

**MAGAZINE & WEBSITE** 

THE GO-TO GUIDE FOR YOU AND YOUR CHILD

### SUMMER HOLIDAY **CAMPS FOR KIDS!** Activities

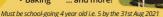
For ages





Designed by Primary School Teachers to aid in the development of children in Early Years.

- Singing
- Drawing Building
- Creating Dancing
  - Painting
- Baking ... and more!





Covering up to 7 weeks (Mon - Fri) 12th July - 27th Aug 2021

**Times** 



For GIRLS and BOYS to indulge in their creative side, be active, yet have time to chill.

- · Arts & Crafts · Textiles
- Music
- Performing
- Cooking Fashion
- ... and more!
- Dance

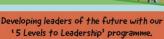




An action-packed week jammed full of 30+ team sports and adventurous activities!

- Nerf Wars
  - Roller Racers KinBall
- Dodgeball Football
  - RC Cars
- · Mario Kart ... and more!





- · Working Journal Build Confidence
- Work Experience
- Gain Rewards

Choose to assist on Early Explorers, Creative Cre

#### **Drop Off**

Lunchtime

Pick Up 4:30pm-5pm



Early Bird & Extended Fun each charged at £3 per session

#### **Prices**

#### Single Day

Any days Monday to Friday

#### All Week

5 days for the price of 4!

That's as little as £3.50 per hour for quality, trusted and reliable childcare! WE ACCEPT ALL CHILDCARE VOUCHERS & GOV.UK PAYMENTS



#### **Our Venues**



#### **Colchester Royal Grammar School**

Creffield Road Entrance, Colchester, Essex CO3 3ND Ofsted Number: EY548121



#### pswich High School

Woolverstone, Suffolk IP9 1AZ Ofsted Number: EY551272



#### Woodbridge School Burkitt Road, Woodbridge, Suffolk IP12 4JH

Ofsted Number: EY556142



#### South Lee School

Nowton Road, Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk IP33 2E Ofsted Number: EY2593837





#### Welcome to the Summer issue of Raring2go!

The past year has been so tough on us all, not least our children who have missed out on so much. This Summer is shaping up to be all about making memories and trying to make life feel as close to normal as we can.

Its been a while since I last brought you a printed magazine, so it's been an exciting time putting everything together so you can maximise your fun and adventures these holidays.

A few new venues to try, from the Sunflower maze at Frogs Farm to the new Kinetic Science centre in Claydon as well as the exciting 'Festival on

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Wheels' event to enjoy, as well as our faithful favourites of Easton Farm Park and Suffolk Owl Sanctuary (to name but a few) to provide a great day out.

Fingers crossed that the sun keeps shining and we can get back to doing the things we love.

Best wishes,



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# MEET ALL OUR ANIMALS HANDS-ON FARM ACTIVITIES FUN DAILY RIDES OUTDOOR PLAY AREAS HOMEMADE TREATS IN OUR CAFE

The farm is the perfect place to reconnect with friends and family. Enjoy seeing all the animals, let the youngsters play enthusiastically in the play areas, on the giant bouncy pillow and explore the 30 acre Green Trail.

We offer a variety of activities and experiences which differ depending on the season, including Hug a Bunny, Barrel Bug Rides and interactive Meet the Animals sessions.









eastonfarmpark.co.uk

Easton Farm Park, Suffolk IP13 0EQ

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MATHS ENGLISH



We're looking forward to opening our doors again from 5th of June

**Ipswich Central Study Centre** Sangeeta Kumar 01473 614 665 ipswichcentral@kumoncentre.co.uk

Online and In-Centre Classes Available

**ONLINE CLASS** 

Tuesdays 4.00pm - 6.30pm Thursdays 4.00pm - 6.30pm IN CENTRE

Saturday 10.00am - 12.30pm

kumon.co.uk





Have you heard the latest news? A brand new interactive science centre based in Claydon, near Ipswich is opening this summer for all you budding young scientists! Come along and be an astronaut for the day and learn about the wonders of science! We

have exhibits, workshops, arts & crafts, plus plenty of fun and games whilst we learn! We will be welcoming our first families very soon.

