



Dorin Park PTA AGM Meeting

Wednesday 5 October 2023

Minutes

Time and Location

7.30pm – Home via Microsoft Teams

Present

Lesley Body, Nicole Luijnenburg, Karen Nash, Becky Hanna, Yvonne Winstanley, Lucy Lee, Sarah Adam, Helen Muggleton.

Apologies

Lisa Robertshaw, Graham Davies, Vicki Roberts, Gillian Driscoll, Amanda East, Bridget Aldridge, Sharon Marsh, Maxine Nevitt, Naomi Cowley, Claire McKelvey, Amanda Hartley, Jay Hartley.

Items to be minuted

The following wishlists have been requested and approved by the PTA in the meantime:

- Cedar Class: jigsaws, set of headphones, gardening spades and cans, velcro ball set, play equipment set, quoits set (total cost depends on how many items and which ones will be ordered and the PTA has agreed on the prices).
- Jane Rowlinson: Open Orchestra equipment and access, full cost £1184.
- Michelle Milligan: items to create a new 'home corner' and 'swap shop' in the CRC, total cost £122.52.
- Maxine: inflatable Halloween photo frame.

Actions from previous meeting

- Karen – Karen has had feedback from the CO-OP saying it's got to fund/help the local community. She's trying again – ongoing.
- Lesley – B&Q 'community reuse' scheme: Lesley has been on the website and will look into creating a page on their website to be able to apply – ongoing.

- Everyone – to keep using Easy Fundraising while shopping online – ongoing.
- Lesley – will try to complete in the summer a little booklet about Easy Fundraising, the school lottery, the Amazon Smile and the Just Giving page, so that new parents will be aware of those too – ongoing.

Treasurer Report

See attachment.

Roberts Recycling

Lesley is waiting for a reply from Roberts Recycling about using their bags. A letter has been sent out by Maxine re the next collection. New date 15th November.

Fundraising Ideas

Our regular fundraisers that keep us ticking over are:

- School lottery
- Easy fundraising
- Roberts recycling
- Our quarterly raffles

AOB

Karen suggested to let the staff know how much we have in our account so that they can send more wishlists in. **Action – Lucy and Sarah.**

Nicole has picked up our collection box from the Coop in Hoole and has left the money in school's reception for Karen / Lesley to pick up.

Halloween

2 November 2023 at 4pm. The raffle has been sorted in the meantime and letters have been sent out. We're also doing an 'own clothes day' on the 19th of October for a bottle donation, letters have been sent out in the meantime.

Action – Lesley will check if we still have Willy Wonka bars.

Action – Becky will check with her partner if he can get food times.

Action – Lesley will check Amanda re a Pumpkin Competition.

Next PTA Meeting

Our next meeting will be face-to-face on the 8th of November, suggested was 7.30pm in The Oak Tree in Chester.

Nicole Luijnenburg

Attached: Finance Report 05.10.23