BOXMOOR PRIMARY
GOVERNORS' NEWSLETTER

Welcome to the fifth edition of the Boxmoor School Governors' Newsletter. Each term we will report on what we have been up to and what our plans are for the future.

It’s the end of another busy school year at Boxmoor and the Summer term has been packed full with Sports Day and other sporting activities, arts activities and school trips, not to mention the SATs, sharing assemblies, the Year 6 performance and performances by the school orchestra.

As Governors, we want to say a huge thank you to Mrs Campos, Mr Edwards and all the teachers, TAs and other staff for all their hard work this year. We also want to thank the parents for all their support and, last but not least, the children for making Boxmoor such a brilliant school.

Happy Holidays and see you in September!

The Governors at Boxmoor

RECENT ACTIVITIES

In the Summer term, the Governing Body:

- Received reports on Art, Design and Technology, PE, History, Geography and RE
- Reviewed the School Development Plan Priorities against Self Evaluation
- Reviewed Most Able and Talented provision
- Received and approved the budget for 2015/16
- Reviewed student attendance
- Reviewed Period 2 (May) Out-Turn Report and Period 12 Out-Turn Reports / Year End
- Reviewed the budget for 2016/2017
- Carried out the HCC Annual Health and Safety Audit
- Reviewed the Data Protection Policy
- Carried out Safeguarding link governor visits
- Attended sharing assemblies, the Open Evening and the Year 6 performance of School Will Rock You
- Carried out and reviewed the Parent Survey
- Received the PTA Report
- Received the Headteacher’s Report
- Carried out PSHE link governor visits
- Carried out Arts Mark visits
- Helped to create a Bog Garden
- Reviewed Year 4 and 5 attainment and progress data
- Attended training on Being an Effective Governor, Effective Governor Visits, Headteacher Performance Management, Safeguarding Children, Property Matters, School Repairs and Maintenance Training, and Fraud Awareness
- Ran a Writing Group for the most able Year 6 writers
PLANNED ACTIVITIES

In the Autumn term, the Governing Body will:

- Approve the updated School Development Plan
- Receive the School Council Report
- Receive the SEND Report
- Update the Asset Management Plan
- Review and appoint Governor links
- Review Governor’s action plan
- Set objectives for the FGB linked to the SDP
- Agree a programme of meetings for the year including Committees

THE GOVERNORS

We’re pleased to welcome two new Governors to our Board of Governors: Blaise Evans and Clare Brook. Blaise Evans is a Parent Governor and she has two children at the school. Clare Brook is a Co-Opted Governor who has a background in HR.

Blaise Evans  
Clare Brook

FURTHER INFORMATION

For more information, visit our Governors page on the school website:

www.boxmoor.herts.sch.uk/topic/governors

Governors' photos can be also found in the school entrance hall.

The Governing Body is committed to ensuring that improvements are being constantly implemented and are delivering immediate results. If you want to contact the Governors in confidence to raise any issue, then please contact us by letter via the school office or email governors@boxmoor.herts.sch.uk