



**Recreation Road Parent Teacher Association  
Newsletter – May 2010**

**SUMMER FETE IS ON FRIDAY  
25<sup>TH</sup> JUNE FROM 6 – 8PM**

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**Care for a Cuppa - Coffee Morning for Diabetes UK**

Last Friday we held the coffee morning in the School hall. We raised £75 which Sainsbury's will match. Thanks to everyone who baked and bought and to Katie Treutler who was on hand with lots of leaflets and information about diabetes.

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90's to Now Disco for Adults

Unfortunately we had to cancel this disco because ticket sales were so poor. This means we have made a loss on the event as we honoured our payment to the DJ. We try to run events that parents ask for and so have found this disheartening.

**Dates for your Diary**

**Cake and Plant Sale – followed by picnic on the field.**

Friday 28th May 2.45-3.30 in the main playground. (Or if weather is bad in reception playground.) If the weather is good bring your picnic and join us after school on our wonderful field. Any cake donations to the children's kitchen on the morning of the 28<sup>th</sup> May – Thankyou.

**NEW PTA MEMBERS NEEDED**

A number of the PTA committee will be leaving the school when their children move up in September. The PTA will need new people to take the committee forward in the new school year. Please consider getting involved and helping to continue the success of the PTA in raising vital funds for our school. If you would like more info please contact Rachel on [racheljhall@hotmail.com](mailto:racheljhall@hotmail.com)

## **Warm up info for the FETE – 25<sup>th</sup> JUNE 6pm – 8pm**

**JOLLY JARS** Following the success of our jolly jar stall last year we will be running this stall again. Fill a jam jar with small toys, sweets, beads or anything else that you think children will love. You can decorate the jam jar if you want and then bring it into school. We had over 200 jars last year but could have sold more. If you can donate any empty jars with lids we would be grateful – please bring empty or filled jars into your class and your class rep will be happy to accept them.

For those of you who want to collect a jar to fill we will leave empty jars in the school office area from Monday 24<sup>th</sup> May.

### **Raffle Prizes**

Are you able to donate a raffle prize for our grand raffle drawn on Fete night? We try to add every sponsor's details to our advertising and tickets whenever possible. If you do have a prize then either leave it at the school office or email [racheljhall@hotmail.com](mailto:racheljhall@hotmail.com)

### **WHAT WILL BE AT THE FETE THIS YEAR?**

We are hoping to have the climbing wall, go-carts, mega slide, tattoos, bouncy castle, BBQ, stalls, sumo wrestling, bungee run, Bar, children's refreshments, cake stall, coconut shy, ice creams, candyfloss, musical entertainment and plenty more!!

**Request for Help: We need to ensure that the fete can remain on the field no matter what the weather does and therefore we are looking for free marquees or large tents/gazebos that we can borrow. Do you have one or do you know someone that could lend one to us? Please email [racheljhall@hotmail.com](mailto:racheljhall@hotmail.com) if you can offer any help. Thanks**

THINGS TO START COLLECTING FOR THE FETE: Adult and child tombola items, jolly jar bits and bobs and jam jars with lids. We will also ask for donations on the fete day for the cake stall.

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**Don't forget to use our webshop at [www.buy.at/rrpta](http://www.buy.at/rrpta)**

Its a great way to get some fantastic online bargains, find cheaper gas or electricity and even book a holiday. Anything you buy through our webshop will help towards our PTA fundraising.

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Any purchases you make through the **Seadragon website** will give money back to the PTA as long as you use the code – RECRD09. Visit [www.seadragonpublishing.co.uk](http://www.seadragonpublishing.co.uk) for a huge range of contemporary designs.

Best wishes from Rachel, Tamsin, Sultan, Emma, Cathy and all the PTA team.