

Dorin Park PTA

Registered Charity No. 507666

Welcome to Dorin Park PTA

The PTA was formed in 2019, by two parents whose aim was to enhance the personal, social, and academic development of the children of Dorin Park.

As a PTA, we provide a platform and welcome the support and involvement of parents, carers and members of staff from school to ensure the PTA and school life is as rich and successful as possible.

The PTA organizes events throughout the year which support the funding targets. Past events include the summer and Christmas fair, Halloween party. We also hold raffles, competitions & tombola's. All events organized raise considerable funds for the school as well as bringing the school, families, and the local community together.

We are therefore delighted to have parents etc. to support us in whichever way they are able. This may be helping at an event or suggesting ideas for events, donating any unwanted gifts for our raffles/tombola's.

Headteacher's Welcome

We are very fortunate to have such a dedicated and hard-working PTA here at Dorin Park. Our PTA members are very proactive and come up with wonderful fundraising ideas to support our children and young people. The support we receive from them is vital in allowing us to buy additional resources and fund a range of educational experiences that would not be always be possible within the constraints of a school budget

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Facebook public page: a page to include the community in the PTA fundraising

Facebook closed group: A page updating parents and carers with PTA and school events



Twitter: @DorinPta

Dorin Park PTA

Dorin Park School, Wealstone Lane, Upton, Chester, CH2 1HD

Meet the Team



Lesley Body
Chairperson



Amanda Hartley
Vice-chair



Karen Nash
Treasurer



Nicole Luijnenburg
Secretary



Rebecca Hanna
Publicity Officer



Helen Muggleton
Committee



Jay Hartley
Committee



Gillian Driscoll
Committee



Sharon Marsh
Committee



Claire McKelvey
Committee



Naomi Cowley
Committee



Sarah Adam
Acting Headteacher



Maxine Nevitt
Family Liaison



Bridget Aldridge
Teacher



Amanda East
Teaching Assistant

Other members of the committee: **Lisa Robertshaw, Yvonne Winstanley & Rebecca Mylchreest**

How Can You Help?

The PTA organizes events throughout the year. All events organized raise considerable funds as well as bringing the school, families and the local community together.

Help in whatever capacity is always gratefully received, as are new fundraising ideas and suggestions. We are a committed group of parents, carers and school staff and are always delighted to have support in whatever way you can give. This may be helping at an event or suggesting ideas for events, donating any unwanted gifts for our raffles/tombolas etc.

Below are just a few of the items that have been kindly donated to us and used for raffle prizes.



Wish Lists

All funds raised by the PTA goes to Dorin Park School to help enrich the educational needs of our children by providing resources.

Staff can submit a wish list to the PTA to make a request for equipment or resources. Items that have been requested & purchased have been for games, jigsaws, construction, role play, sensory items, outdoor games, a bench for the outdoor learning area and a sensory corner, plus more.

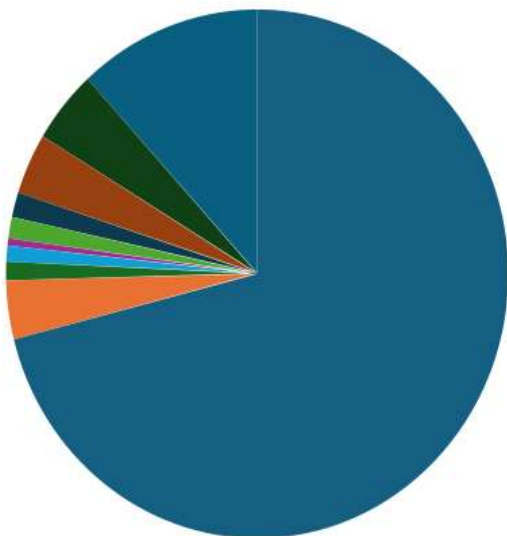


Wish List Requests



Thank You cards for the PTA

Income and Expenditure for 2023



- Raised at events
- Raised on Raffles
- School Lottery income
- donations
- Roberts Recycling
- Easy Fundraising
- Just Giving
- Big Yellow
- event expenses
- spent on wish lists in the school

spent on wish lists in the school	-13053.24
event expenses	-661.95
Big Yellow	-208.91
Just Giving	-178.28
Easy Fundraising	81.68
Roberts Recycling	239.68
donations	279.58
School Lottery income	686.3
Raised on Raffles	824.81
Raised at events	2169.29

Fundraising



Your School Lottery



Dorin Park PTA Lottery has been set up to raise money and support for the pupils.

How to play

Tickets for the lottery cost a £1 per week with a top prize of £25,000. Each ticket consists of 6 numbers with each number being between 0 and 9. There will be a draw every Saturday night when a 6-digit winning combination will be picked.

There is also a guaranteed winner for each school every Saturday which is drawn on a raffle basis, so there are two chances of winning. For every £1 ticket sold 40p will go to schools in the UK.

If you haven't yet signed up yet, visit our lottery here:

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/dorin-park-school>



Easyfundraising



It is simple & free!!!

To support Dorin Park PTA, sign up and raise free donations for us every time you shop online without it costing you anything! Over 8,000 brands like eBay, Tesco, Marks & Spencer, John Lewis, Argos, Asda and many more. Plus, once you have raised your first £5, Easyfundraising will double it.

Sign up here:

<https://join.easyfundraising.org.uk/dorinpark/>



Roberts Recycling



Roberts Recycling is a family-run business dedicated to recycling your unwanted clothing.

They collect used clothing from Dorin Park School and turn unwanted clothes, shoes, handbags, and belts into money.

Roberts Recycling arrange collections from Dorin Park School in March, May, July and November.

Letters are sent home nearer the times.

JustGiving

Our JustGiving page is another way that allows parents, carers, families & friends along with the community to be able to donate online towards any of our fundraising events. Donations can be made by visiting this link:

<https://www.justgiving.com/dorinparkpta>

Community Support



The Big Yellow Storage Company



The Big Yellow Storage Company kindly provide the PTA with storage space, allowing us to keep all stock safe and secure.

The Big Yellow Storage Company kindly donate toys to school from their Annual Toy Appeal.



Starbucks at the Greyhound Retail Park



Starbucks fundraise for the PTA by holding raffles, donating prizes, and providing drinks at the summer fair.

Starbucks hosts the Dorin Park School choir at Christmas, which sings Christmas songs for the customers.

Moston Garage, Liverpool Road

Moston Garage kindly donate chocolates and gifts towards the PTA raffle, Christmas, summer & Halloween Fairs.

Other companies who have kindly donated to the PTA:

Asda, Greyhound Retail Park, Chester

Morrisons, Bache, Chester

Climbing Hut, Ellesmere Port

The Mill House Pub, Broughton

Flip Out, Chester

SPACE, Chester

The Suburbs, Hoole, Chester

