



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From **1st September 2023** To **31st August 2024**

Charity name: Friends Of Newnham Junior School Association

Charity registration number: 1014929

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	The objectives of the association are to advance the education of the pupils of the school by providing and assisting in the provision of facilities for the education at the school (not normally provided by the location Education Authority).
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	A full year of fundraising was enjoyed this year Our most significant events continue to be our June family fun night raising a profit of £5,068 and our three Disco events raising a total profit of £7,070. This year the students participated in the London Mini marathon obtaining £3,172 in sponsorship for our charity. New funds were raised in a variety of ways: Parents gave one off payments (voluntary contributions), some of which are eligible for gift aid. Local businesses supported us through monetary contribution and /or raffle prizes. Other events; Race night, Bingo night, kids quiz and lasertag (provided by an outside company for the school children), Christmas gift shop, non uniform day (Break the rules day), sports day and tuck shop refreshment sales and themed treat bags. These funds have been used for the refurbishment of the school toilets, equipment for the school (sports & ICT), educational and fun visits by external providers (Christmas Pantomime and

		Science workshop) and a year 6 leaver event.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	Trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit. To this end, the benefits funded by the charity have been to enhance the educational learning of the full range of pupils within Newnham Junior School.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	Grant requests and benefits are put to the committee for consideration and approval before being funded.
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	N/A
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	All parents or guardians of the children at the school and all the teachers are deemed to be voting members of the association. The contribution by each individual varies. A core group of approximately 8 parents contribute to the main planning of events, who are strongly supported by the teaching staff. Other parents also volunteer to run and assist with events.
Other		Newnham Junior School is a three form entry public school in the London Borough of Hillingdon. It has approximately 360 pupils and occupies a single site.

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	The additional educational provisions made by the charity have enhanced the learning, enjoyment and love of learning in its pupils. The fundraising events themselves have been dual purpose, allowing the children to enjoy their educational setting, building relationships and confidence, as well as raise funds to give them further opportunities to learn. It has built stronger bonds between parents and staff which strengthens the understanding and shared responsibility to nurture pupils and assist them in achieving their potential. More obvious achievements have been the funds raised and the supply of equipment and refurbishment of the school facilities enhancing the pupils' learning and the school environment. As well as enrichment for all students through the workshops and experiences at educational trips.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	
Other		

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	A strong year of fundraising with £43,464 raised, which includes £4,199 donated as voluntary contributions from parents. The charity started the year with £34,673 spent £27,082 on school benefits, £4,199 donated to the school and ended the year with £33,144.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	Currently we aim to retain funds to provide a year's operating cost.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£33,144
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	N/A
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	N/A
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	N/A

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	N/A
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	There is some risk to the ongoing running of this charity as it relies on volunteers from the parent/guardian community. Volunteer numbers remain stable allowing us to run events with a core group being relied upon for the leading and managing events.
Other		

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Constitution
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	Unincorporated association
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	Head Teacher is president and the following officers are elected annually at the Annual General Meeting: Chairman Treasurer Secretary Minute Secretary Publicity Officer Parent Representatives for each class Up to four members of the staff of the school (selected by staff among themselves)

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	Handover from previous trustee when available. Previous event notes are available on a shared drive for new trustees to access.
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	One level structure with Chair as lead coordinator and head teacher as president. No wider network of structure. Decisions are made by committee or by trustees when committee decision is not possible due to timescales. Committee can vote to pass responsibility down to a sub-committee created for particular purposes or events and co-opt members can be appointed as circumstances require (i.e. when specialist skills or knowledge required).
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	Committee made up of parents/guardians and teachers of school. The committee deals directly with the headteacher at meetings or through trustees for matters arising outside meeting windows. Meetings are at least termly.
Other		

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Friends Of Newnham Junior School Association
Other name the charity uses	FONJSA
Registered charity number	1014929
Charity's principal address	Newnham Junior School Newnham Avenue Eastcote Middlesex HA4 9RW

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity					
		Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
	1	Alison Curtin	Chair/Secretary	7/9 22 - to date	
	2	Anisha Ciba	Treasurer	14/9/23 - 19/9/24	
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Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		

Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

Trustee name	Dates acted if not for whole year	

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)			
	Type of adviser	Name	Address
	Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)		

Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details


Other optional information

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Declarations

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

		Signature(s)			
		Full name(s)	Alison Curtin		
		Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chair		
		Date	11/6/25		



Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period
from

1-Sep-23

To

31-Aug-24

Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES	43,464	-	-	43,464	35,226
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	43,464	-	-	43,464	35,226
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	43,464	-	-	43,464	35,226
A3 Payments					
FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES	13,712	-	-	13,712	13,355
PURCHASES FOR THE SCHOOL	27,082	-	-	27,082	21,803
DONATIONS TO THE SCHOOL	4,199	-	-	4,199	2,085
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	44,993	-	-	44,993	37,243
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	44,993	-	-	44,993	37,243
Net of receipts/(payments)	- 1,529	-	-	- 1,529	- 2,017
A5 Transfers between funds					
A6 Cash funds last year end	34,673	-	-	34,673	36,690
Cash funds this year end	33,144	-	-	33,144	34,673

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	CASH AT BANK	33,064	-	-
	CASH IN HAND	80	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	33,144	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK
		Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Endowment funds

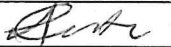
B2 Other monetary assets	Details	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

B3 Investment assets	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

B5 Liabilities	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	ALISON CURTIN	11.6.25
		



Section A Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/
members of

Charity Name
FRIENDS OF NEWNHAM JUNIOR SCHOOL

On accounts for the year
ended

31 August 2024	Charity no (if any)	1014929
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Set out on pages

1 and 2
(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31/08/2024.

Responsibilities and
basis of report

As the charity's trustees, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent
examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- the accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act; or
- the accounts did not accord with the accounting records; or
- the accounts did not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair' view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Signed: 

Date: 12/6/2025

Name: BARRY HOFFMAN

Relevant professional
qualification(s) or body
(if any):

INSTITUTE OF CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS IN ENGLAND AND WALES

Address:

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GREENFORD, UB6 0FX

Section B**Disclosure**

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.