

Local Summer Markets and Fairs 2024

Seasonal fairs & local markets offer a number of opportunities to local voluntary groups and charities to raise your profile in the community, raise funds on a stall or raise funds by being chosen as a beneficiary charity. Please always check individual websites for up to date information

Local Markets

Ham Parade Market

Ham Parade Market is open on the first Saturday of the month (excluding January) and offers crafts and fresh produce. Its mission is “investment in the community, for the community, by the community”. The market supports a different local charity each month, providing a free of charge stall for a charity to raise awareness and/or funds. In addition, they run a raffle at each market with the proceeds donated to that month’s charity. To date they have raised over £10,000 for local good causes. [Visit the Ham Parade Market website.](#)

Kew Village Market

Kew Village Market is usually held on the first Sunday of the month except in January. It is run by volunteers with the aim of helping local good causes and to encourage footfall to the Kew Village area. Since 2011 they have donated £96,000 to local charities. Awards are made four times a year in October, December, March and July and range from £300 to £1,000. Charities are welcome to have a free stall at the market to raise their profile and funds. For details of how to apply, [visit the Kew Village Market website](#) (click on the ‘Charity’ tab).

Surbiton Farmers Market

For local charities and good causes that also have beneficiaries in Kingston, Surbiton Farmers Market (SFM) is run by the community for the community. It takes place on the third Saturday of the month and since 2009 has raised over £60,000 for local charities. Each month a charity can have a free stall to promote what they do and raise funds, which SFM will match up to a maximum of £250. They also make charity donations from the proceeds of stall hire. [Visit the Surbiton Farmers Market website.](#)

Local Fairs

Richmond May Fair – Saturday 11th May 2024

Richmond May Fair takes place on Richmond Green and the area around the parish church of St Mary Magdalene and Richmond Green. The Richmond May Fair Ball 2024 will take place the night before (10th May), and this year's beneficiary charities are Park Lane Stables RDA and My Life Films. Applications for Charity Stalls are now open. [Visit Richmond May Fair 2024 website](#)

The Rotary Fair (formerly HANDS Fair) – Monday 27th May 2024

The aim of this Fair is to enable local charities and good causes to have stalls, raise funds and promote their work. Any profit raised from running the event will be transferred to the Rotary Club of Twickenham upon Thames Trust Fund which supports charitable projects locally and throughout the world. To apply for a stall, [email rotaryhandsfair@gmail.com](mailto:rotaryhandsfair@gmail.com). For more information, [visit the Rotary Fair website here.](#)

Ham Fair (Ham Common) – Saturday 8th June 2024

This annual fair, organised by Ham and Petersham Association and Amenities Group, is booked for 8th June with profits distributed to good causes. Stall information and the form to book for this year are available [here](#). Charity rates are available. [Go to the Ham Fair website.](#)

Kew Midsummer Fete – Saturday 22nd June 2024

This very popular fair donates all its operating profits to local charities and, since it began in 2010, more than £200,000 has been donated to good causes in the Richmond area. They are accepting [stall enquiries](#) now. Application forms to be considered as a beneficiary charity should be available towards end-March 2024. [Check the Kew Fete website.](#)

St Margarets Fair – Saturday 6th July 2024

Half the proceeds of this fair go to five local schools – Orleans Primary, St Marys, St Stephens, Orleans Park and Deer Park School - with the remaining 50% supporting selected local charities. Stall applications can be made now using [the application form here](#). Organisations wishing to be considered as a beneficiary charity should [email charity@stmargaretsfair.org](mailto:charity@stmargaretsfair.org). For more details, [visit St Margarets Fair website.](#)

Barnes Fair – Saturday 13th July 2024

The annual Barnes Fair featuring more than 300 charity stalls, takes place on Barnes Green and raises money for Barnes Community Association (BCA), who distribute it to support local charities by request. If you are a Barnes-based charity, you can apply for a grant from the BCA throughout the year. For stall applications and announcements [check the Barnes Fair webpage](#) or [BCA Instagram posts](#).

Teddington Village Fair – date TBC

The Teddington Village Fair is organised by the Teddington Society and offers very reasonably priced stalls to charities and a great day out for all the family. For information [check The Teddington Society website.](#)

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