

# Market Harborough Church of England Primary School



## Newsletter July 2nd 2010

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Dear Parents/Carers,

So many thank yous this week I hardly know where to start ! So.....

### THANK YOU

...for the wonderful turn out at the fete on Saturday... weren't we lucky with the weather! The PTA did a fantastic job as usual for us, and the children who helped out on the stalls were fabulous! I think you'll agree that using the Art Block, for refreshments, was a great success...I'm quite tempted to get some permanent café tables for that spot!

....for your patience in waiting for the reports to come out – it really was a bit of a nightmare! I think the last one was printed at 5 to 3 on Thursday! Our poor server is getting old and worn out (and Mrs Clark says so is she!!!), but hopefully it - the server not Mrs Clark! – will be replaced over the summer.

...for supporting us in our Fair Trade work all year – we'll be re-applying for FT status over the summer.

...for a wonderful turn out for Open Evening last night and all the positive comments you made. Miss Lee and Mr Flynn were both delighted at the welcome they received!

...for 38,000+ Sainsbury's vouchers which have bought us a fridge, a cooker, cooking equipment – that'll come in handy for our cookery club next year – and a host of other things. The Tesco vouchers have just gone off... I'm not sure what we're getting with them yet.

.....to all of you who give up your time every week to come in and support children in class.

.....to all of you who've offered to come in next year and help run after school clubs – it should all be very exciting, and with Miss Lee offering to set up a school choir, there should be something on offer to suit just about everybody! There will be a meeting in Mrs Fellows' room at 3.45pm on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> July for those parents who've volunteered.

.....to all the dads and granddads who came into Foundation this morning to make paper aeroplanes (and rockets and helicopters and parachutes and kites... there was no stopping them!).

**Successes, Achievements and just Plain Fun ~** (a suggestion from a parent so that you know what other year groups have been up to – thank you)

Not only did we have some fantastic results at the Area Sports last Monday but we also had the best behaved children at Saffron Lane Stadium, so a huge well done and thank you to all the children who represented us. Charlotte Dexter came 1<sup>st</sup> in the Long Jump, the Y4 boys relay team and the Y6 girls relay both came 2<sup>nd</sup> in the final; brilliant stuff!

Year 1 and 2 were a credit to us all at the Multi-skills Festival this Tuesday at Robert Smyth and had a wonderful time. Y5 had a Technology day at Welland Park yesterday – film producing, making key rings and being forensic scientists!

Y3 had a taste of Egypt this week, with a belly dancing workshop – I was very tempted to join in... it looked great fun. And this afternoon some of them will be hearing first hand what it's like to sail across the Atlantic, when Mrs Fellows' dad comes in this afternoon to tell them all about his own adventures. >>>>> **PTO for Diary Dates & Notes and Reminders**

**Diary Dates**

Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> July	School Council to Animal Rescue Centre Y5/6 performance 7pm
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup>	Y5/6 performance 2pm and 7pm (no Imagineering but Hotshots and Cheerleading as usual)
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup>	Y3/4 Mini-Olympics at Robert Smyth KS1 Sports Day 9.45am School Council to Visit Welland Park play area
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup>	KS2 Sports Day 1.30pm
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup>	Children to new classes am / Y6 to Welland Park all day
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Y4 visit to Stratford / Y6 to Welland Park all day
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup>	Y3 visit to New Walk Museum / Seaside Special themed lunch
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup>	End of Term service at St Dionysius 9.30am

**END OF TERM****Attendance**

Week beginning 14<sup>th</sup> June 2010  
Best class attendance ~ RLS 98.3%  
Whole school attendance ~ 92.9%

Week beginning 21<sup>st</sup> June 2010  
Best class attendance ~ RMT 99.6%  
Whole school attendance ~ 92.3%

**Notes and Reminders**

Mrs Guiver has passed on some information about an educational website which is offering free access until the end of term. The site is [www.purplemash.com](http://www.purplemash.com) (you need Flash Player 10) and these are the log-in details:

User name: pupil@43278

password: dad7

Please let us know what your children think of it.

**Sue Bovill**