic and rug to enjoy watching the children have good fun. If you have no time to prepare a picnic, pick up cakes and drinks at the CSA table. Second hand school uniform will be on sale too.

Teddington In Flower, Sunday 13 June, 2-6pm

Just a reminder that the Nature Trail will be open to the public this Sunday as part of the Teddington Society open garden scheme, it's a great opportunity to show off the Nature trail to your friends and family. Tea and yummy cakes will be on sale, along with plants for your garden.

Also the Nature Trail and year beds are featured in a short video which can be found on:

www.teddingtonandhampton2010.com

Summer Fair, Saturday 3 July 3-7pm

It's that time of year again, the Great Summer Fair is fast approaching. There will be loads going on; Cheerleading display, Yr2 singing group, a live band and Ferret racing!. You will have the choice of many activities such as pony riding, cuddle a guinea pig, and the return of Computerkids assault course - bigger and better to test your fitness on. Also old favourites such as toys, books and home produce, *therefore we are asking for donations for these stalls the week before the Fair. Please put donations outside the CSA shed.* An old favourite returns, the JuniorGeo stall selling genuine dinosaur bones and prehistoric sharks teeth alongside ammonites from the Jurassic period. Yr6 are in charge of a hand powered generator for you to try your strength on. We will have the outdoor toy stall on the CSA stand, so all those outgrown bicycles, bring them to us and we will find a good home for them, rather than send them to landfill.

This years fair has a sustainability theme to it, we are aiming to have loads of fun by recycling, such as the 2nd hand toys and books, even the dinosaur bones are recycled!

This summer there will not be a brochure as it was felt unsustainable to print 1,000 copies many of which end up in recycle bins, let alone how many trees have been used. So this time, we will produce one simple leaflet from a printer with accredited sustainability status.

There will be loads of fun to be had, without leaving too big a carbon footprint behind.

Friday 2nd July will be mufti day; children can come to school in non uniform in exchange for something for the bottle tombola.

This week raffle tickets will be put in to your child's book bag for you to buy and sell. There are a great range of prizes which include;

- A week at Whizzkidz Summer Fun Camp
- Tickets to Richmond Theatre
- A meal for 2 (excluding drinks) at Alborgo, Teddington
- Sports Massage at Physio & Therapy UK, Teddington
- A Yummy Bakes birthday cake
- Day pass for 2 at Amida Spa, Twickenham
- Several Kids 'Goodie' bags, including Ben 10, Dora the Explorer and Scoobie Doo
- His and hers designer watches
- A month at Music Bugs, Teddington
- Tickets for 2 to see La Traviata
- A selection of Fitness First Teddington prizes including a months membership for 2
- A session in the Little Gym's summer camp
- Selection of Australian Wine

Tickets will be £1 each or £5 per book. *If you're not able to sell all the raffle tickets allocated to you for whatever reason (perhaps you have more than one child at the school), please return them to the school office for sale to other families.*

Hampton Court Scarecrow competition

Collis School has been accepted into the RHS Hampton Court Flower Show (6-11 July) for its entry in the Scarecrow competition. Poppy Saunders and Sara Edison lead a team of children who recreated 'Bottom' from A Midsummer Night's Dream. At present he is to be found in the school library but he is soon to go to the flower show to be seen by everyone. Visitors to the show get to vote on who is their favourite scarecrow so do go along and vote for Collis.

New donation

Recently the CSA made a donation to the school to buy extra racks for the junior cloakrooms, these have now arrived and are providing valuable storage for the children's bags and outer clothing.