



Castleford Park Junior Academy

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Dear Parent,

ELECTION OF PARENT GOVERNOR(S)

You may remember that you were recently notified about the election of Parent Governor to the Governing Body of the school.

Three nominations have been received to fill the vacancy, which means that there has to be an election by ballot. I am, therefore, inviting you to indicate which of the nominees you would wish to be your representative on the Governing Body. The arrangements for the election are as follows:

- Each nominee has had an opportunity to provide further information about themselves and this has been included to help you decide for whom you wish to vote;
- Each parent will have a separate ballot form and may vote for (up to) two candidate(s) by putting a cross against the name of the person(s) for whom he/she wishes to vote; and
- Each parent is restricted to one ballot form irrespective of the number of children he or she may have attending the school. However, if the ballot form is spoilt, or lost, a duplicate form may be obtained from the school before the closing date.

Completed ballot forms should be returned to the school, either by hand (by your child or yourself) or by post, **no later than Wednesday 29th November 2017.**

In the event of a tie the successful candidate will be decided by the drawing of lots.

Yours sincerely

Miss K Law
Headteacher

Primary Strategy
Director

Ms. J. Clarke

Headteacher:

Miss K Law

Deputy
Headteacher

Mrs J Roberts

School Business
Manager:

Mrs C Probert

Chair of
Governors:

Mrs S Churm



Healthy Schools

Castleford Park Junior Academy Parent Governor Election

Each parent is entitled to two vote(s), but may not cast more than one vote for any candidate.

Each nominee has had an opportunity to provide further information about themselves and this has been included below to help you decide for whom you wish to vote.

CANDIDATES

Name – Mary Sykes

Parent of – Lewis (Year 4)

I want to be a school governor as I care deeply about the time our children spend at Castleford Park Junior Academy.

I am now at a point where I have time I can dedicate to being part of this and would hope my experience can add something different to the governing committee.

I have no prior experience within education but have a strong background in Finance analysis that I would be able to bring along and hopefully offer a different perspective and view point.

Name – John Dossey

Parent of – Billy (Year 3)

Currently working as, a registered manager in social care supporting people with learning disabilities and mental health diagnosis, this has given me an excellent knowledge of safeguarding, completing risk assessments (which I deliver training on) health and safety, budgeting and managing a large diverse staff team.

I have experience sitting on boards as a member of the learning disabilities forum which positively raised the profile of learning disabilities in Leeds.

I also sat on the Leeds and York NHS board of trustees and advocate for people with learning disabilities within the NHS.

I feel my experience would benefit CPJA.

Name – Amy Clark

Parent of – Marcie (Year 3)

I am mum of two and I work as an office manager in an accounting environment. I would like to be a school governor as I believe that I make good decisions based on many contributing factors. Education is the most important thing we can offer our children and it needs to be the best it can possibly be.

I enjoy reading, writing and mathematics as well as travelling and spending time with my family. My personal favourite hobby is eating and cooking and I love the way that food brings everyone together.



Castleford Park Junior Academy PARENT GOVERNOR ELECTION BALLOT FORM

Mark an X to indicate the candidate(s) you wish to vote for. Do not record more than two votes and not more than one vote per candidate:

Only ballot forms marked with a cross (X) will be counted as a vote.

The votes will be counted by school staff, who will decide the validity of dubious or spoilt ballot papers.

Please return this ballot form to the school, either by hand (by your child or yourself) or by post, no later than Wednesday 29th November 2017.

Ballot forms received after the above date will be invalid. Please note that, if there is a tie, the election will be decided by the drawing of lots.

Name: Mary Sykes	
Name: John Dossey	
Name: Amy Clark	
<u>YOU MAY VOTE FOR TWO CANDIDATE(S)</u> PLEASE PLACE A CROSS (X) AGAINST THE CANDIDATE(S) OF YOUR CHOICE.	

