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Parent Governor Appointments

Dear Parents and Carers,

I'm pleased to share an update following our recent parent governor nomination process.

We received two nominations for the two available vacancies, meaning there is no need to hold an election.

I'm delighted to confirm that Jake Steeper will continue as a parent governor for a further term from January 2027, and Andrew Walker will be joining our Governing Body as a new parent governor.

I thought it would be helpful to share a little about both governors and the experience they bring to the role.

Jake Steeper
Jake has been a parent governor at Copmanthorpe Primary School since January 2023. He is an experienced teacher and senior leader in education, bringing valuable knowledge of school improvement, curriculum development and teaching and learning. Over the past four years, Jake has developed a strong understanding of our school and its priorities and we're really pleased that he has chosen to continue in the role.

Andrew Walker

Andrew is a qualified teacher who now works as a Contracts Manager in the NHS. He brings experience of both education and governance processes, alongside his professional experience in the NHS. Andrew also has a son in Year 3 and is keen to contribute to the school's continued success.

Our governors play an important role in supporting and challenging school leaders, helping to ensure that we continue to provide the best possible education and opportunities for our children.

I'd like to thank both Jake and Andrew for putting themselves forward and for their willingness to give their time to support our school.

Yours Sincerely

Luke Dancer
Headteacher

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