

Ickenham Festival 2010

“We’re Taking Part!”

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Plans for Ickenham Festival 2010 are now well underway with the dates agreed as Saturday 12th – Sunday 20th June with Gala Day at Swakeleys on Saturday 19th. With such a successful Ickenham Festival 2008 to look back on with its ideal weather we all have a lot to do to make 2010 event better!

Your small but dedicated Festival Team have been running lots of fun events over the last two years to raise the £12,000 needed to stage this year’s Festival and we thank those that have supported us in these fund raising events. During the course of Festival Week there will be opportunities for you to help replenish the bank balance to help fund Ickenham Festival 2012.

Many of Ickenham Festival 2008’s successes will be built upon with, hopefully, more Open Gardens, more displays of residents’ hobbies, the bigger, more colourful programme, even more events during Festival Week and an amazing Gala Day with lots more floats and vehicles in the procession and some surprises in Swakeleys Grounds on Gala Day.

Some groups and organisations have already been in touch with me to outline their plans for Festival Week, but now is the time for all of you to consider how you and your colleagues are going to help us make this a truly successful Festival.

I enclose booking forms for;

- 1) Events you may be organising during Festival Week. This has space to tell us about the event and also to tell us about your organisation. Both these details will be included in our programme if suitable and if space permits. **The final deadline for inclusion in the programme is Saturday 17th April.**
- 2) Participating in the Carnival Procession. The Festival Team are very keen for the procession to be extremely colourful and vibrant this year. We are looking for more decorated floats, Fancy dress entrants and vintage cars and bikes to get involved in this part of Gala Day.
- 3) Applying for a stall or sideshow at Swakeleys grounds on Gala day afternoon. As in the past we are looking for stalls that provide entertainment or information as well as sales of home produce.

We ask that all the above information is relayed to all the members of your club or group so that as many people as possible are aware and can participate in Ickenham Festival 2010. It is with their input and feedback that The Festival has grown to be the great community event it is today.

David Edington
Chairman