



# PNE Women's Juniors FC

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## Christmas Newsletter

Hello and hope everyone's had a good season so far and are looking forward to Christmas! Here is a quick update on what's been happening since the start of the new season and some key dates for your diary over the next few months.

### Our U13's went International in October!

In October our U13's hosted Siilinjärven Palloseura, or SiPS, a football club from Siilinjärvi, Finland.



SiPs trained alongside our girls and then played a friendly against them at Uclan Arena. This was followed by a lunch at the Arena Café, which everyone enjoyed!

Pekka of SiPs has written to say "*many, many thanks for you to make a perfect trip for us in Preston. We had just perfect time, excellent training sessions, warm visit to Deepdale, very good friendly with PNE, good PNE 1st team and women's team matches – just perfect.*"

**This was a fantastic opportunity for our girls and something we hope to build upon in the future!**

Please continue to sign up to help us raise funds when you shop online....if you've not already registered then please give it a try at [www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/pnewjfc](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/pnewjfc)

### Representing their school and meeting England players!



Some of our Under 15's and Under 16 have represented their school recently by attending an event hosted by Sky Sports at Cowley International College in St Helens, and run by the Football League Trust. They participated in a training session and played some small sided fixtures.

The girls were a little star struck as England and Liverpool players Fara Williams and Natasha Dowie were there showing their support for the continuing rise in girls football, along with the Women's Super League Trophy!

Our new U9's Junior Development Team has been a resounding success with a good core of girls attending and, subject to ability, they will have direct progression to our U10's Team at the start of next season.

### Christmas Training Dates for your diary...

Last Training before Xmas - Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> Dec  
(Goalkeeper training - Mon 1<sup>st</sup> Dec)

First Training after New Year - Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> Jan  
(Goalkeeper Training - Mon 5<sup>th</sup> Jan)

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## Fundraising News!

We've had a number of fundraising activities since the start of the season... Big Cash Bingo Night at Deepdale Club, our Under 10's 12's and 13's did a sponsored walk from the Glitter Ball at the Pleasure Beach all the way to the Comedy Carpet in front of Blackpool Tower and our U15's held a Fashion Show! Our U14's are also running a 'predictor' competition!

Pictures (and video!) of these can be found on our website [www.pnewjfc.com](http://www.pnewjfc.com) but here's a taster....



**Thank you...** please keep your match reports and photos coming. We are one of the best Junior Girls Football Clubs in Lancashire and all this helps to promote the Club and attract the best players and coaches! Please email to – [info@pnewjfc.com](mailto:info@pnewjfc.com).

**We're still looking for Goalkeepers for our U11's & U12's!** Do you know anyone in school year 6 or 7 who would like to try out? Details on the website,



Our U16's and U14's go marching on into the quarter finals of the respective Lancs FA Girls Youth Cups, having beaten their opponents Cadley Girls 11-0 (U16's) and Blackburn CSC 10-1 (U14's). Our U15's are also competing in the Cup with a Bye in the first round.

## Club News

Please don't forget to get the other teams permission before taking photos at matches as per FA Respect guidelines.

If you purchase/wear under warmers **FA Rules** state that they **MUST** be the same colour as the kit i.e. white for tops and navy for shorts. Thank you for your co-operation.

**U16's Dallas.....**fundraising is definitely underway with parents being spotted in Preston in fancy dress with collection buckets and players doing Xmas bag packing at local supermarkets!



## Mascots!

Our U11's will be mascots for PNEWFC at their home game V Notts Forest on Sun 7<sup>th</sup> Dec at Bamber Bridge Stadium . KO 2pm. Please come and show your support!

**And Finally.....The Committee would like to wish all our Players, Parents, Coaches and Managers a very Happy Christmas and a Successful New Year!**

