APPOINTMENT OF LA GOVERNORS

List for Consideration

23rd March 2018

| PRIMARY SCHOOL | NO. OF VACANCIES | NOMINATIONS NAME AND ADDRESS | NOMINATED BY | DETAILS |
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| | | tment of LA Governors' stand their decision will take p | | ncillors [when elected] may stipulate on which school cted' LA governors'. |
| Bancffosfelen | 2 | Mr E. Bowen | Mr Aled Davies, Chairperson | '• Has been very supportive in the school in recent years as an LA Governor. • Wide knowledge and great interest in community activities. • A passion to improve the standards and experiences of the school's pupils.' Mr Davies is seeking Mr Bowen's re-appointment. |
| Ferryside | 1 | Cllr. Mair Stephens The Coach House Glanmarlais Kidwelly SA17 5AW | n/a – elected member | Cllr. M Stephens is seeking appointment as LA Governor. |
| Laugharne | 1 | Mr R. Thomas | Cllr. Jane Tremlett, Chairperson | 'Mr Thomas was a Laugharne Township Community council nominee and has served as a governor and vice chair on the Governing Body of this school. He retired as a community councillor at the May 2017 election and his term of office as a governor also came to an end in December. He has indicated his willingness to serve another term as a governor. He has a wealth of knowledge and experience. He is very diligent and conscientious, attending regularly both the termly GB meetings as well |

| | | | | as school events, sports day and concerts etc. The school enjoys a close relationship with the church, community council and Laugharne Corporation. Mr Thomas is, for the next two years, Portreeve of Laugharne Corporation and his participation in the life of the school and the community would be mutually beneficial. I have every confidence in recommending Mr Thomas' return to Laugharne school as a governor.' |
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| Llanmiloe | 1 | Mrs G. Cole | Mrs Jayne Phillips, Headteacher | 'Mrs Cole has a commitment to education and a desire to help improve standards of education within the school and community. Mrs Cole has a very good knowledge of the local community, living in Llanmiloe for many years and is interested in the education of its young people. Mrs Cole is willing to share her skills and expertise developed whilst working within the further education provision of Carmarthenshire within the context of the GB. Mrs Cole has a commitment to update her skills and knowledge on school governance, if successful.' |
| Llys Hywel | 2 | Miss M. James | Mr Eirwyn J Griffiths, Headteacher | ^{'Miss M James is an active member of the local society. She has worked in the banking sector for most of her careers so would be invaluable to the school as an advisor on financial matters. She was a bank manager and so held a position of authority and trust in the local community. She lives within the local community and volunteers to support various educational establishments in the area. Miss James is the co-coordinator of the local Sunday school in the village chapel. Miss James has shown a clear desire to help the improvement and development of education in the area. In the past Miss James has volunteered to support the school and has voiced her willingness to side the school in whichever way she can. Through her strong} |

| | | Miss S Thomas | | links with the community and her background in finance, I feel that she will be very well placed as a critical friend of the school aiding us to develop as a school in all aspects especially financial management.' 'Miss S Thomas is an active member of the local society. She has worked in the education system throughout her careers as a primary school teacher initially and then as a LA employee specialising as a behaviour specialist teacher supporting school with pupils who have challenging behaviour. She lives within the local community and volunteers to support various educational establishments in the area. She has shown a clear desire to help the improvement and development of education in the area. In the past Miss Thomas has volunteered to support the school and has voiced her willingness to side the school in whichever way she can. Through her background in education I feel that she will be very well placed as a critical friend of the school aiding us to develop as a school in all aspects.' |
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| Meidrim | 1 | Mrs A. Adams-Jones | Mr Steffan Jones, Headteacher | 'Mrs Adams-Jones has been a valuable member of the Meidrim School Governing Body for several years. During her terms of office, she has been keen to help improve educational standards at the school through regular visits to discuss matters and challenge the Headteacher, lesson observation and book scrutiny. As an active and well-known member of the community she has information about the community that the school is part of - this has been very valuable to me in my position as Headteacher. She has the willingness to share individual skills and expertise in the context of the governing body and also through volunteering at school. She has shown a commitment to update skills and knowledge of school management issues by visiting the Headteacher regularly and by attending courses for governors. She |

| | | | | has been elected as Chair of the Governing Body for several years.' Mr Jones is seeking Mrs Adams-Jones' re-appointment. |
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| Penygroes | 1 | Mrs R. C. Mann | Mrs Janet Harris, Headteacher | 'Mrs Mann lives and has an interest in the community that the school is part of. As a qualified teacher she has skills and expertise in primary education and Mrs Mann is keen to maintain and improve standards at Ysgol Penygroes.' |
| Swiss Valley | 1 | Mr M. Christopher | Mr Ceri Morris, Headteacher | 'Mr Christopher is a retired head teacher with a vast experience of the National Curriculum and school life in general; he has also served as an educational advisor to the county. He is currently a governor a Bynea School, so is well aware of the requirements.' |
| Y Castell | 2 | Cllr. Jeanette Gilasbey 30 Ger-Y-Gwendraeth Kidwelly Carms. SA17 4TU | n/a – elected member | Cllr. J. Gilasbey is seeking appointment as LA Governor. |
| SECONDARY | NO. OF | NOMINATIONS | NOMINATED BY | DETAILS |
| SCHOOL | VACANCIES | NAME AND ADDRESS | | |
| None. | | | | |
| SPECIAL SCHOOL | NO. OF VACANCIES | NOMINATIONS NAME AND ADDRESS | NOMINATED BY | DETAILS |
| None. | | | | |