



# NJS PTA



## Transition Week 2019

### Dear parents, carers and families

A big welcome to the new Year 2 children and their parents from NJS PTA.  
We look forward to seeing you in September.

A big thank you to the Year 6 children and their parents.  
We thank you for all of your support over the past four years and wish you well at your new schools.

So far this academic year we have raised:

**£4,453**

This is the total from the Christmas Fayre, the sale of Christmas cards, three discos, various cake stalls, Easter Bingo, Book Quiz, second-hand uniform sales, Bags 2 School collections and Summer Fayre refreshments.

We have had a fantastic year and there is still the joint summer raffle and the Party in the Park to go.

Thank you to everyone who has helped us to raise money this year!

### Where does the money go?

After contributing **£5,500** to the new adventure playground last academic year, PTA funds were wiped out! We are now saving up to help fund the redesign of the quiet area and anything that might be needed as part of the new build, which is happening shortly.

This academic year we have funded bottles of water and snack for every child to take on the panto trip, £500 towards new accessories for the refurbished swimming pool, school sports tops for the various school sports teams to wear when attending events and leavers hoodies for all the Year 6 children.

### Junior and Infant Joint PTA Raffle

The PTAs from both schools are organising a summer raffle.

The raffle will be drawn at the:

### **Grand Day Out**

**Tuesday 16 July**

Cheques should be made payable to NJS PTA or NIS PTA.

1st prize is **Amazon Fire HD 10 tablet**

2nd prize is **£100 cash**

Plus many other prizes!

You need to be in it to win it!



### Party in the Park

**Thursday 11 July**

**Newport Infants School**

**5.30pm**

The PTAs from both schools are running the refreshments stall.



There will be a licensed bar including the sale of Pimms, soft drinks and strawberries and cream to supplement your picnic!



Find us on Facebook for regular updates of news and information:

[www.facebook.com/newportjuniorschoolpta/](http://www.facebook.com/newportjuniorschoolpta/)

## Second-Hand Uniform Sales

Regular second-hand uniform sales will resume in September. We have had a couple this year but currently do not have any logo school items with this being a transition year to the new uniform.

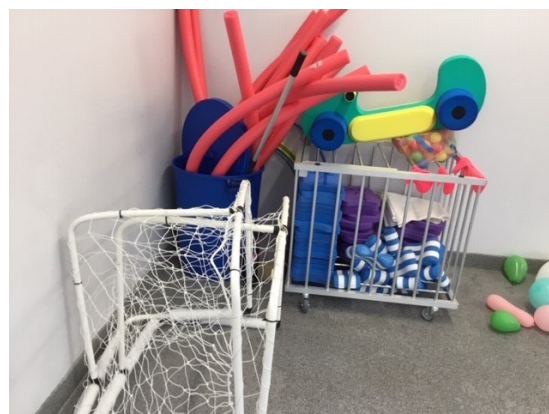
We have plenty of grey trousers, shorts, skirts and pinafores and girls' green/white summer dresses. We would be grateful for any donations of the new logo white polo shirts and the new logo green jumpers and cardigans please.

Donations of uniform can be dropped off at the office at any time or brought to any PTA event. Please note that we cannot accept any items without the school logo.

We will communicate sale dates as soon as we have them in September.

## Refurbished Swimming Pool

The PTA has been able to fund £500 towards new swimming pool equipment for the refurbished pool.



Please do say hello to us at an event or email us, or message us via our [Facebook](#) page (search Newport Junior School PTA or copy and paste this link):

[www.facebook.com/newportjuniorschoolpta/](http://www.facebook.com/newportjuniorschoolpta/)

(please also 'like' our page to see updates).

The email is: [njs.pta@taw.org.uk](mailto:njs.pta@taw.org.uk)

Please provide us with your name and email address to give the PTA consent to put you on our mailing list and to contact you by email.

We look forward to your support.

Our next PTA meeting / AGM will be in September. The date will be announced at the start of the new term.

Everyone welcome!

## Year 6 Leavers Hoodies

Every year the PTA funds leavers hoodies for all Year 6 children.

This year we fancied a change of colour and the response from the children has been very positive.



## **How can you help? You can help the PTA in many ways:**

- supporting events by attending
- making and/or plating up cakes
- helping to organise events (any time is greatly appreciated)
- helping out at events such as on the refreshments stall
- attending meetings—all welcome!
- fundraising ideas (please email us, speak to us or contact us on Facebook)
- running second-hand uniform sales



**At the end of each academic year we lose volunteers as children move on to high school. So we need new recruits each year. This year we are losing our Chair and two other key helpers. We would love to see some new faces. Even if you can only help out at one event we'd love to hear from you!**