

Inigo Update

September 2010



Inigo's Blooming Tea Parties

Between June and July 2010, Inigo hosted Blooming Tea Parties throughout their centres, in order to raise money for Marie Curie Cancer Care.

Each centre had ingenious ideas to entertain their crowd: Banbury and Edinburgh had a Mad Hatter's theme; Basingstoke organised a village fete; Bath's clients took it upon themselves to sell cakes to passers-by; Leeds was turned into a Caribbean island; London had a raffle with luxurious prizes, donated by local businesses; Newbury's party included a tea tasting session and Windsor's, a cake made in the shape of a tea cup, sponsored by their clients.

The parties were a huge success and our clients were extremely generous, allowing us to raise a staggering total of £4,058.22. This is the equivalent of, amongst other invaluable resources, four portable oxygen systems or thirty-two shifts in a patient's home.



From left to right:

*Giles Curtis, Inigo's Managing Director,
Jane Shufflebotham, Marie Curie Area Fundraiser Manager,
Annabelle King and Deborah Espect, Assistant Manager
and Manager of Inigo's London Branch*

Jane Shufflebotham, Marie Curie's Area Fundraiser Manager in London, received our cheque on 25th August and was suitably impressed. She told us that the money raised would "make a real difference to the lives of terminally ill cancer patients and their families."