

Dickens Heath CPS Parent Teacher and Friends' Association

Annual Review 2020 - 2021

The committee of Dickens Heath Parent Teacher and Friends Association (PTFA) is a group of volunteers working to support the school by raising money for things that the normal school budget can't stretch to.

Review of the Year September 2020 – August 2021

Fundraising events were limited by the Covid19 pandemic and restrictions. During the school year September 2020 – August 2021, PTFA activities raised £2469 via dress down days, Christmas art/card sales, donations from Easy Fundraising and Amazon Smile. Special thanks to Elaine Shannon and her family for contributing a fantastic £857 via car boot sales.

Funds were donated to school ensure the upkeep of the farm and forest school, and the usual contribution of £200 was provided for the year 6 leavers party.

Governance

Activities by the Dickens Heath CPS PTFA are guided by a constitution, which may be viewed on the PTFA website: www.dickensheath.org.uk. The PTFA committee consists of an elected Chair, Secretary and Treasurer who are voted in at the Annual General Meeting (AGM), as well as other ordinary committee members.

PTFA finances are reported to the Charity Commission each year and are reviewed by a suitably qualified independent person. Our thanks to Rachel Simonczyk (parent of two DHCPs pupils) for completing this task. Our accounts are also provided for public scrutiny/to be signed off by members of the PTFA at our AGM and can be viewed on our website www.dickensheath.org.uk.

How we communicate

The PTFA committee communicates events, volunteer requests, fundraising totals, funding decisions and other information via the following channels:

- Website: www.dickensheath.org.uk
- Facebook Group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/DickensHeathPTFA/>
- Termly newsletter on Parent Pay.
- PTA Events system – ticket booking and information.

Thank you

We say this often, but we can't say it often enough. Thank you to every pupil, parent, friend, teacher and grandparent who has attended or helped at a PTFA event. The PTFA would especially like to thank our caretaker Mr McEvoy (known to everybody as Mac!) for his help, the team in the school office for their ongoing assistance, and of course our teachers and headteacher, Mrs Nicholls, without whose support none of this would be possible.

The PTFA Team, 13th January 2022.

**Event/activity
summary****Funded**

Autumn Rainbow Day	£376.00	School Farm	£380.66
Christmas Art	£584.30	School Farm	£119.83
Dress Down Day	£308.90	Forest School Pizza Shovel	£24.99
Total	£1,269.20	6th Form leavers disco	£200.00

Yr6 Leavers Deposit
returned

(cancellation of 2020 party)	£100.00		£725.48
ES Car boot sales	£857.00		
Easy Fundraising	£169.19	Misc. Expenses	
Amazon Smile	£73.59	Parentkind membership & insurance	£123.00
Misc. Income	£1,199.78		

Total	£2,468.98	Total Paid out	£848.48
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Opening Balance	£951.65
Income	£2,468.98
Petty Cash	£0.00
Funded	£725.48
Misc. Expenses	£123.00

Balance	£2,572.15
Bank a/c Closing Balance	£2,572.15