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Dear Parent/Carer

Election of Parent Governors

Parents were recently invited to consider standing for election as a Parent Governor of this school. Since there have been more nominations than vacancies we now need to hold a ballot (vote).

Attached to this letter is a copy of the candidates' personal statements in alphabetical order. I would be grateful if you would take the time to read the statements and cast your vote for this important role on our governing board.

Once you have read the statements please vote via this link [Parent Governor Election](#). Each eligible parent/carer must vote separately and will therefore need to complete the ballot eform individually.

Each eligible parent/carer is entitled to one vote for each vacancy, irrespective of the number of children they have at the school. Therefore as there is one vacancy, you should only vote for one candidate. Any duplicate ballot papers will not be included in the count.

The deadline for all online ballot submissions is **Monday 30th January 2023 at 12 Noon.** The ballot will be decided by a simple majority of votes cast. In the event of a tie, lots will be drawn.

When the ballot (vote) has been completed, I will write to you again to let you know the outcome.

If, in the meantime, you have any queries, please let me know.

Kind regards,

Sarah Holman

Sarah Holman
Headteacher

Personal Statements – Parent Governor Election January 2023

Tetyana Bennett

I have a passion for continuous improvement especially when we are talking about the lives of our future generation. As a governor, I would like to be a part of a great community that continues to positively shape children's development and children supported by the collaborative work between teachers and parents.

My only daughter has moved to this amazing school last year, having experienced what other school has a on offer, where improvements can be made. However, the most important for me is child's needs in school environment, what they need to thrive in the subject they have a passion for, how they can be challenged on subjects they don't feel so comfortable with and being supported along their journey.

I am a manager of a large diverse team in food industry. I can offer experience of compliance, leadership, new project and performance management, motivation of staff. I have a good common sense, "can do" attitude, I am energetic and enthusiastic person, good listener, and strong believer in teamwork. I am open and honest person and happy to have a discussion at any level. I am heavily involved in running charitable fundraising events. I am also a member of Loose PTA team helping to raise vital funds to make every child's time spent at school as enjoyable and productive as possible.

With the right support the possibilities really are endless and I would like to be a part of that for Loose Primary School.

Michael Li

I have a passion for volunteering, quality improvement and education. As a governor I would like to play a role in ensuring there is a clear and safe vision for the school, that the school is financially sustainable, and hold leaders to account when needed.

I have two young children, the eldest of which is in reception at Loose Primary School and I'd like to start taking an active role in improving and adding value to the education of the next generation of leaders, artists and scientists.

I have skills in data analytics, leadership, strategic planning, stakeholder engagement and stakeholder management. I'm not afraid to ask difficult questions or obvious questions that are sometimes avoided in group settings. I'm a big believer in collaboration to get things done, including building new relationships. I am a natural problem-solver and hope to put these skills as a parent governor to maintain the excellent standards of the school.