

Governors' Report to Parents

following the Local Governing Forum Meeting of Tuesday 12th September 2023

The first meeting of our new Leaf Local Forum meeting started by Governors going through the minutes of our previous FGB. We discussed the actions noted and then agreed the minutes as a true record.

We then agreed the Code of Conduct and the Leaf Terms of Reference, both to go on the school web site.

Miss Sheppard shared her Head Teacher Report with Governors prior to the meeting, and she spoke to this, before taking questions. These included the topics of, Staffing and Staff Wellbeing. Governors received and fully discussed the data reports on comparison of School, National and LA performance at the last FGB meeting in July 2023 so this was not repeated.

Governors then further discussed formalities under the Leaf Academy and the move to the new governance model.

Finally, we agreed the portfolio responsibilities form this school year as follows

Bob Pace	Inclusion & SEND
Shelley Weeks	Inclusion & SEND
Nicola Phelps	Ethos & Christian Distinctiveness
Rev Jeremy Andrews	Community
Yasmine Phillips	Safeguarding & Whistleblowing
Nicola Hunt	Curriculum & Standards (EYFS)
Nicola Phelps	Curriculum & Standards (Quality teaching / Curriculum)

If you would like to learn more about the role of the Local Governor Forum members at St Barnabas, please contact Bob Pace (Chair of Governors) via the school office.