Mem Ecience Cent in Suffolk opening this summer!

Opening on Saturdays only from 31st July and during August! Then, from Saturday 4th of September we will be open for public visits every Saturday and Sunday.

Come down and explore Suffolk's very own Science Centre!!!

It's Rocket Science! Brought to you by KINETIC SCIENCE (a registered Charity) Unit 14, Hill View Business Park, Claydon, Suffolk, IP6 OAJ T: 01473 832249 E: itsrocketscienceso@gmail.com W: www.itsrocketscience.co.uk

Enquiries welcome 7 days a week even if we aren't open. Leave us a message or drop us an email, alternatively you can visit our website for the latest information.



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#### PQA Bury St. Edmunds

At PQA our main academy students rotate through hourlong sessions in Comedy & Drama, Musical Theatre and Film & Television. Students are split into groups according to their age and are taught by specialist expert teachers.

Unique to PQA is our Film & TV module where students learn techniques behind and in front of the camera.

PQA Bury St Edmunds runs every **Saturday** at King Edward V1 School. Main Academy (students aged 6-18) 10am-1pm & PQA Poppets (children aged 4-5) 10am-11.30am.









Transport and Engineering heritage on your doorstep www.ipswichtransportmuseum.co.uk









### **EXHIBITION AT THE HOLD IPSWICH WATERFRONT** 17 JULY - 27 SEPTEMBER

A family-friendly journey through history, all imagined in LEGO® bricks. From tiny recreations that could fit in your hand, to a 1.5m square medieval castle, these models will make you smile, make you think, and inspire you to build a better world.

Brick History inspired family activities and exhibition events throughout the summer holidays:

- Tuesdays and Saturdays: Make Suffolk out of LEGO® bricks
- Wednesdays: Let's Get Crafty
- Fridays: Creative workshops with Rock Paper Scissors
- Saturdays throughout August: Cinema Club featuring The Lego Movie, The Lego Movie 2, The Lego Batman Movie and The Lego Ninjago Movie

The Hold is a new heritage centre on the waterfront in Ipswich, which is home to the Ipswich branch of Suffolk Archives.

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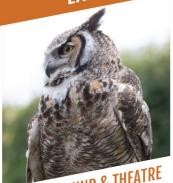




## A GREAT PLACE TO VISIT FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

BARNS PARK

## EAT | SHOP | PLAY | STAY | ATTRACTIONS | EVENTS



SHOWGROUND & THEATRE Family events and shows

#### TEAPOT POTTERY & TEA ROOM

Teapots for sale and paint your own. Tea, coffee & cakes





## SHOPPING VILLAGE

Many unique shops and businesses

#### **FISHING**

2 fully stocked lakes

### OWL SANCTUARY

Birds of prey, owls, meerkats

#### BISTRO

Delicious home cooked food

### HOLIDAY PARK

Tents, caravans, bell tents, static homes, holiday home ownership

## NOW FULLY OPEN

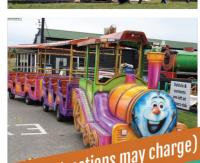
#### **GOLF CENTRE** 8 different golfing attractions

## CHILDREN'S ATTRACTIONS

Soft play barn, sensory room, fairground, train rides, bouncy pillow







FREE ADMISSION & PARKING (Some attractions may charge) www.stonhambarns.co.uk





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## OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK

How to find us: PETTAUGH ROAD, STONHAM ASPAL, SUFFOLK, IP14 6AT



The team at **Frog's Farm** are revving up for their second year of sunflowers with huge anticipation and excitement after a fantastic opening season. This year there are even more surprises in store across the site.

With a huge range of varieties of sunflowers within the magical fields plus **two mazes** to get lost in and find the perfect photo opportunity, under big, Mid Suffolk skies, you will be <u>hard</u> pressed to find a more spectacular site for your family to be amazed by. Treat yourselves to cut flowers on your way out and see the sunflowers in their full beauty whilst at Frogs Farm and when you get home.

The brainchild of Freddy and Bekkie,

two young people with a dream of bringing back the old family farm alongside a diversification enterprise, the success has surprised but not overwhelmed them with ideas constantly running and being trialled.

