

## APPOINTMENT OF LA GOVERNORS

### *List for Consideration*

**18<sup>th</sup> Sept 2015**

PRIMARY SCHOOL	NO. OF VACANCIES	NOMINATIONS NAME AND ADDRESS	NOMINATED BY	DETAILS
Brynsaron	1 from 5 <sup>th</sup> Dec 15	Mr EW Jones, Rhos Aur, Saron, Llandysul SA44 5EB	Mr Silyn Roberts, Headteacher	<p>'Mr Jones is an experienced governor by now and he contributes effectively to the running of the school and the arrangements of the Governing Body itself.'</p> <p>Mr Roberts is seeking Mr Jones' re-appointment.</p>
Cae'r Felin	1	Mr Dylan Davies 14 Bro'r Hen Wr, Pencader, Carms SA39 9AP	Mrs Tanya Morgans, Acting Headteacher	'Mr Davies is currently employed by Carmarthenshire County Council as an Educational Welfare Officer and subsequently visits the school on a regular basis. Mr Davies has knowledge of how the school is run and the pupils who attend the school. He lives in the village and is known to the school governors who have welcomed his nomination.'
Cwrt Henri	1	Mrs Helen Pugh, Spring Cottage, Talley Rd, Llandeilo SA19 7HS	Mr Marc Jones, Headteacher	<p>'Mrs Helen Pugh has a good reputation in the community. She is a former pupil of Cwrt Henri School and takes an interest in the community of which the school is a part. She is a reliable person who is used to communicate eloquently with people through her capacity as Audit &amp; Risk Manager within the County Council.</p> <p>I am certain that her expertise and personal skills will be an asset to the governing body. Mrs Pugh is keen to help the school to improve education standards.'</p>
Ferryside	1	Mrs Rebecca Harley, 8 Llys Holcwm, Ferryside,	Mrs Karen Cuin, Chair	'Mrs Harley has lived in Ferryside for 28 years. Having taught RE and Humanities and acted as head of year /

		Carms SA17 5SY		Dept / curriculum in England, she worked in Burry Port as SENCO and was Advisory Teacher for Behaviour / Children's Services. Mrs Harley is community-minded and keen to train and to share her skills. I believe Mrs Harley will be an asset to our Governing Body and will work to help improve standards in the school.'
Ffairfach	3	Mrs Eleanor Jones, Plasnewydd, Ffairfach, Llandeilo SA19 6PR	Mrs Meinir Morgan, Headteacher	'Mrs Jones is currently an LA Governor and has agreed to be re-appointed. This was discussed and resolved at the Summer Term full Governing Body meeting.'  Mrs Morgan is seeking Mrs Jones' re-appointment.
Gymraeg Brynsierfel	1	Mr Eunydd Thomas, 52 Tireinon, Llwynhendy, Llanelli SA14 9DF	Mrs Susan Bowen, Headteacher	'Mr Thomas has been a governor for more than 30 years and is an excellent Chair.'  Mrs Bowen is seeking Mr Thomas' re-appointment.
Halfway	1	Mr Adrian Morris, 20 Penllwyngwyn Road, Bryn, Llanelli SA14 9UF	Mr R H Griffiths, Chair	'Mr Morris is an active member of Halfway PTA and is committed to raising standards within school. He is a financial adviser and can contribute to the fiscal discipline needed in today's environment. His knowledge and expertise would enhance good governance at school. Mr Morris has attended the required mandatory training.'
Model	1	Mr Trevor Routley, Fferm Fach, Blaenycod, Carmarthen SA33 6ET	Applied via the online form	'I have been a school governor for 28 years. I became a parent governor at the Model after my eldest daughter began school there. I was successful to be appointed as a parent on the Education scrutiny committee of CCC when reorganisation led to that position and served two terms in that office. I was the nominated governor responsible for the oversight on behalf of the GB of the enlargement of the Model

