

THE FOUNDATION



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Created on the 13th of February 2008, the Rafa Nadal Foundation is an international non-profit-making organisation which aims to support various projects. The Foundation promotes sport as an integration tool for those who need it most, such as the handicapped or those who find themselves in a situation of social exclusion, aiming particularly to help children and young people. The Foundation has signed an agreement with the Iberostar Foundation in order to promote integration and tolerance through sport. Iberostar and the Rafa Nadal Foundation plan to work together in order to support initiatives for children and young people; in December 2008 they sponsored the « Apprenem Junta » project (Learning Together Project). The Rafa Nadal Foundation is also a family affair; the chair of the association is Rafa's mother, Ana Maria Parera and the vice-chairman is his father, Sebastian. They are helped in their task by two other committee members: Rafa's agent and former tennis player, Carlos Costa and his uncle Toni Nadal.

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RAFAEL NADAL ON HIS FOUNDATION

I'm happy to have created my foundation and to be able to raise funds which will contribute towards helping people in need. I consider myself lucky to be able to work in something I love. I'm going to put 100% into this project, as with everything I do. When I'm playing, or even taking part in other activities, I always give the best of myself. The foundation will be no exception. Many people have asked me about the future, what I will do after my career. This foundation goes some way to answering their questions.

