

THE STEYNING FESTIVAL REVOLUTIONARY PARADE

The Steyning Festival Community Parade will open the Steyning Festival on Saturday 26th May. This year there will be three bands, as well as several local schools and groups from many local community organisations. The theme is 'revolution', which can be interpreted in all sorts of ways so feel free to be as creative as you like. Each group/school is encouraged to carry a banner or sign to let everyone know who they are.

Groups will need to assemble at **10 30 a.m. on Cuthman Field**, next to the Big Top which will be the hub of the Festival for the full two weeks. Bacon butties and drinks will be on sale from 10.00am and the Barulho Samba Band will be playing from well before the start, so there will be plenty of atmosphere.

At **11.00 a.m.** the parade will leave the field, process up Church Street, along the High Street and back along Tanyard Lane to the starting point. Children will need to be accompanied by a responsible adult. The parade will take about 45 minutes. Celebrations will continue all day around the Big Top with music and activities for all the family, and as always, plenty to eat and drink.

If your school would like to take part please would you confirm this with Caroline Meeson by email at carolineouttogras@talktalk.net with the following information:

- Name of School
- Main Contact
- Contact Details (email/Mobile)
- If possible, a rough idea of the numbers who will be parading.

It would be great to see you there.

Best wishes from the Steyning Festival Team