



PTFA NEWS

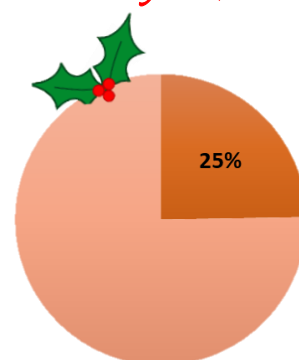


Christmas Fair volunteers

As always we cannot run the fairs without your help.. we need volunteers to run the stalls for an hour or two and help with setting up and tidying away. If you can volunteer some time, please text Jo on 07891 436467 or email MarkeatonPTFA@gmail.com. Thank you!

We need 89 volunteer hours to run all the stalls at the Christmas Fair this year... can you help??

We are currently 25% covered



Santa's Grotto update

We've been unable to run a Santa's Grotto at the fair this year as no 'one came forward to take over this activity and unfortunately we don't have the capacity this year to run the event to the amazing standard, of previous years, that people have come to expect. Santa will still be visiting the fair at his 'Selfie with Santa' station with props and backdrops for some festive photos. This will be open to all at the event with a 50p entry and treats for the children.

Christmas Fair donations

We need the following donations to help with the fair stalls this year...

Sweets, chocolate, crisps – for the TUCK SHOP TOMBOLA – please leave at the office

Teddys – for the PULL A TEDDY game – please leave under the shelter from **25 Nov**

Toys – for the TOY stall – please leave under the shelter from **25 Nov**

Cakes – for the CAKE stall – please bring to school from **9am Sat 30 Nov**

There is **NO** book stall this year so please don't bring in books – thank you!



Christmas Jumpers & Nativity costumes

We are building a good collection of Christmas jumpers and Nativity costumes, so we will be having a costume hire day ahead of the FS2/KS1 nativity plays and a jumper sale ahead of the Christmas jumper day.

The KS1 hire day will be Tuesday 19th November 3.30pm in the playground. FS2 TBC.

If you have any jumpers or costumes you'd like to donate to the collection, please drop them at the office labelled for the attention of the PTFA – thank you!

Christmas Hamper Raffle



Every year, the PTFA sell raffle tickets for some fantastic luxury Hampers created with donations from you. Each class is assigned a colour and we ask for donations of items in this colour for the hampers. In the past, hampers have contained non-perishable items such as chocolates, biscuits, toiletries, candles and alcoholic drinks etc. Donations can be taken directly to your child's classroom where there is a collection box to drop off your items. Last date for donations is **Friday 22nd November**.

The raffle tickets are £1 per ticket. A book containing 5 tickets has been sent out in bags; sold tickets can be returned to the office or to the PTFA stand in the playground, near the bike shelter. Extra

tickets can also be purchased here. This is a great way to raise funds for your school, so please sell as many tickets as you can to family, friends and neighbours. The draw for the hampers will happen on the **Saturday 30th November**.

Here are the class colours:

Miss Gaskin	Purple/pink
Miss Sidebottom	Black
Mrs Balfour / Mrs Beddington	White
Mrs C. Smith/ Mrs Holland/Mrs Taylor	Green
Mrs T. Smith/ Mrs Holland	Red
Miss Gamble	Blue
Miss Clark	Yellow/Gold
Miss Hawley	Blue
Mrs Clayton	Yellow/Gold
Miss Hughes	White
Miss Waller	Green
Mr Holmes / Mrs Donnelly	Red
Miss Herriman	Black
Mrs Edge / Mrs Donnelly	Purple/pink

Shopping evening Jam stall

If you are kindly making homemade preserves for the PTFA Jam stall at the festive shopping evening on 29th November, please drop them either at the school office or 57 Belper Road before **Monday 25th November** – thank you!





Markeaton Primary School PTFA's Christmas Silent Auction

Amazing auction lots to bid on
either online or in person at
the shopping evening and Christmas Fair.

A selection of the lots available so far...

Portrait photography session with Just Jenna

Weaving workshop with Thread of Life

Bear cafe voucher

Breathing Space yoga voucher

One session with Pathways Reflexology

Fiona loves colour voucher

Champagne Breakfast for 2 at Kedleston Country house

With more being added every week!

For a full list of lots please view the pinned post
on the Markeaton PTFA page on Facebook
and the school website.

If you would like to bid online, please email
markeatonptfa@gmail.com by 4pm 29/11/19

The highest bid received
will be the opening bid
at the shopping evening.

Bidding will finish 4.30pm on 30/11/19

MARKEATON PTFA SILENT AUCTION 2019

LOT 1 BREATHING SPACE YOGA STUDIO- £50



Class pass bundle of 6. Here at The Breathing Space, we offer a full range of classes to suit everyone, from the absolute beginner to the improver or advanced practitioner

LOT 2 THE KEDELSTON COUNTRY HOUSE - £49.90



Champagne breakfast for two people, includes a three-course breakfast, a glass of fizz each, and unlimited tea and coffee. The voucher is valid until 31st January 2020.

LOT 3 CLAY CREATORS - £22.50



A voucher for one child on one of the 2020 holiday camps, running from 8.30am - 4.30pm. Clay Creators run after-school classes, holiday clubs, birthday parties and more.

LOT 4 BEAR CAFE - £10



A voucher to be used at the wonderful Bear Café in Derby City Centre. We offer all-day dining from a locally-sourced menu.

LOT 5 BISTROT PIERRE - £40



Two course Prix fixe lunch and a 175ml glass of wine for 2 people. The voucher is valid until 31st March 2020, doesn't include additional drinks and isn't valid on special event or Christmas menus.

