BEARWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL

MINUTES OF THE FULL GOVERNING BODY MEETING

Wednesday 13 July 2016

No	Item	Action	By When
	Present: Paul Crowley, Jane Barlow, Cristina Marinoni, Karen Butroid, Joanne Garner, Debbie Evans, Claire Doyle, Rachelle Shepherd Du Bey		
	Clerk: D Evans		
	APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE Jon Robson Hurst, Danny Chinery		
	DECLARATION OF INTERESTS JB - CB is an employee PC - nanny is employed as LSA		
	MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING The minutes of the last meeting were agreed.		
	There was some discussion on Governor induction and it was agreed that we would explore if this role could be covered by the clerk.	PC to follow up on recruitment of a clerk	End of week
	Summer 2 data – JB agreed to send out the Summer 2 data to all governors over the summer. The next HT report will cover Autumn 1 data.	JB	End August
	UPDATE ON APPOINTMENT OF GOVERNORS AND CLERK Vicky Lewendon from WBC has suggested a potential clerk. KB has written a governor advert. This will be sent out to new parents in September.	KB to contact the potential new clerk.	End of the week
	Following the parent governor recruitment local business contacts will be contacted in September. The focus needs to be on the skills gaps identified.	School office/JB/KB	End of September
	ACADEMISATION During the SIO visit academisation had been discussed and there had been a conference which JB and Julie had attended. The Local Authority is thinking about setting up a Multi academy trust which would have the advantage of being local schools together. JB had expressed an interest and the school and governors would be invited to briefings.	SLT and Chair to feedback on a series of meetings which will start in September.	As and when
	SCHOOL STRATEGIC PLAN AND SEF The Impact sections of the Governor and Finance sections of the SSP need completing – DC and CD will do these and send directly to JB	DC, CD	End August
	All governors to read the SEF over the Summer. This will be	All	End August

completed by September but has been made available in advance.		
FEEDBACK FROM SIO VISIT JB is still awaiting feedback from this visit and will send it around	JB	When
to all governors when it is available.		received
TRAINING AND GOVERNOR ASSESSMENT CM had identified a number of e-learning modules that can be accessed plus a list of key training courses that would be most appropriate for all governors to attend. CM will circulate these to all governors.	СМ	End July
Bespoke training will also be considered as required.	КВ	
Regarding the Governor conference on 19 September, RS and DC have been registered to attend.	KB to explore if there are additional places for JB and	End of week
It was agreed that we would need to allocate governors to attend briefing meetings at the next FGB.	CM	
Committee members and roles will be allocated at the next FGB		
PLANNING FOR GOVERNOR VISITS TO SCHOOL NEXT YEAR		
All governors are encouraged to come into school to ensure familiarisation and visibility. Visits should be arranged via JB.	All governors	
Possible dates of learning walks will be discussed at the next FGB.		
Governors are encouraged to attend events and performances in school, attendance should be organised with JB. Information regarding these can be found in the school letters circulated to all governors.	All governors	
TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR PPC AND RESOURCE		
COMMITTEES		
KB to update the TOR and circulate them over summer to all governors.	КВ	End of August
RS will contact the LA about the Travel Policy.	RS	End of August
ANY OTHER BUSINESS All of the documents currently uploaded on the governor shared drive will be moved to the secure area of the school website, as will the minutes of the FGB and Committee meetings.	СМ	End of September
Some consideration needs to be given how to optimise access to the website.		
Paul Crowley and Debbie Evans both stood down as governors. JB thanked them both for their significant contribution to the school.		
It was agreed that KB would act as Chair in the interim.		
TIME AND DATE OF NEXT MEETING		
21 September 2016 – all governors to bring their diaries to arrange the 2016/17 meetings		
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