

# Market Harborough C of E Primary School

# PTA news



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## Welcome to all new parents, carers and children!

All parents and carers with children at this school are members of the PTA and we hope you will enjoy supporting its events and activities throughout your children's time here.

Perhaps you'd like to be more involved? The PTA is always looking for new ideas and new volunteers. You can contribute by just occasionally helping out at events. Or, if you would like to help plan forthcoming events and decide how best to spend the money we raise, come along to one of the PTA meetings. Everyone is welcome! You don't have to attend every meeting to make a difference.

### The next PTA meeting

will be held on **Monday 25th October** in the Angel Hotel at 7.00pm. We will be starting to plan the Christmas fair and considering ideas for new events.

If you can help your PTA in any way at all, please email us at [pta9@marketharborough.leics.sch.uk](mailto:pta9@marketharborough.leics.sch.uk)

## New committee

The PTA Annual General Meeting and Information Evening was well attended this year. Thank you to everyone who came along!

The following people were elected to the committee:

Co-Chairs **Debbie Jones** and **Donna Streeter**  
Secretary **Sarah Millican**  
Minutes Secretary **Jane Iliffe**  
Treasurer **Martin Ellingworth**

Disco Co-ordinator **Ruth Lewis**  
C of E Cinema Co-ordinator **Keith Hamilton**  
PTA-Fairtrade Liaison **Ruth Halberda**



### No charge, just free giving!

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## Financial health

**Last year the PTA raised almost £8,000 for the school, thanks to your generosity.**

### PTA fundraising income 2009-10

Christmas Shopping Evening	£ 266
Christmas Fair	£ 1,536
Christmas Cards	£ 170
Mad Science Family Show	£ 308
Quiz Night	£ 460
C of EBay Auction Night	£ 640
Summer Fete	£ 2,494
Discos	£ 1,281
Fairtrade Fortnight Events	£ 139
C of E Cinema	£ 63
Non-uniform days	£ 256
Recycled uniform sales	£ 111
Miscellaneous	£ 273

### Contributions to the school 2009-10

Termly donations	£ 900
Shade structure on the main playing field	£ 3,000
Wooden boat for Foundation Stage playground	£ 1,501
A digital camera for every class	£ 802
12 sets of interactive whiteboard steps	£ 2,050
1 white board visualiser	£ 675
6 'talking postcards'	£ 85
32 children's art books	£ 170
1 big-book bookcase	£ 175
C of E water bottle for every child	£ 350
Donation to Lyaniso, the school's sponsored child	£ 54
Cycle and scooter racks by the Hearth Street entrance	£ 870
Cooker for KS1 kitchen	£ 430

### And, coming soon...

- Table top sand pit and benches for FS playground
- Updated Year 1 Roald Dahl literacy packs
- Washer dryer for the whole school
- Whole school participation in the 'Golden mile' health and fitness scheme