



In a spin: Brothers Alexander, five, Adriano, four, and Kristian Jokubauskas, three

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Banking on holiday fun

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Coconut shys, a pet show and a football tournament were some of the fun to be had as Twickenham and Hampton celebrated the bank holiday weekend in style.

Hampton Village held its first charity fun day, which saw more than 2,000 revellers flood to the Beveree stadium, to help raise money for the charities Anthony Nolan, Africa Revival, the Greenwood Centre, Linden Hall and Sos!Sen, which supports children with special educational needs, last Saturday.

Events included a 16-team football tournament and a Hampton's Got Talent competition, won by borough-based rapper Sam Badgery.

Steve O'Neill, commercial manager of Hampton and Richmond Football Club, who helped organise the event, said: "We were blown away by the response. Hampton people really came out and supported this fantastic day.

"We're still getting comments from visitors about how much they enjoyed it, and how it's made them feel that we



Brown owl: One of the attractions at Twickenham

really do have the village spirit."

More than 80 charities were busy raising as much money as possible at the annual Twickenham Green May Fair, on Monday. Groups holding stalls included Teddington Lions Club, Aspire, which supports people with spinal injuries, and the Royal Air Force Society, who brought along birds of prey for visitors to pet.

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