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The Newsletter

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Welcome to **s!ng**, the fourth of our newsletters to advisors and music educators through which we aim to provide useful information about new and forthcoming products and offers.

Doing Something Funny! By Mark & Helen Johnson

After the huge success of **Make Someone Happy!**, the 2007 Red Nose Day Schools' Song, Out of the Ark Music have teamed up with Comic Relief again to bring you the new song for this year. **Doing Something Funny!** is a great way for you and your schools to raise money on Red Nose Day, Friday 13 March 2009.



You will receive the FREE CD as part of our January 2009 catalogue and mailing. This interactive CD features:

- **Doing Something Funny!** vocal and backing tracks.
- A fantastic video of the song to inspire you!
- A **Words on Screen™** version of the song. Lyrics can be projected onto any screen or whiteboard. Words and music are highlighted and synchronized with the music as it plays – includes a user guide.
- Printable lyric sheets and music score (PDF).
- List of fundraising ideas (PDF).



All the above will also be available to download from our website at www.outoftheark.com Find the video and other information about Red Nose Day at www.rednoseday.com/schools.

Why not encourage your schools to sing the song and do something funny to raise money for Red Nose Day!

Comic Relief, registered Charity no 326568 (England/Wales) SC039730 (Scotland)

What's NEW!

During January you will be receiving our Spring catalogue which will feature 3 new products for spring time. **A Spring Thing**, a compilation of 30 spring songs, **Songs for EVERY Easter** now with **Words on Screen™** and the second in the **Sunday's Cool** series, **Hosanna!** In addition we have a new **My World** release, entitled **Space** and **NEW** fairytale books and CDs in our **Song & Story** series.

Please take a look at the new products overleaf, or go to our website at www.outoftheark.com for further information on the titles and to listen to song clips. The catalogue will also feature monthly **website only discount offers** for schools to use.

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New products for Spring 2009



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**Goldilocks And
The Three Bears**
Order Code: GTB-BCD

**Jack And
The Beanstalk**
Order Code: JBK-BCD

**The Three Billy
Goats Gruff**
Order Code: TBG-BCD

Book and Audio CD packages: £12.95
Price includes performance licence.

The 'Song & Story' Series By Niki Davies Ages 3-6

Far more than just a songbook, this brand new series has been written for use both in the classroom and in assemblies. Traditional, well loved stories are re-told through a very simple story/script and just a few bite-size songs. This delightful combination of 'song & story' will enliven and enrich learning, both in music and literacy, as well as giving younger children a manageable experience of performing a mini-musical.

Each title includes:

Book with

- Story / Script
- Song lyrics
- Piano arrangements
- Easy percussion parts

CD with

- Vocal and backing tracks
- Beautifully narrated story with songs

Extra free downloads from our website

- Lyric sheets
- Story in a child-friendly font so children can read as they listen
- Mini books with simplified story and space to illustrate the story

Listen, read, sing - perform!



A Spring Thing - a bloomin' great bunch of spring songs by leading writers. Ages 5-11

Following on from our hugely successful harvest song book *A Combined Harvest* which was released in the autumn, we have now compiled a stunning collection of 30 titles for spring and Easter in this single songbook. Featuring 11 of the best springtime songs from our existing catalogue and 19 new ones from established Out of the Ark writers.

Also available with **Words on Screen™**

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**The Classic Package
Book and 2 x Audio CDs** £25.95
Order Code: AST-BCD
Available February 2009

**The Full 'Words on Screen™' Package
Book, 2 x Audio CDs & CD Rom** £39.95
Order Code: AST-BCW



Sunday's Cool - Hosanna! Volume 2 By Mark & Helen Johnson. Ages 5-12

The *Sunday's Cool* series of books and CD's from Mark and Helen Johnson, have been put together for junior church and all age worship. Each book includes a selection of songs from other Out of the Ark titles which have been successfully used in primary schools across the country, as well as additional songs unique to *Sunday's Cool*.

Sunday's Cool - Hosanna! includes 12 songs particularly suitable for Easter time including 4 previously unreleased songs. Also suitable for use in assemblies and for collective worship.

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Book and Audio CD £18.95
Order Code: SCH-BCD

Available February 2009



My World: Animals - by leading writers. Ages 4-9

This exciting collection includes a whole galaxy of new songs, taking us on a fantastic journey through space, with lots of amazing facts and imaginings. Did you know, for example, that there's no sound on the moon, or that the sun is 93 million miles away? Get everyone learning as they sing about our universe, the planets, the sun and moon, rockets, gravity and the odd alien! It's totally 'out of this world!'

These topic based songs have all been written to support the curriculum and will inspire everyone who uses and listens to them. Includes curriculum links and ideas.

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Book and Audio CD £17.95
Order Code: SPC-BCD

Available February 2009



Songs for EVERY easter Words on Screen™ By Mark & Helen Johnson. Ages 5-11

We are now able to provide the new **Words on Screen™** version of this popular Easter title which is part of the **songs for EVERY...** series, suitable for use from reception to Year 6. The songbook has 15 lively songs for Easter time and the whole of the spring term, including favourites such as, *Life Is A Wonderful Thing*, *Spring Chicken*, *Don't Forget (Mother's Day Song)* and *The Chocolate Song!*

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**The Classic Package
Book and Audio CD** £22.95
Order Code: EAS-BCD

**The Full 'Words on Screen™' Package
Book, Audio CD & CD Rom** £39.95
Order Code: EAS-BCW

**The 'Words on Screen™' Upgrade Package
CD Rom** £29.95 Order Code: EAS-UWS

(only available to customers who have previously purchased the book and audio CD)

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