

Holy Cross Catholic Primary School's Governors are responsible for the overall direction of the school. They ensure:

- that the school's vision and strategy are clearly defined;
- that the Headteacher fulfils her responsibilities for the school's educational performance;
- the proper and effective use of the school's budgets.

The Governing Board includes elected Parent Governors, staff, foundation governors and a local authority representative.

If there is something that should be raised through the Governors, please feel free to contact them via the school office.

#### **Governors**

| Name of Governor                                  | Role / Sub-committee / Link   | Type of         | Appointed  | Until      |
|---|---|-----------------|------------|------------|
| (Occupation)                                      |   | Governor        |            |            |
| Stephen Hendry                                    | Chair Pay Committee Link Governor: Pupil Premium & Sports Funding Link Governor: Curriculum | Local Authority | 13.01.2022 | 12.01.2026 |
| Cecily Howden                                     | Joint Vice Chair Pay Committee Finance & Premises Committee*                                | Foundation      | 21.12.2022 | 20.12.2026 |
| Helen McComb                                      | Joint Vice Chair Headteacher Performance Management   | Foundation      | 16.10.2019 | 15.10.2023 |
| <b>Lucie Banks</b><br>(Headteacher)               |   | Headteacher     | 06.10.2022 | Ongoing    |
| Fr. Jonathan<br>Redvers Harris<br>(Parish Priest) | Pay Committee Finance & Premises Committee* Link Governor: RE                               | Foundation      | 01.09.2022 | 31.08.2026 |
| Victoria Lauchlan                                 | Link Governor: Curriculum   | Foundation      | 18.11.2020 | 17.11.2024 |
| Catrina Millington                                | Link Governor: SEND   | Foundation      | 01.12.2022 | 30.11.2026 |
| Jim Willetts                                      |   | Foundation      | 01.12.2022 | 30.11.2026 |
| Michelle Beattie                                  |   | Parent          | 25.09.2023 | 25.09.2027 |
| Rebecca Colman                                    | Link Governor: Safeguarding;<br>Children in Care  | Parent          | 27.07.2023 | 26.07.2027 |

| Vacancy | Foundation |  |
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| Vacancy | Staff      |  |

**Clerk to Governors:** Alison Starnes

Governors, and the Clerk to Governors, may be contacted via the school office: 01983 292885 or admin@holycrossrcpri.iow.sch.uk

#### Governors' pecuniary and personal interests declaration

All parties have declared interests, including where they have none. All interests that exist have been recorded on the register.

| Name of Governor   | Relevant Business<br>Interests   | Links to Other<br>Educational<br>Establishments                | Personal<br>Relationships with<br>School Staff or<br>Other Governors                                   |
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| Lucie Banks  |  |  | Sibling is a Foundation<br>Governor at Holy Cross  |
| Sharon Freeley<br>(Interim Executive<br>Headteacher, Holy<br>Cross RC Primary) |  | Headteacher, Broadlea<br>Primary School, IoW<br>Member of NAHT |  |
| Fr. Jonathan<br>Redvers Harris   |  | School Chaplain, Priory<br>School of Our Lady of<br>Walsingham | As parish priest,<br>pastorally supports<br>members of the school<br>community who are<br>parishioners |
| Stephen Hendry   | Enegen Power Systems Limited (Director)  Office of Bob Seely, MP (Spouse Employment)  Isle of Wight Council (Councillor)  East Cowes Town Council (Councillor) | Local Authority Governor, Queensgate Primary School, IoW       | None to declare  |
| Vicky Lauchlan   | Director of Operations<br>at IOW NHS Trust with<br>portfolio that includes<br>paediatric services  |  | Sibling is an employee of Holy Cross   |
| Samantha<br>Matthias   | IOW NHS Trust<br>Safeguarding Children<br>Nurse  |  |  |
| Paul Brading (Associate Member Finance & Premises Committee)                   | Isle of Wight County<br>Councillor for Lake<br>South (School ward)<br>Lake Parish Council<br>Councillor (Currently<br>Chair)                                   | Local Authority<br>Governor, Broadlea<br>Primary School, IoW   |  |

| Sandown Rotary<br>Member (Past<br>President)     | Club |
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| IW Multiple Scler<br>Society (Currentl<br>Chair) |      |

#### Governors who have stepped down in the past 12 months

| Name of Governor<br>(Occupation)                       | Type of Governor       | Term of office             | Date stepped<br>down |
|--|------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|
| Monica Kiely   | Foundation Governor    | 03.12.2021 -<br>02.12.2026 | 20.09.2022           |
| Frances Nunn   | Foundation Governor    | 16.10.2019 -<br>15.10.2023 | 16.09.2022           |
| Elizabeth Dyer<br>(Headteacher,<br>Nine Acres Primary) | Interim<br>Headteacher | 21.11.2021<br>Ex-officio   | 31.08.2022           |
| Kathy Mather   | Staff Governor         | 10.09.2020 -<br>09.09.2024 | 31.08.2022           |
| Samantha<br>Matthias                                   | Parent Governor        | 10.02.2022 -<br>09.02.2026 | 27.05.2022           |
| Peter Ball   | Parent Governor        | 10.02.2022 -<br>09.02.2026 | 27.04.2022           |