		<p>Mrs Elizabeth Rose Ryan-Davies, Minyrafon, Trawsmawr, Carmarthen SA33 6NA</p>	<p>Applied via the online form</p>	<p>school, thereby making the school two form entry. I was Chair of GB at a school in Kent before I moved to Carmarthen and also at the Model and currently at QE High. I served as vice chair in all those schools before being elected chair. I try to keep myself up to date with legislation and also with the latest from the Dept for Education and Skills as well as social networking partners. I was entered for the Governor of the Year award and was awarded a Distinction at the awards ceremony in Cardiff; the winner that year going on to receive the award for the whole of England and Wales. During my time as a governor, I have been a member of the panel appointing no less than six head teachers and also large numbers of teaching and support staff and fully understand the process. Unfortunately, there have been occasions when as Chair, it has fallen to me to discipline and dismiss staff. I have run my own business for the last 38 years and can bring considerable commercial experience to my tasks as a school governor, increasingly necessary in this time of reducing funding.'</p> <p>'I trained as an Occupational Therapist in 1995 and have worked across many areas, specialising in Mental Health &amp; Learning Disabilities. My focus has always been on maximising people's functioning, focussing on ability and strengths. I am keen to see children develop resilience and coping skills to enable them to thrive. I am now the Director of Mental Health &amp; Learning Disability Services in Hywel Dda University Health Board and deal with large budgets and staffing numbers. A significant amount of my role involves working collaboratively across organisations to maximise opportunities and potential for funding.'</p>
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Y Ddwylan	1	Mr Nigel Williams, Brynawelon, Bryn Rd, Newcastle Emlyn SA38 9RE	Cllr. Hazel Evans, Chair	<p>'Mr Nigel Williams is currently vice chair to the Governors at Ysgol y Ddwylan. He is a former teacher/lecturer at Coleg Ceredigion; he possesses good knowledge about education and he brings an additional dimension to the governing body.'</p> <p>Cllr. Evans is seeking Mr Williams' re-appointment.</p>
Y Felin	1	Cllr. Hugh Richards, Hengoed Fawr Farm, Felinfoel, Llanelli SA15 4PB	Cllr. Henry John Evans (Llanelli Rural Council) Vice Chair	<p>'Cllr. Richards is the present Chair of Governors and told me he is willing to stand for another term as a governor.'</p> <p>Cllr. Richards is the local Member (Felinfoel).</p> <p>Cllr. H.J. Evans is seeking Cllr. Richards' re-appointment.</p>
<b>SECONDARY SCHOOL</b>	<b>NO. OF VACANCIES</b>	<b>NOMINATIONS NAME AND ADDRESS</b>	<b>NOMINATED BY</b>	<b>DETAILS</b>
QE High	1	Mr Nigel Roberts,	Applied via the online	'Formerly LA Governor at QE Maridunum School,

		<p>11 Penbryn Avenue, Carmarthen SA31 3DH</p> <p>Mrs Veronica Williams, Llandeilo yr Ynys, Nantgaredig, Carmarthen SA32 7LQ</p>	<p>form</p> <p>Mr Trevor Routley, Chair</p>	<p>attending LA meetings to discuss topical issues with peer governors. Have utilised financial and banking background to act as ‘critical friend’ on Governing Body finance committee meetings, with input also to setting of annual budgets and audit report deviations. Active in local community over a long period, primarily in local sporting organisations, and have been active in establishing strong links between QE High and Carmarthen Wanderers Cricket Club.’</p> <p>‘Veronica Williams has been a parent governor and community governor of Ysgol Nantgaredig since 1999 and parent governor of QE Cambria / QE High School since 2003. She became an LA Governor at QE High in 2011. Veronica was educated in Carmarthen and after university qualified as a solicitor. She worked in central London in a solicitors’ firm from 1980 to 1996, when she took a career break due to family commitments. In 1997 she moved back to Carmarthen with her family and has lived in Nantgaredig since then. She began her involvement as a volunteer in education in 1995, initially as a classroom helper and then also as governor. She has also been active in the PFTAs in both primary and secondary school. Whilst governor, she has been chair for three periods at Nantgaredig and vice chair at QE High for six years. She has also been chair of the Curriculum and Staffing Committee and a member of the two Head teacher’s Performance Management panels since the inception of the current system. Since 2008, Veronica has been a lay member of the Professional Standards Committees of the GTCW, now Education Workforce Council (EWC), sitting on panels deciding issues of teachers’ conduct,</p>
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				competence and suitability. She was also accepted for training as lay inspector for Estyn in 2009 and was part of 25 inspection teams before retiring in February 2015.'
				Mr Routley is seeking Mrs Williams' re-appointment.
<b>SPECIAL SCHOOL</b>	<b>NO. OF VACANCIES</b>	<b>NOMINATIONS NAME AND ADDRESS</b>	<b>NOMINATED BY</b>	<b>DETAILS</b>