FRIENDS of GUNNERSBURY PARK & MUSEUM

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NEWSLETTER



ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, 9th July

We will be holding the AGM of the Friends in the Schools Room of the Museum at 7.30 on Friday 9th July. The Schools Room is part of the Kitchen wing, and is best approached by the entrance in the yard at the end of the building nearest the café and boating pond. We have invited Sarah Levitt, the Museum Curator, to speak about the development plan she has prepared for the future of the Museum - "A Vision Of The Future", and there will be plenty of opportunity to discuss this, the issue of the covenants and the nursery, and the latest developments over the Stables and other listed buildings. It will also be a chance to see the latest refurbishment of the Kitchens (the new sinks, for example). We will be offering refreshments - do please come along.

THE CONSERVATORY

Marianne Booth writes:

Visitors to the Park will have noticed gradual changes in the Conservatory. We have received donations of plants, pots and money so that we can develop the Conservatory as a fitting part of the Museum. The Friends are grateful for the help and interest that has been shown. This is, however, a long term project and it will be at least a year before our plans near fruition. We still need large pots and more plants, and especially stands, so that the contents can be displayed to advantage. Also, do we have any volunteers who would water, control pests, take cuttings and generally maintain the room? Please contact 081 992 9891 if you can help.

THE GUNNERSBURY GALA

We will be taking a stall and helping out at the Gunnersbury Gala - it would be good to meet you there - do come up and say hallo.

JAZZ IN THE PARK

We are sponsoring a jazz concert in the Park on the afternoon of Sunday July 4th - starting at 2.30. The players are the Jazz Saxes, a young, local and excellent group. We think we will be on the lawn in front of the Small Mansion - but you will hear the sounds wafting over the trees, so come and find us. If it rains, we will be in the Small Mansion Lecture Room - now that will be a blast!