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ELECTION OF PARENT GOVERNOR – APOLOGIES

Thank you to all those with parental responsibility who have voted in the election for Parent Governor. Unfortunately, it has come to my attention that as we have received four nominations for the Parent Governor roles required, each person with parental responsibility is eligible to vote for two candidates in an election by secret ballot. My apologies to those of you who have taken the time to vote but the fairest way going forward is to destroy previous votes, extend the closing date and ask you to vote again. As before please use the voting slip attached to this letter. This should be placed in a sealed envelope and placed in the ballot box located at the school office, as soon as possible or by 9.00 am on Tuesday 23rd April. The envelopes will remain unopened in the ballot box until 9.30 am when the count will take place. The four candidates and their biographical details are as follows: -

Mr Trevor Brown, Broadwaters, Kingswood, Hull, HU7 3NF

I am the dad to Shannon and Tyler, husband to Jayne and a current member of the PTA. I have been involved with the school for over 12 years. My daughter Shannon started in 2007 and Tyler in 2017. I have helped with lots of events and trips over the years. I have worked in the Offshore industry and Siemens with 25 years in supervisory positions. I am now working locally for Green Combined Power. Jayne and I have been Foster Carers for over 7 years with East Riding of Yorkshire Council. I would like the opportunity to make a difference for every child that attends Dunswell Academy, now and in the future.

Mrs Clare Busby, Downfield Avenue, Hull, HU6 7XE

Becoming a parent governor would give me the opportunity to learn more about how the school is run and support to drive the work and vision of Dunswell Academy. I am currently working within HR for Humberside Police, providing support and guidance to managers, police officers and staff, I feel I have gained experience and skills that would contribute to the Governing Body; including excellent communication skills both listening and questioning, interviewing skills and the confidence to have difficult conversations. I feel I would become part of a team that supports and challenges the school to be the best it can be.

Mrs Anna Darwick, Wensley Avenue, Hull, HU6 8QY

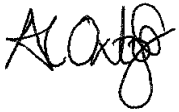
I would love the opportunity to support the school as a parent governor, working as part of the team to support the school in anyway I can. I am approachable, positive and reliable and able to think 'outside the box' when required. I am passionate about equality and diversity and the safeguarding of our children. I have enjoyed the experience I have gained by supporting the running of the School Allotment Club for the last two years and feel this has given me greater insight into how the school operates. I hold the values of the school close to my heart and I would be privileged to contribute in the role of parent governor.

Mrs Louise Harte, Bowmont Way, Kingswood, Hull, HU7 3HL

I attended Dunswell primary myself as a child and have always been close to the village and people within it. I attended Cottingham High School and then went into the travel business in which I remain today. I have two children who attend Dunswell Academy at present. I feel I am suitable for the role as I have just completed four years being a parent governor successfully and held the SENCO role which is also close to my heart and am knowledgeable on how the system works within the school.

Each person with parental responsibility should complete the voting slip below and place it in a sealed, unmarked envelope and return it to the school office by 9.00 am on Tuesday 23rd April 2019.

Yours sincerely



Miss A. Oxtoby
Head of School

DUNSWELL ACADEMY
ELECTION OF PARENT GOVERNORS
Closing Date: Tuesday 23rd April at 9.00 am

- Trevor Brown
- Clare Busby
- Anna Darwick
- Louise Harte

Each parent may vote for 2 candidates by placing an **X** against the chosen candidates.