

CHANTRY COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL GOVERNORS' NEWS

EDITION 1

Welcome to the first edition of Governors' News which we hope will be published twice a year. Our aim is to keep you informed of who we are, what we do and our role in the governing of the school.

Who are we?

There have been several changes over the past year but the current governing body consists of:

Chair of governors; Richard Sage

Mrs Reed

Vice-chair; Caroline Hicks

Miss Hinxman; Staff governor

John Chinn

Poppy Davis; Parent governor

Anthony Thomas

David Becker; Parent governor

What do we do?

In general terms, the Governors are responsible for setting the strategic direction of the school together with the Headteacher who oversees the day to day management and operation of the school.

The Governing Body meet once a term and there is also a Finance Committee that meets throughout the year.

In addition regular visits are made to the school to gather information and view the impact of policies on the school. Governors also spend time in school assisting with, for example, reading. So if you do see us around the school (our visitors ID says Governor) please say 'hello'.

School Visits

Recent visits to the school have focussed on reading and the use of accelerated reading. This is making a real impact on the pupils reading skills. Thank you to Mrs Jackson for all the time and effort she has spent on this.

Contact us

If you want to contact us, please do so via the school office. We also have a Governor's section on the school website which contains more information about the role.