



Guildford Lions Club

Guildford's Best Kept Secret!

Friends' and Supporters' News

June 2025

Community & Welfare News

Donations made -

- £500 to Guildford Shakespeare Company's summer holiday programme for children with special educational needs.
- £300 to Artventure Trust, a local charity supporting adults with learning disabilities, physical impairments, or autism to be creative, have fun and make new friends.
- Guildford Food Bank £397.

Fundraising News

Music in the Park update

We had a fantastic evening at Hatchlands Park with a great and varied show. Initial figures suggest we have raised more than £4,000 for two local charities supporting knife crime awareness, GSC's Put Up Your Swords Campaign and Charlie's Promise.



Surrey Hills Country Fair, Saturday 21st and Sunday 22nd June

The club will be managing the car park at Merrist Wood for this show. For more info see www.surreyhills.org.uk There will be two shifts on each day from 10am to 1pm and 1pm to 4pm with 4/5 volunteers for each shift. If you can help please reply to this email.



Raft Race, Saturday 5th July

All is set for a fantastic afternoon of rafts racing from Millmead to the Waterside Centre at Bellfields and duck races at Millmead.

Duck races are from 1pm and the start of the raft race is 3pm. There will be a BBQ at the finish at the Waterside Centre. For more information email guildfordlionsraft@gmail.com or visit guildfordlions.com

Golf Day, at Clandon Regis Golf Club, Friday 11th July

Arrangements are progressing well. We have space for two more teams so do get in touch if you would like to join us.

The raffle prizes are varied and well worth winning, including bottles of both wine and spirits; clothing; glassware; vacuum flasks; Expressionist prints and more. We currently have about 30 prizes, if you would like to buy tickets do let us know.

Further donations for both the auction and raffle will be gratefully received. Thank you for your support.



Fireworks, Saturday 8th November

All is well in hand for a fabulous evening. We could do with some additional sponsorship so do get in touch if you can help.

Guildford Fringe

Guildford Fringe have asked if we could publicise their Big Free Fringe Weekend. A weekend of free, family-friendly events organised by Guildford Fringe, celebrating local community and culture will return to Guildford High Street on Saturday 9th and Sunday 10th August and it is set to be bigger and better than ever.

To find out more about the free Barricade Boys performance on Saturday 9th August, visit - www.guildfordfringefestival.com/events/the-barricade-boys-on-the-balcony

To find out more about the free Family Fun Day on Sunday 10th August, visit - www.guildfordfringefestival.com/events/fringe-family-fun-day

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