

## **Market Day News**

*Updated!!*

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PORTA participates in a fundraising food program called Market Day. The school earns **10% profit** from each purchase. The funds are provided to the teachers to use towards equipment or supplies for their classrooms.

### **There are 2 ways you can order.**

- 1) Market day order forms are sent home with every Elementary and Central School student. Fill the form out and return to the school before the date printed on the back. You will pay for your order when you pick it up.
- 2) Go online to: <http://www.marketday.com/> . Create your own log in Username and password. Search for our school by zip code and select P.O.R.T.A. Schools P.T.A. 5796. Online you will be able to see Clearance Items and recipes that are not printed on the forms sent home from school. You will be able to place your order and edit it up until the Friday before pick up. Once you have placed your order, you can choose to pay online by credit card or pay by cash/check when you pick up your order. It will also send you a reminder email closer to the day of delivery.

**Market Day orders are delivered to PORTA Central  
Pick up time is from 6:45pm to 7:45pm  
Wednesdays: Jan. 27, Feb. 24, March 24, Apr. 28, and May 26.**

Please make sure to mark your calender with the Market Day pick up dates. It is very important that you are able to pick up your order or have someone else pick it up for you.

Unfortunately, we do not have the freezer space needed to keep orders overnight. **Also, orders that are not picked up on the night of delivery are deducted from our total profit for the month!** If you have a family emergency and are unable to pick up your order, please contact me.

We currently need parents that can volunteer time to help with the monthly delivery/pick ups or with other "behind the scenes" activities. You do not have to order to help. If you can donate some of your time, please give me a call.

Thanks!

*Susan Stier*

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PS: If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call!