



Back to school!

We hope that everyone has settled into their new year groups and I also would like to welcome ALL new parents to the school.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank Nicola who is staying on as our Treasurer and Natalie who will help me work out how to do this social side as the Vice Chair. Emma agreed to again be secretary keeping notes of all my ideas so we can continue to raise funds for our school.

We have a few fun things planned so keep an eye out in the news letters.

Regular ways to help

Thank you to everyone who has made a donation or committed to a regular amount on our fundraising page at [Donate My School](#).

This campaign is a great way To help us fund big and small projects in the year.



Amazon Smile

Sign up to Smile – this is easier than ever as you can also do it **via the app**. You can search and select Dunmow St Mary's Primary School (Foundation) Parent Teacher Association and we will receive a **% of your qualifying spend**.



With all the kids parties being back on and Christmas also just around the corner it is a great way to contribute to your school with very little effort.

Dates for your diary

- **11 October** - PTA meeting at The Fritch house @7:30
- **Friday 11th November** – QUIZ NIGHT
- **Wednesday 30th November** – Wreath making evening with some prosecco
- **Friday 9th December** – Christmas Bazaar

Bouncy Fun Day – Success

We had a fantastic Bouncy Fun Day and I would like to thank **ALL** the volunteers that turned up for the day. Nothing is possible unless we get people to help us run events. We did have to use our backup date but we were lucky the weather was kind to us, and it all came together to make the day a success. We made **£902.73** that will go into projects for our school!