

New Islington News

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PTA AGM: There is a legal requirement to hold an Annual General Meeting of the PTA every year. Ours is on **TUESDAY 13TH JULY AT 7PM.** We need as many parents logging on to this as possible. We will have a quick recap of the year and vote on the new committee. Details of the roles have been sent out previously – please check you emails and offer your services to the PTA – and therefore to the community as a whole.

A zoom code will be sent out nearer the time – but please put this date in your diary now.

PTA Lottery: We have had several winners already! Do sign up via the website for an easy way to raise funds for school, with a good possibility of taking some winning for yourself.

Registering and setting up a recurring Direct debit is so easy - £1:00 per week with recurring numbers means that you are in with a chance. **You've got to be in it to win it!**https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/new-islington-free-school

School Uniform: Please can all pupils have jumpers or cardigans with the new logo on from September. Please can all children have regulation PE kits too. All items of clothing can be bought with the new logo on from My Clothing.com or from Ziggy's.

Lost Property: Any unnamed items of clothing will be disposed of at the end of term. There are many unnamed black PE hoodies that will be put outside next week for parents to search through.

Summer holiday camps: We will be running our usual holiday camps here at school. Please refer to the letter sent out this week to book your place.

Photographs and Videos: We now have some amazing photos and videos of the New Islington pupils – many of which I would like to have on our new website and also to print for around school. Please email me directly if you do not want any photo or video of your child shared.

School dinners: Our school dinners are healthy and tasty! The free school dinner available for our younger children stops as they move into Year 3. Please look out for the letter as we need to know who will stay on school dinners (at a cost of £2:50 per day) as they move into Year 3.

Days and Dates:

| Week beginning | Activity (may be subject to change, and more will be added along the way) |
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| | New dates highlighted |
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| 5 th July | Friday 9 th – Sports Day – ALL CHILDREN TO COME TO SCHOOL IN THEIR PE KITS |
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| 12 th July | No clubs this week |
| | Tuesday 13 th – PTA AGM held at school at 7pm – PLEASE SEE DETAILS ABOVE |
| | Tuesday and Wednesday – optional parents evening VIA PHONE – PLEASE LOOK OUT FOR THE LETTER IN THE REPORTS |
| | Wednesday 14 th – Year 6 music workshop with Band on the Wall (no cost) |
| | Friday 16 th – Year 6 disco 6:30 TO 7:30 |
| 19 th July | Tuesday 20 th – Charlie and the Chocolate Factory Performance PLUS Leavers assembly for Year 6 parents starting at 9:30 |
| | Tuesday 20 th – last day of term – children can bring in a toy or game to play with. Nothing electronic, and nothing so precious that if it gets lost or broken will cause upset. |
| | Wednesday – INSET for all staff – no children in school |
| | New Term starts for all pupils on Wednesday 8 th September at 8:50 |

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