

A big **HELLO AND WELCOME** from the newly elected committee of FOMW (Friends of Malvern Way).

In case you don't know, FOMW is a charity dedicated to raising funds for Malvern Way School. It is run and operated by MW parents just like you – and our aim is to **raise as much money as possible for our school** through a variety of events. These range from adult only socials, to fun activities for the children, as well as family friendly events such as our famous Spooky Disco and the Christmas fair. Every penny raised is ploughed into the School to help make our children's learning engaging and exciting.

We **NEED PEOPLE** to help us run FOMW. Maybe you:

- Run or work in a business which could support by donating raffle prizes?
- Want to hold a stall at our Christmas fair?
- Have a talent or skill you could offer?
- Have some ideas about events which you would love to run with?

We want to explore new events and get as many people on board - ALL ideas are welcome. You may have the gift of the gab and are able to source freebies for the school or are happy to run a stall at an event for half an hour- **ANY AND ALL TYPES OF HELP ARE ALWAYS WELCOME.**

We appreciate that not everyone has capacity to help with events but **YOU CAN STILL SHOW YOUR SUPPORT** by bringing you friends and family to enjoy the range of events we already have planned. ****See below for important diary dates****

Whatever your capacity to support, we would LOVE to hear from you. If you see us in the playground do say 'hi' - we may be on the mad school run but we are very keen to meet you.

Or you can always email us at friendsofmalvernway@gmail.com to introduce yourself.

Here is a picture of the new Committee (left to right): Sarah Wells - Co-Chair, Cat Hutchinson - Secretary, Zoe Harley - Treasurer, Tina Fehler-Said Co-Chair (**disclaimer: this was taken at the end of a very long day!!!)



New Shed needed! A plea for help!

Is there a parent, auntie, uncle, grandad or friend who has a shed business or could get a good deal on a shed for the school?

We need a new FOMW shed to replace the existing one. The shed is used to store prizes and stock so we really need to ensure it is secure and keeping everything dry .

If you think you can help us with this please email us on friendsofmalvernway@gmail.com

Come and join us at the next FOMW meeting in The Red House at 8pm on Wednesday 4th October.

Dates for your diary:

23rd September : Reception/Nursery Welcome event 3-4pm (if you have a child in Nursery or Reception and you haven't let us know you are attending please email us ASAP)

29th September : Oktoberfest 8-11pm. Tickets can still be purchased for £5 (including a bratwurst) Forms can be collected from the office foyer but tickets are selling fast so get in quick!

4th November : Spooky Discos 1-3pm and 4-6pm

Friday 1st December : Non School Uniform Day

Sunday 10th December : Christmas Fair 12-3pm

Second Hand Uniform Sales

We regularly offer high quality second hand uniform for sale with no item more than £1. Uniform will be available to purchase at the **Nursery/Reception welcome meeting** and another sale is being held on **Wednesday 27th September at 2.30-3pm.**