



PTA NEWSLETTER

Welcome to the Summer 2024 Newsletter

What a wonderful year we've all had! It's been our pleasure to put on lots of fun events for the children to enjoy - with some new ones in the mix including the Christmas Fair, surprise Panto and Easter Egg Hunt on the Green to name a few. We hope the children have enjoyed taking part and are benefitting from the extra resources that we've been able to provide to school.

WHAT WE'VE BEEN UP TO

Movie Night

This term we ran two separate movies for KS1 and KS2 which worked really well, and this is the format we'll follow going forwards.

If your child has any suggestions for movies they'd like to see, please drop us a message.

Bags2School

We ran our first Bags2School event which proved really popular! Thank you to all who donated unwanted textiles, not only helping the planet by reducing landfill, but also raising £120 for school.

We hope to run another event soon - watch this space!

Amport Fete



Wow! What an absolutely wonderful event! Despite typical British summer weather, it was a really brilliant afternoon (and evening) for all who attended.

There really was something for everyone - games, dancing, animals, amazing food and drinks, vintage cars - even the Disney princesses took time out of their busy schedules to delight the children!

A HUGE thank you to Tamsin Godfrey-Davies, and all the PTA and volunteers, for working so hard to make this event such a success, raising funds for the community, and bringing lots of joy to the children!

Year 6 Leavers

Your Primary School journey is ending and what a journey it's been. Full of laughter and learning, and even a few months of quarantine! Friends you'll remember for a lifetime, Teachers who taught you all you know. There is nothing quite like your Primary School days, and the school family that helped you to grow. As you say goodbye to Primary School, all the memories will stay in your heart. Although this part of your journey is ending, the next one is bursting to start.

We wish you lots of happiness for the future, may all your dreams come true.

Go enjoy your new adventure, stay safe, and always be you.



Mrs Mathias & Mrs Cartridge

We sadly say goodbye to Mrs Mathias and Mrs Cartridge at the end of this term. They have both been such an important part of the school for a (very) long time. We had a wonderful tea party on the Green to celebrate them both - it was lovely to see so many people there, and some faces from the past who also came along, to say their goodbyes. Your generosity with leaving gift donations is testament to the high regard in which they are held by everyone!

We wish all the very best to them in their retirement.



Family Cricket Event - 1st September



The annual Amport Cricket fundraiser is taking place on Sunday 1 September, and we would love more (adult) players to get involved.

Please get in contact with Dan Du-Heaume (07540 881754) if you'd like to take part.

There will be a BBQ and refreshments, and a bouncy castle for the children so plenty of fun to be had even if you don't fancy donning cricket whites!

Thrift Shop - Now ONLINE

Amport School Pre-Loved Uniform is now available to purchase on [Uniformerly](https://uniformerly.co.uk/) <https://uniformerly.co.uk/>

Get ready for the year ahead –and less clothes go to landfill! Go to “I am a Parent” - search for your school, select Amport from the dropdown and follow the instructions from there.

A big thank you to Sarah Wallace for managing the Thrift Shop.

What the PTA has RAISED this term...

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| • Movie night | £ | 73.99 |
| • Bags2School | £ | 124.00 |
| • Father's Day Crafts | £ | 23.98 |
| • Cake / Ice Cream Fridays | £ | 455.88 |
| • Thrift Shop | £ | 180.45 |
| • Fete* | £ | TBC |
| • Sports Day | £ | 98.39 |

TOTAL £956.69

*(Fete fundraising to follow)

What the PTA has PROVIDED this term...

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| • Sports Day Lollies | £ | 13.52 |
| • Year 6 Leavers Hoodies | £ | 220.04 |
| • Gazebos x 2 | £ | 145.98 |
| • Notice Boards x 2 | £ | 576.00 |
| • New School Website | £ | 1700.00 |
| • SLS Books | £ | 1540.00 |
| • Sound Bar (for movies) | £ | 59.49 |
| • Sum Up Machine | £ | 47.99 |
| • Framed Prints for Retiring Staff | £ | 465.50 |

TOTAL £4768.52

AUTUMN TERM EVENTS

01 Sep: Family Cricket Event

02 Sep: Inset Day

03 Sep: First Day Back to School

11 Sep: PTA Committee Meeting 7.30pm @The Hawk

27 Sep: Movie Night

24 Oct: Non-Uniform

25 Oct: Inset Day

w/c 28 Oct: Half Term

4 Nov: First Day Back & Pumpkin Competition

7 Nov: PTA AGM (Venue / Time TBC)

21 Nov: Christmas Fair (School Hall)

22 Nov: Inset Day

4 Dec: Wreath Making (evening event for adults)

13 Dec: Disco

20 Dec: Panto (in school) and LAST DAY OF TERM!

As always, huge thanks for your support throughout this term. Wishing everyone a fun and RESTFUL summer break.

See you in September! Nikki & Sam 

The next PTA committee meeting is **11/09/24** @ The Hawk Inn - we'd love to see you there.

Come along and see how the PTA works, and how you can get involved.

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