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Dear Parents and Carers

Georgian Gardens Governing Body Update

I am writing to inform you of recent changes to the membership of our Governing Body.

Chair of Governors

After over 12 years in the role, Mrs Cornish decided to step down as the Chair of Governors at the end of last term. Thankfully she is continuing as governor but without the extra responsibilities that fall on the Chair of Governors. For this academic year, the role she vacated is being shared by two Co-Chairs - Mr Marsh and Mr Doherty, supported by Ms Ward who has been appointed as the Vice-Chair.

Governor Resignations and Appointments

Since July we have said goodbye to three of our governors - Mrs Trifonos, Mr Hamilton-Street and Mr Chilton. Mr Meakins will also be leaving in January when his term of office as parent governor ends.

However we have already recruited two new governors this term - Mr Bennett and Mrs Connick. We are also fortunate that the parent governor application process resulted in two more parents coming forward - Mr Morley and Mrs Elliott. As both of them will make excellent additions to the Governing Body, our governors have decided to appoint Mr Morley at their next meeting as a co-opted governor, leaving Mrs Elliott automatically appointed as the parent governor. This means that a ballot will not be needed.

Governing Body Membership

This is the list of current (or soon to be appointed) governors:-

Miss Amie Bowers	<i>Ex-officio as Headteacher</i>	Mrs Judy Grevett	<i>Appointed by GB</i>
Mr David Marsh (Co-Chair)	<i>Appointed by GB</i>	Mr Dominic Meakins (until January 2022)	<i>Appointed by parents</i>
Mr Pat Doherty (Co-Chair)	<i>Appointed by GB</i>	Mrs Helen Meakins	<i>Appointed by GB</i>
Ms Heather Ward (Vice-Chair)	<i>Appointed by GB</i>	Mr Alex Morley	<i>To be appointed on 7th Dec</i>
Mr Jamie Bennett	<i>Appointed by GB</i>	Mr Roy Opie	<i>Appointed by GB</i>
Mrs Tamsin Connick	<i>Appointed by GB</i>	Mr Matt Phelps	<i>Appointed by parents</i>
Mrs Rosemary Cornish	<i>Appointed by GB</i>	Mrs Carol Phillips	<i>Appointed by GB</i>
Mrs Gemma Elliott (from January 2022)	<i>Appointed by parents</i>	Mrs Emily Roberts	<i>Appointed by staff</i>



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Our thanks go to all our governors, past, present and future, who carry out an enormous amount of voluntary work behind the scenes to support the school and help it achieve its aims.

Yours sincerely,

M. Vaughan

Madeleine Vaughan
Clerk to the Governing Body



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