LOT 6 ABIGAIL WASTIE - £60



One beginner's tapestry weave workshop ticket. Learn the skills to make your own beautiful tapestry. Enjoy the pleasures of this ancient meditative craft in a small relaxed group environment.

LOT 7 TESCO - £25



Oral B Toothbrush Pro 670, 3D with 2 brush heads

LOT 8 JUST JENNA PHOTOGRAPHY - £110



A portrait session with the talented Just Jenna photography, all images are copyright free and delivered on a USB.

LOT 9 SOMETIMES SARAH PAINTS - £25



Framed 'Pigs in Blankets' picture is an art print of an original watercolour, 11x14x1 inches

LOT 10 MARVEL CLEAN - £50



A whole house clean (up to 3 hours). This includes windows, skirting boards, doors, surfaces and floors plus full cleaning of bathrooms and kitchen.

LOT 11 FIONA STEVENS - £80



A colour consultation with Fiona to help you find the colours that work best with your own unique skin tone will have the most positive results, and save you endless amounts of time and money when shopping for clothes and make up

LOT 12 COLLABORATIONS COACHING - £60



2 x 1hr coaching sessions giving you the opportunity to work out what you want to change and how to achieve it. These sessions would suit anyone at a career crossroads or returning to work. Small business owners or people simply wanting to make changes in their lives.

LOT 13 BUSY THINGS - £34.99



Busy Things for Families is a multi-award-winning collection of educational games and activities to help kids learn between the ages of 3 and 11 — and to make it fun! Our activities are directly linked to the curriculum and subjects that your children will be learning in nursery and primary school,

LOT 14 SCARSDALE VETS - £65



An amazing package for a dog owner of a fun swim session in a hydrotherapy pool along with a grooming session. To take place at Pride Veterinary Centre

LOT 15 TODDLER SENSE - £65



A terms worth of classes at a Toddler Sense group in DerbyWelcome to Toddler Sense - a whole new world of sensory stimulation, play, fun adventures and learning for your toddler or child.

LOT 16 WILDPARK DERBYSHIRE



A fabulous day paintballing (9-4pm) for 8 players (aged 12+). All equipment is included, 100 paintballs for each player for the last two games and a large hot dog for each player at lunch.



Festive Shopping Evening

Friday 29th November

Markeaton Primary School

7-9.30pm

£2 adult entry



Confetti print Breathing space yoga Emma's Bath Bomb Delights
Usborne Books Abigail Wastie (Thread of Life) Arbonne PTFA preserves
Shropshire cheese Vandean gifts Anna & Linz's Rocks & Sparkles
Ell Boutique Neal's Yard Relaxation Station Temple Spa
Dancing Duck Brewery Dandelion Stationery NuBeauty Nails



Discounted entry - attend the shopping evening and get half price entry to the Christmas Fair

Children's Christmas Fair

Saturday 30th November

Markeaton Primary School

2-5pm

£1 Adult entry, children free



Hamper Raffle Mulled Wine and Mince Pies
Glitter Station Festive lucky dip
Pull a teddy Hot chocolate bar
A selfie with Santa
YMCA Burger van Shropshire Town Brass Band
Local Vocals Christmas Crafts and biscuits
Silent Auction Golden cracker game
Lucky shop Tombola

In conjunction with the shopping evening...

Pyjamas and Popcorn

For the children

29th Nov 2019
7-9.30pm



On sale from w/c 18th November in the playground

£1



Markeaton School PTFA

*Christmas
Wreath Making
Workshop
with Abigail Wastie*

Markeaton Primary School
Thursday 05 December
7-9pm

Tickets £20 which includes a glass of prosecco* and mince pie

Limited availability – **only 20 places**

Tickets on sale at the school office from 18 November

Please bring own scissors or secateurs

*non-alcoholic drinks available

**Your child's artwork is
now ready to view at**



www.art-bank.co.uk

Your child's Christmas card is now ready to view and order on the Art Bank Portal. Please see the below flyer for log-in details.

Cards are searched for by entering the child's name. There were 5 artworks that had no name added so if you cannot locate your child please search for 'No Name'



Working with **Markeaton Primary School**

**Your child
has uploaded a
Christmas Drawing
to our website!**

To view, log into our website
www.art-bank.co.uk/order
using your unique codes below:

Username **Markeaton**

Password **2N02On28**

NB: Username & password are case sensitive - so please be careful when entering the details into the portal.

VIEW NOW - This drawing will
expire in December 2019.

Should you have any queries, please contact the customer service team on [01174 058106](tel:01174 058106) or email customerservice@art-bank.co.uk.

Upcoming PTFA Events 2019/2020

Friday 29 th November 2019	Shopping evening 7-9.30pm
Saturday 30 th November 2019	Children's Christmas Fair 2-5pm
Thursday 5 th December 2019	Christmas Wreath making workshop – Tickets on sale 18 Nov
Friday 13 th December 2019	Children's Christmas Disco – tickets on sale soon
Friday 6 th March 2020	Quiz night
Friday 27 th March 2020	Children's Easter Event
Saturday 20 th June 2020	Summer Fair
Friday 17 th July 2020	Children's Summer disco

Find us on Facebook or Twitter - *Markeaton PTFA*

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COMPETITION!

As there is so much information to cover in this newsletter for all the Christmas activities and events, we are running a competition this week to encourage as many people as possible to read it!

Did you spot the elf?!

If you did send us an email at markeatonptfa@gmail.com and tell us where he's hiding. All correct answers received by midnight 21 Nov will be entered into a draw to win a bottle of prosecco!