The site opens on 21st July and runs throughout the summer holidays for a great family outing. Follow us on social media for full details of what is happening throughout the summer and to see the growth of the sunflowers until we open.

For further information please email

frogsfarmsuffolk@gmail.com







#### Little Kickers

**Football fun** for children aged 18 months - 7 years.

"Learning the FUNdamentals of Football" **www.LittleKickers.co.uk** 

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## Raring2grow! Fun Gardening Ideas for Families

Kids love gardens & growing things - when gardening with youngsters, try to think like they do & get imaginative!

Jack and the Beanstalk Garden – plant some magic beans (dwarf French beans are good) protected by Jack the Scarecrow.

**Pizza Garden** – a round garden ideal for a large container - dwarf tomatoes, peppers, onions, oregano, and marigolds (to represent cheese).

Cinderella's Garden – pumpkins & easy flowers like cornflowers or love in a mist – all easy to grow from seed.

Fairy Ring – in Autumn plant a circle of bulbs such as crocuses in the lawn & wait 'til spring!

Smelly Garden – full of fragrant plants like lemon balm, mint, lavender & chives.

**Mr McGreggors Garden** – lettuces, Carrots and greens! Radishes are quick and easy to grow too.

Bugs Welcome Garden – welcome friendly bugs & beetles with flowers such as nasturtiums, candytuft & marigolds. Include a small wood pile for bugs to hide in too.

Bird Friendly Garden – make some bird feeders & nest boxes out of recycled items, remember to leave a large shallow dish of water out for them to drink & use for a bath - visit www.rspb.org.uk for lots of ideas.

Fun Recycled Containers – plant flowers in recycled items – anything goes from Dad's old walking boots, outgrown wellies or even juice cartons - any interesting objects you have, make sure to put holes in so water can drain away though!









We estimate there could be as many as 400,000 children in the UK for whom this is the reality. They are sleeping on the floor, or sharing with parents or siblings.

Buttle UK is a national children's charity. What we do is very simple. We pay for everyday things that struggling families cannot afford. That could be anything from a bed for a child without one, to a laptop so a homeless teenager can start their first college course.

The legacy left to us by our founder, Frank Buttle, means we can cover our own administration costs. So every penny of a gift will go directly to a family that really needs it.

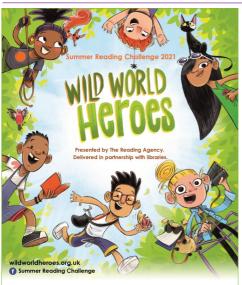
YOUR SUPPORT WILL **HELP US FUND MORE OF OUR LIFE CHANGING** CHANCES FOR CHILDREN GRANTS

Charity number: 313007. Scotland: SCO37997





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To take part in The Summer Reading Challenge 2021 and become a Wild World Hero head to your local library or join online.

Challenge launch dates: 19 June - Scotland/NI | 10 July - England/Wales



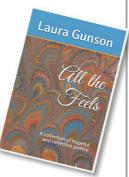


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#### Raring2go! Recommends

This is a lovely collection of easy to read uplifting positive poems, with each one taking you on a journey through life - the perfect antidote to a strange and depressing year.



This **inspiring collection** will make you look at the small details of life in a new light and is the **perfect gift** for friends and family.

Get your copy, it's available from www.amazon.co.uk/All-Feels-collection-hopeful-reflective

## Win a bundle of books for your school

Raring2go! is proud to support Primary Schools with our Summer 2021 **Book Bundle Competition.** 

Your School could win engaging, fun and educational books for your school library. Entry is free and open to all Primary Schools.

For your chance to win please visit raring2go.co.uk/competitions

Books selected will be age appropriate / Books may differ from those shown above.



## Bug Hunt



See how many of these creatures you can find outdoors and tick them off. To find out more about them scan the QR Code above.



#### Did uou know?

It's just honey bees which die after stinging; for all bees, only the females (workers and the queen) can sting, and males (drones) can't.



#### Woodlouse

#### Did you know?

Woodlice are actually terrestrial crustaceans, not insects, so are more closely related to crabs and shrimps.



