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Local company East Midlands Demolition have pledged to help bring some sunshine into our young patients' lives by raising the £25,000 needed to transform the outdoor play area on Puffin Ward at the Children's Hospital. The project was officially launched in April with the main fundraising event - a summer ball - held on Saturday 17th September 2011 in the marquee at the Derbyshire County Cricket Ground.

The current play area is in desperate need of a "makeover". Money raised will be used to purchase new play equipment and soft play flooring and we also plan to install a specially designed sun canopy and seating so that children can have lots of fun in the "Sunshine Deck", while their parents can keep an eye on them in comfort.

Mr Peter Siddall, Managing Director of East Midlands Demolition said: "We know that this fundraising project will make such a difference to the children and their parents and we are really excited to be involved and to be able to give something back".

Fran Watson, play team leader at the Children's Hospital is thrilled that East Midlands Demolition have offered their help. Fran says: "Improving the outside play area will make such a difference to all of our young patients and their families and even the children who are unable to walk will be able to come outside and sit under the canopy to make the most of the fresh air".

If you would like to help by making a donation or organising a fundraising event specifically for the Sunshine Deck, please contact Kerry Brady on 01332 786445 or by email kerry.brady@derbyhospitals.nhs.uk



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