

The BIG Top on Sunday

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Real Stars - Helping Others All Year!

News Headlines



The Talent Show

Yesterday in The Ring and the Arena, the children had a Talent Show with lots of fabulous acts including singing, dancing, conjuring, and poetry readings.

The Fancy Dress Parade

The Rainbow Tent held its Fancy Dress Parade yesterday there were two princesses, a cat, a lion, a butterfly, The White Rabbit and a Swedish footballer – and that was just the children!

Limo Excitement

For many of the children, the high-light of the week was the chance to get into and explore the Limo on Friday morning. It was so different from other cars – really long with dark windows, seats lengthwise on each side, a high quality sound system and multiple tv screens.



The limo parked in Church Road on Friday outside The BIG Top: Star Zone

Dressing Up

During the week we have had children and helpers dressing up. We have seen Snow White, Pirates, Sherlock Holmes, a Pearly Queen, Robin Hood, Charlie Chaplin, etc etc - and the occasional person with green or pink hair! Well done to all those who helped keep us entertained!

What a week we have had in The Star Zone - learning about what can make everyone into a real star – listening to God, learning his Word, doing what he says, and helping others.

The BIG Top says: Just think what a better world it would be if everyone was a real star the whole year round

Learning with Puppets

There were new puppets at The BIG Top this year. Along with Bert and Lucy there were Grandma and Grandpa plus a black puppy. They were all there with the children to learn what makes a real star!





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Bert and Lucy, dropped into The Ring and The Arena each day to help the children learn their memory verses:

<u>Tuesday</u>

"For great is your love, reaching to the heavens; your faithfulness reaches to the skies" (Psalm 57:10)

Wednesday

"Hear God's word and put it into practice" (Luke 8:21)

Thursday

"For if you forgive men when they sin against you, your heavenly Father will also forgive you." (Matthew 6:14)

Friday

Jesus said, "Love your neighbour as yourself" (Luke 10:27)

Saturday

"Trust in the Lord and do good" (Psalm 37:3)

Don't Forget

Today is our Celebration Day
If you would like to join us for the barbecue after the Celebration, the suggested donation for those who have not already got a family ticket is: Family ticket £5; Individual £3.

What's Online for Teddington?
Wot? is an internet information
service for Teddington provided by
Teddington Baptist Church. Whatever you want, look on Wot?:
www.TeddingtonBaptist.org.uk/wot

The Sponsoring Churches

The BIG Top is organised by Teddington Baptist Church with help from Teddington Methodist Church and Teddington Salvation Army and Acts 88. See over page for details of other children and youth activities at all three churches throughout the year.

Thank You!



Eli Hassoun, the Youth Pastor of Teddington Baptist Church, sends a big "Thank You" to all the "Stars" who

helped create The BIG Top 2006.

The BIG Top Website

The BIG Top website has photos and newsletters from the past six years of The BIG Top. More material will be added during this coming week including some photos from this year.

 $\underline{www.TeddingtonBigTop.org.uk}$

How Many Attended?

The BIG Top 2006 was attended at one time or another by over 125 children – 32 in the Arena, 46 in The Ring, 29 in the Rainbow Tent and 19 in Crèche.

We hope to see lots of the children again throughout the coming year at one or other of the sponsoring churches' activities.