#### Worm

#### Did you know?

An earthworm has 5 hearts! Toads, hedgehogs, moles, birds, centipedes and some beetles like to eat worms.



#### Butterfly

#### Did you know?

There are 59 species of butterfly in the UK. Butterflies taste with their feet!





#### Did you know?

There are over 100 species in the UK. Snails and slugs have a ribbon-like tongue, covered in 30,000 tinu teeth.



#### **Beetle**

#### Did uou know?

Beetles are the largest group of animals on Earth. and have been around for 270 million years







#### Summer fun at Markshall Estate

With hundreds of acres to explore, what will you do first? Build a den in the Wild Wood, explore a whole world of trees or feed fish in our giant lakes? With so much to do here, it's easy to have a fun family day out!

On Saturday 21 August look out for a visit from Mowgli and his friends as the larger-than-life family musical The Jungle Book comes to Markshall Estate. Filled with original music, audience interaction, and the chance to meet the characters after the show.

For older children, William Shakespeare's iconic Romeo & Juliet will be performed on Friday 20 August. This powerful story of forbidden love and bitter rivalry is brought to life in a visual spectacle infused with comedy, heartbreak, and danger.

For families with energy to burn, let your imagination run wild in our hands-on play area, The Wild Wood. Made



from wood from across the Estate, have fun jumping over logs, playing on seesaws, and building giant dens.

Explore a little further and uncover the last reminders of our Second World War air base or travel back in time as you look for signs of the old Hall. Bring the dog and your bikes and explore miles of ancient woodlands.

Are you ready to get exploring? Find out everything you need to have a great day at www.markshall.org.uk





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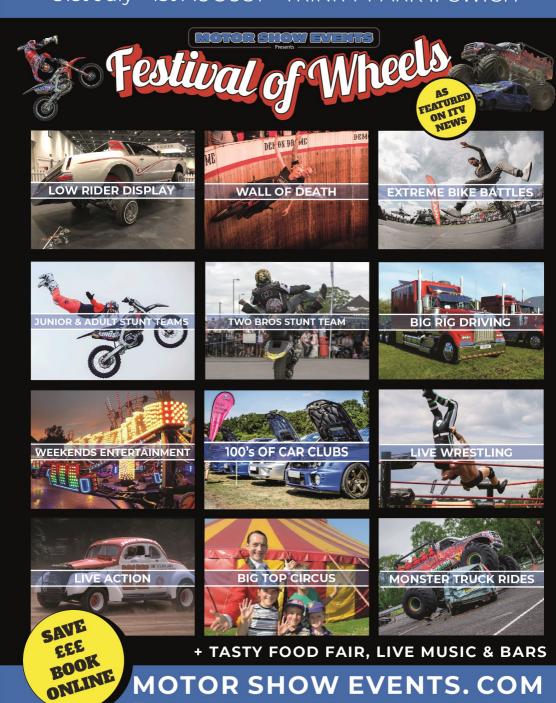
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#### FAMILY FUN WEEKEND WITH CAMPING 31st July - 1st AUGUST - TRINITY PARK IPSWICH



MOTOR SHOW EVENTS. COM THIS EVENT WILL SELL OUT, BOOK TODAY

## Win! ...with Raring2go!







### for **JUMP IN** Ipswich

the Festival of Wheels

TRAMPOLINING fun has now bounced back into Ipswich and to its new owners Jump In and it's already got visitors giddy with excitement thanks to the introduction of a brand new Wipeout obstacle to add to the physical fun.



dodgeball and slam dunk basketball and everything is strictly in line with all COVID-19 government quidelines. There's also extra fun in store with the

Jump In Trampoline and Play Park lpswich, caters for kids, teens and adults with a host of activities on offer, including trampolines, battle tunnels and towers. beams, air bag, interactive walls.

return of the huge former Billy Beez soft play centre on the Anglia Retail Park site, including 18 slides, sports courts,



To enter any of our FREE competitions, head to raring2go.co.uk/ipswich and click the competitions tab



## Suffolk Owl Sanctuary Sanctuary

at STONIHAM BARNS PARK on the A1120 COVID-Secure









Includes S.O.S. Safari trail for youngsters

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