

Reader's Tip Top Tips - Win £20

Congratulations to Mrs D Beresford of Horsley Woodhouse for providing the tip below – Mrs Beresford has won a £20 note courtesy of All Things Local. **To remove tea stains from a Thermos flask,** soak overnight in a Steradent tablet

To remove candle wax from a carpet, cover it with brown paper and iron with a hot iron. Sue Poorta, Kilburn

For carpets that are a little flat, just take your steam iron over the carpet (with a sheet in between so you don't melt the carpet). Your iron is never going to touch the carpet and by moving it very quickly you will be adding cushion to your carpeting. Jacob Tyers, Denby

To keep your PC or laptop clear of temporary files:

Go to START, Control Panel or up to Settings Control Panel (dependent upon whether you have the classic or ordinary start menu) and choose Internet Options. Then either of the following:

Internet Explorer 7 – Click on the Delete button under browsing history, go to the bottom of the new window and choose Delete All, choose Yes and then when it has finished click on OK. You can choose to delete on certain files in which case you would go to each individually.

Internet Explorer 6 – On the General tab, in the Temporary Internet Files section, click the Delete Files button. This will delete all the files that are currently stored in your cache. To delete Cookies, then click on the Delete Cookies button. *Helen Sparks, Morley*

FOR YOUR CHANCE TO WIN £20 Just write your hint or tip down on a piece of paper, together with your name, address and telephone number and post to Tip Top Tips, All Things Local, 74 Woodhouse Road, Kilburn, Belper, Derbyshire DE56 0NA. Alternatively, you can email to karyn@allthingslocal.co.uk – just put Tip Top Tips as the subject.

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I will print your name and the area in which you live, but never your full address or telephone number, these are purely required to let you know if you have been drawn as the lucky recipient of the £20 note!