

The BIG Top on Monday

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Neville – a new TV superstar?

News Headlines

Meet the Leaders







Jackie

The main Leaders for each section of The BIG Top are Pam Chapman (The Marquee for under 3s), Jackie Dixon (The Rainbow Tent for 3-4s), and Richard Colpus (The Arena for 5-10s & The Rock Café for 11-16s). These main leaders are supported by dozens of other voluntary helpers and leaders.

The Arena (5-10s)

The theme of The Arena all week will be TV - and the making of TV programmes. Each day there will be drama, craftwork, and fun and games - all using TV as their theme. Top of the Pops and Roving Mike will be among the daily features.

The Rainbow Tent (3-4s)

The children will be enjoying themselves with fun and games during each morning session.

The Marquee (under 3s) Dominique Middleton (Urban Retreat) came in today to do some free face and foot massages for the carers (while the children played).

Teddington Methodist Church The Methodist Church buildings are at the junction of Stanley Road and Hampton Road. George Brigham



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is the Methodist Minister. He led the dedication service for BIG Top leaders on the evening of

Sunday 28 July at the Methodist Church. Find out more on the Methodist website:

www.teddingtonmethodistchurch.org.uk



Neville

Arena TV kicked-off today with a Match of the Day Special. Neville's Monday Challenge was to learn about the team of people Jesus built by becoming a football reporter.

Neville had to stand in for John Motson at short notice and interview some of the people in the Jesus Team. Billie played every member for the Jesus team with a performance of near perfection. She switched between playing James, John and Peter at the drop of a hat.

But the Arena audience were left asking whether Big Al's new signing, Neville, will turn out to be on a very short-term contract!

Neville survived his "say it again" interview with the dynamic duo -James/Billie and John/Billie. They turned out to be so alike that they might have been the same person.

But then a rocky interview with Peter/Billie soon left Neville fishing for answers. Eventually Peter/Billie dried up in mid-answer and Neville cut the interview short.

The BIG Top says Neville may get left-back in the dressing room if he keeps scoring own goals on camera!

Behind the Scenes at Arena TV



Big Al, the mean media mogul, runs Arena TV. If Neville turns out to have what it takes, Big Al will take it.

Don't Forget

Photo of the Day

When it has been chosen, you will be able to find it on our website: http://come.to/TheBigTop.

The Marquee Bring 'N' Buy On Friday The Marquee will be running a Bring 'n' Buy for baby clothes, toys and equipment with money raised going to a Projects International Trip to Romania this August. See Richard Colpus for more information about Projects International which runs a project most summers in Romania to improve facilities in children's homes there.

Come to our Sunday Celebration There will be a BIG Top Celebration on Sunday on St Mary's and St Peter's school field starting at 10.30am. It will continue until mid-afternoon. Songs. Games. BBQ. etc.

The Rock Café (11-16s) Every evening of the week, Monday to Friday, there will be The Rock Café (also on a TV theme) for young people from 7.30pm to 9.30pm. Every evening starts at Teddington Baptist Church and will be action packed with music, challenges, games, competitions, and activities. The Rock Café costs 50p for each evening except for the BBQ on Friday which is £2.

What's Online for Teddington? Wot? is an internet information service for Teddington provided by Teddington Baptist Church. Wot?: http://come.to/Teddington

The Arena Memory Verse

God loved the world so much