

Ben Bristow – Co-Op Governor (Vice Chair)

I have been a Governor at WPS since 2016 when I was elected as a parent Governor. I now sit on the Board as a co-opted Governor and I'm also the Vice Chair of the governing body.



Additionally, I chair the Resources Panel, which provides oversight and strategic direction to the school for staffing, finance and all matters related to the school buildings and its surroundings.

My background is in strategic programme management. I've driven change for a large international airline, located not too far from the school, for a number of years. My work has included opening the new crew facilities in Terminal 5, entry into service for new aircraft types and major system implementations. I also spend a fair amount of my time working alongside the pilot union BALPA, so no day is ever dull!

My 2 children have both enjoyed their time and have thrived at Wraysbury. My eldest missed out on a lot during his final year at the school due to the COVID pandemic, but the school adapted admirably which is a great example of how WPS goes to extraordinary lengths for the children in its care. I'm thrilled to be able to support those efforts, in a small way, as part of the governing body.

In my spare time you may see me peddling around the local roads, paddling around one of the local lakes or rivers with the cubs and scouts and in the past I have played and coached volleyball as part of an international airline volleyball circuit! That's when time permits of course since there are taxiing / supporting duties to fit in for football, tennis, swimming, gymnastics, ballet, hockey...

David Cannon – Local Authority Governor



I retired as a Metropolitan Police Detective Inspector in 2011, after a 31 year policing career and now work as the Executive and Travel Security Manager for an Multi National UK Company. In 2018 I was elected as a RBWM Councillor for Datchet and in May 2019 I was elected as Ward Councillor for Datchet, Horton and Wraysbury. In summer 2019 I was pleased to be invited to join the Governing Body at Wraysbury Primary School, as a Community Governor. Recently I was asked to change to become the Local Authority

Governor.

I have lived in Datchet for 37 years and both my children went through the Windsor School system, although many years ago now.

I have over 35 years experience of working with young people in the Scout Association and have a Cert.Ed Teaching qualification for 16+ students. I also have personal experience of dealing with children with additional needs. Whilst in the Police, I had a period of time specialising in Safeguarding and spent several years as a Safeguarding trainer in the Scout Association, so it will come as no surprise that I currently hold the position of Safeguarding Governor.

In my 'limited' spare time i enjoy canoeing on our stretch of the River Thames, cycling around the local villages and trying to grow vegetables and fruit on my allotment. I also have an interest in craft beer and so assist in running the annual Datchet Beer Festival too.

As a Governor, I sit on the Communities Committee as well as the Full Governing Body.

Ed Barnes – Co-Op Governor



I have worked in schools for over 15 years - holding leadership positions at both primary and secondary schools. I am currently a deputy headteacher of a large school in Slough. I have worked with the local authority on provision for Early Career Teachers and have a wide knowledge of SEN, inclusion and more general teaching and learning strategies. Throughout my career, I have prized a quality-first approach to practice, ensuring that all children receive an education that will enable them to continue through life successfully.

I moved to Wraysbury in 2019, but lived in Staines for six years prior. I am keen to serve the community in this role - I have experience of acting as a governor in two of my previous schools. I am currently the link governor for SEND and Art/DT; I also sit on the curriculum, pupil welfare and school community committee.

Imran Khan – Parent Governor



I joined Wraysbury Primary School Governing Body in March 2022, as Parent Governor. I have a son at Wraysbury in Year 3 and a 1 year old baby who is at nursery.

I have over 15 years' experience in IT product development and design in senior leadership roles managing large teams of junior to senior product managers. I am currently the Director of Product Management for American Express as of September 2022.

I am also a mentor for the Scoop Foundation (students at Trinity College in Dublin, Ireland); providing coaching and development in transformation and web improvement, project management, preparing for life after university and core competency skills ready for the world of work.

I have also taken on other development roles such as a former parent carer for Wraysbury Village Football Club and volunteer roles as chief contract manager for Champany Hall in Horton.

I became a Governor so that I could offer and transfer some of my IT and financial organisation and team leadership knowledge and skills into an educational setting. I am passionately committed to children's physical, emotional and mental wellbeing, which impacts significantly on their capacity to learn well and achieve their best - at school, and throughout their lives.

Outside of work, I spend a lot of my time travelling, eating, cycling and running as well as taking my football obsessed son to various foundations and pre academy practices 5 times a week.

Jayne Kennedy – Co-Op Governor (Chair)



I have been a Governor since 2014 when I was elected as a Parent Governor after answering an advert for Finance skills. I now sit on the Board as a co-opted Governor and have the responsibility of Chair of Governors, Chair of the Curriculum, Pupil Welfare and School Community Panel and subject lead for English. Previously I chaired the Finance,

Buildings and Lettings Committee, now known as the Resources panel, for 6 years.

My background is in Corporate Finance and I am a member of the Chartered Institute of Management Accountants. I am currently employed as the Clerk and Returning Finance Officer for Horton Parish Council.

I have had two children go through Wraysbury school both enjoying their time there and as a Governor I have always been passionate about the education, opportunities and support Wraysbury School offers to all of its pupils.

I have lived in Wraysbury for over 10 years now and in my spare time I like to walk, travel, read and I play competitive badminton in local leagues when time permits.

Meghna Khokha - Co-Op Governor



I was appointed on WPS Governing Board as a co-opted Governor in late 2021. Contributing to my local community through school governance was something I felt moved to do. I want to assist school governing boards meet their strategic objectives and influence decision-making to ensure all children get an excellent well-rounded education.

I have educational background in Business Administration along with Master's degree in Information Technology. My work background is in finance and digital marketing and my due diligence transitions well into my role as a Governor. Previously I have worked for companies like Best Western, Hilton and Lloyds Banking Group. Currently I am a Non-Executive Director of an international trading company.

I have lived in Horton & Wraysbury for over 10 years now. My daughter has studied in WPS and enjoyed her time there. We were in pandemic during her final year, but the school was brilliant in the support and education offered to all students during that challenging year.

I am excited to work with the board to support the schools continued outstanding success.

Roly Latif – Co-Op Governor

I joined Wraysbury Primary School as a Community Governor in 2020, during what was a particularly challenging year due to COVID-19. Over the past year I've been settling into my role on the Resources panel and I'm looking forward to being part of the school's future plans and ambitions.

I've lived in Wraysbury for over 7 years with my wife and work for Heathrow Airport Ltd. as the Head of Safety, Health and Wellbeing for Infrastructure projects.

During my spare time I enjoy cycling, walking with my dog and socialising; something that's extremely easy to do in Wraysbury!

Ruth Fogg – Associate Governor



I am an Associate Governor with an interest and input on the Curriculum, Pupil Welfare and School Community panel.

My business is Stressworx, helping people of all ages to overcome stress in their lives. I am also a speaker and author.

My background is in teaching and youth work - I was Head of the Youth Service in a London Borough before taking early retirement for personal reasons. I was also an Ofsted Inspector and Trustee of YMCA London South West and YMCA National Training. I am an Honorary Fellow of Brunel University and Fellow of the International Stress Management Association.

I have lived in Wraysbury since 1990, both my sons attended Wraysbury Primary School, both now have first class degrees and successful careers.

Steven Constable – Parent Governor

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