## **GODALMING TOWN COUNCIL**



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## **GODALMING STAYCATION FAMILY PARTY IN THE PARK**

Godalming Town Council's Family Party in the Park on Saturday, 10 August 2013, ended the Staycation week on a high. The party held at the Phillips Memorial Park with entertainment centred on the bandstand, was a great success.

Lots of people took advantage of the weather and enjoyed the food concessions, the beer (Round Table) and tea tent (Godalming Townswomen's Guild) or brought a picnic of their own to enjoy. Witley Panto performers opened the afternoon's entertainment with some fantastic songs from popular musicals. Professor Dumpling was back with his Punch & Judy Show along with a superb programme of activities on the bandstand including the Milford & Brook School of Dance baby ballet; babies and tots in tutus loved their first ballet experience, even Godalming's Town Mayor, Councillor Tom Martin joined in with his daughter Tamsin! The Riverboat Shuffle Jazz band entertained everyone in their own inimitable style and the Nightingale Singers, with their brand of 40's style singing, kept everyone entertained. Lots of local businesses helped with the afternoon's activities including Petra Hammond's Zumba for Kids, face painting and glitter tattoos by Little People Child Care and Cloud 9, Mummas & Beans entertained the little ones with some rhyme time and the local firemen came down with their engine much to everyone's delight.

Councillor Tom Martin, Mayor of Godalming said "The Party in the Park was a fitting end to a fantastic week of local activities events. I am sure that everyone had fun and it was great to see the Bandstand at the heart of yet another community event with so many people enjoying themselves. I know that a lot of hard work went in to making the Party in the Park and all the other Staycation events throughout the week the success that they were, it was all worth it."

The Party in the Park was a great end to a busy Staycation week and Godalming Town Council is extremely grateful to everyone who gave of their time and resources to help make this year's Staycation so vibrant and allowed the community to try so many different activities.

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