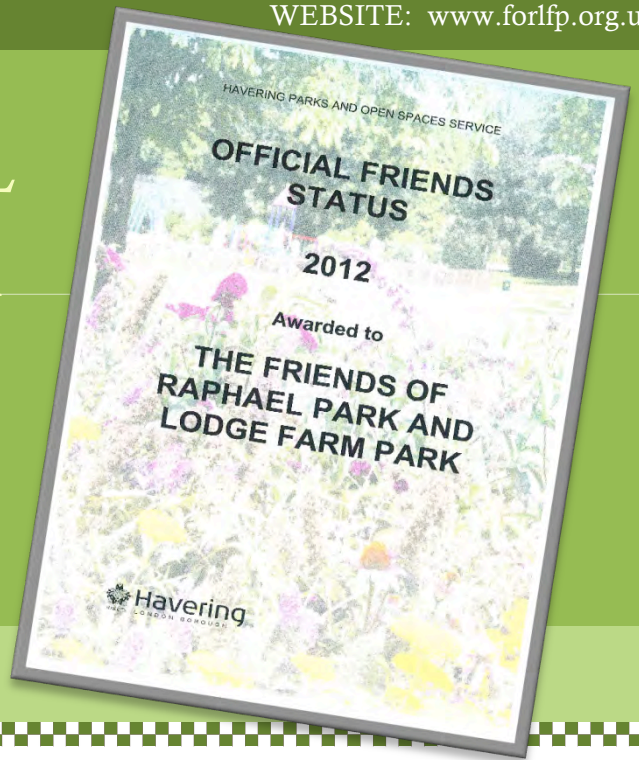


# FRIENDS OF RAPHAEL & LODGE FARM PARK

## SPRING NEWSLETTER



April 2012

### COMING EVENTS

- Monday 21st May Friends Meeting  
Romford Town Hall,  
Room 1B  
7-30 to 9pm
- 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday each month Litter Pick. We look forward to seeing you at the park Café at 10am
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday each month Litter Pick, We look forward to seeing you at the Playground at 10am
- Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> April Spring Quiz with a Fish 'n' Chip Supper. **"SOLD OUT"**

### Friends News

#### Official Friends Status

We were delighted to collect both awards on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> March. Our many thanks to all those who contributed to our achieving Official Friends and Green Flag Status.

#### Lodge Farm Park Tennis Club

Are bidding to have their two courts resurfaced. The club has submitted an application to the Sport England Inspired Facilities funding programme. Sport England is the public body with the role of developing community sports and increasing the numbers of people involved in sport in England, the Club hope that an improvement to the appearance and playability of the courts will attract new members. If anyone is interested in joining the club, please contact Steve Perry: [s.perry600@ntlworld.com](mailto:s.perry600@ntlworld.com)

#### Park Renovation & Restoration

We're sure you'll be glad to know that works should start in earnest just after the summer holidays/ late September, thankfully this will enable you to have full use of the park this Summer.

#### Raphael Park Rovers Football Club

Teamed up with Byron Redstar F.C. and organised a fun run for Sport Relief. Over 170 children took part, a great day was had by all with the added bonus of raising almost £900. Both Club Managers said were extremely proud of their teams efforts and hope to do again next year.

#### Music in the Park 2012

Don't forget to put Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June in your diary!!

We hope you've enjoyed our news round up, Yours Truly, The Friends



**"Football Clubs Raising Money for Sport Relief 2012"**  
Raphael Park Rovers  
&  
Byron Redstar  
**"Fun Run"**



The Friends of Raphael Park and Lodge Farm Park  
are  
Proud to Present

# Music in the Park

Around the Bandstand in Raphael Park,  
Main Road, Romford, RM2 5EB

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June 1pm-6pm

Free entry

Live Bands

Beer, Wine & Pimms Tent

*Leisure 2000* kids fun fair

*Wokabout* & Hog Roast



Performing:  
Copperface Jack  
The New Serenaders  
Rick Christian

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THE FRIENDS OF RAPHAEL PARK  
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