



NEWS FROM THE FEM

Dear Parents/Carers/Grandparents and all the Friends of English Martyrs' school,

WELCOME BACK!

The summer is over, and we are back at the school gates! A very warm welcome to all of you, especially to all the new parents and teachers who have just joined English Martyrs. The aim of this newsletter is to give you a quick update on what the FEM is planning to do this year.

This year, we will continue to support the school during open mornings, sharing our own experiences with prospective parents and spreading the word about our school in our local community.

There will be social events for parents and children throughout the year and the best way to get involved is by lending a hand whenever you can - helping at an event, baking a cake or attending meetings to share your ideas. It doesn't matter if you have a lot of time or hardly any - there is always something you can do.

FILM NIGHT 19th of September @ 15.10-17.15 @English Martyrs' (£5.00 per child)

THE INCREDIBLES

Nothing better than a nice afternoon watching a film with your friends to start the new academic year. In the last film night we raised £526.00, let's see if we can beat that!

We will serve Ham, Cheese or Chocolate Spread Roll, Crisps, Chocolate bar, piece of fruit and a drink included in the ticket price. Please make preferences on the slip.

Please return the below slip by **Friday the 14th** if your child/ren would like to come.

Don't hesitate to contact us if you can help at this event (contact details below). Thank you.

LOTTERY

The FEM still is running the weekly lottery. Tickets cost £1 a week and 40% of ticket sales go to our school. There is a guaranteed cash prize to one of our supporters every week and if you match all 6 numbers you win £25,000!

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Joining is easy, just visit the webpage to support the school at www.yourschoollottery.co.uk and search for English Martyrs.

EASYFUNDRAISING

Easyfundraising is the UK's biggest charity fundraising site. It turns your online shopping, with over 3,000 retailers, into FREE funds for our school.

How? Simply start your online shopping from easyfundraising, then shop as normal. The retailers then make a small donation to say "thank you". In fact, from Sept 24-30th they are offering triple donations!

There's real strength in numbers - so please sign up using our unique link below, spread the word, and start raising now.

Thank you and happy shopping!

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/friendsenglishmartyrsnott>

UNIFORM SALE

We will hold our 2nd hand uniform sale the 25th of October (Thursday)

Prices are:

- Items with logo £3.00
- PE shirts £2.00
- Items without logo £1.00

Please don't forget that you can bring your unwanted pieces of uniforms by the 19th of October to the school office.

FEM Meeting

Our first FEM meeting of the academic year will be the 26th of September at 7.30 pm until 9.00 pm at Eaton Farm (Wilsthorpe Road, Long Eaton, NG10 4AW). EVERYBODY WELCOME.

We will be going through finances, current fundraising activities and any other business that you, the parents put forward. Please don't hesitate to send us an email, a facebook message or post in the FEM post-box in school anything that you would like to discuss in the meeting (especially if you cannot attend).

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COMING UP....

<p>OCTOBER</p> <p>19th, "Day of the Dead" disco</p> <p>25th, Uniform sale</p>	<p>NOVEMBER</p> <p>9th, Family Quiz night</p> <p>26th, Non-uniform day</p>	<p>DECEMBER</p> <p>8th Christmas Fair</p> <p>20th, Uniform sale</p>	<p>FEBRUARY</p> <p>13th Film night</p> <p>15th Uniform sale</p>
<p>MARCH</p> <p>29th, Mother's Day afternoon tea</p> <p>APRIL</p> <p>11th, Uniform sale</p>	<p>MAY</p> <p>3th, Celebration day of the Feast of English Martyrs, Barbeque and traditional games.</p> <p>17th, Uniform sale</p> <p>24th, Cake sale after school</p>	<p>JUNE</p> <p>14th, Summer disco</p>	<p>JULY</p> <p>1st, Non uniform day</p> <p>5th, Summer Fair</p> <p>19th, Uniform sale</p>

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FEM Film night, The Incredibles, Wednesday 19.09.18 @ English Martyrs.

Children will come out at 17.15 from their classrooms to the playground.

Ticket price £5.00 per child¹

Child's Name:

Class:

Dietary requirements:

Choice of roll:

Child's Name (sibling):

Class:

Dietary requirements:

Choice of roll:

Child's Name (sibling):

Class:

Dietary requirements:

Choice of roll:

Amount enclosed:

Parent/guardian name and email for confirmation:

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Please return this slip and payment to the class teacher or to an FEM member by **Friday 14th September.**

¹ your place will only be confirmed once payment is received.

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