







Governor Profiles March 2024

 <p>Chair of Governors Rev. Joshua Rey Ex-Officio</p>	<p>I have been the Vicar of Roehampton since 2020 - I live just over the road from the school in the Vicarage and I have responsibility for Holy Trinity Church, as well as getting involved in the wider Roehampton community to help build unity, hope and joy. Before getting ordained ten years ago, I was first an investment banker, then an aid worker, then a civil servant. I love being part of the school family, both as Chairman of the governing body, helping to shape the vision and secure the future of the school, and also in the day to day, in assemblies, helping out with reading practice, and so on, and getting to know children, parents, and staff.</p>
 <p>Executive Headteacher Miss Lynn Anderson</p>	<p>I became the Headteacher of Trinity St Mary's, Balham, in 2017. In June 2022 I was asked to also become the Headteacher at Roehampton Church school. I am passionate about children being allowed to be inspired through a love of learning and achieve their goals in life, no matter how small or large they may be. I enjoy outdoor swimming in all weathers and curling up with a good book. I have four nephews and two nieces and my favourite colours are turquoise and silver.</p> <p>I love all things Italian!</p>
 <p>Foundation Governor: Mr Mick Mitridate Safeguarding Lead</p>	<p>I have been a police officer since 2008 and prior to this I worked for Network rail for 6 years. I graduated in 2002 having achieved a BAHons in French and Italian. Making a difference to the lives of children and their families is something that I am passionate about and I have come to know RCS well, having spent time delivering workshops to the children on online safety. I am very excited about this opportunity of being a governor at RCS as it will enable me to support the school further as well as the wider community and I look forward to getting to know the parents and staff and making a difference to all connected with such a fantastic school.</p>
 <p>Foundation Governor: David Fletcher PCC</p>	<p>I am a qualified chartered accountant who spent his executive career in the City in London and the Far East. I live locally in Putney and when I ceased full time work I was looking to use some of my experience in other ways. I have two children, two grandchildren and a dog. I enjoy walking on the Common, watching and playing sport. I am passionate that every child should have the opportunity to have a good start in education.</p>
 <p>Co-Opted Governor: Alessandra Perosa Vice Chair</p>	<p>I moved to England, from my native Italy in 2009 and have lived in Putney for the last 10 years; enjoying walks across the Heath with my husband. I care passionately about our local community because this is my home. In my day job I work as a banker and being a school governor enables me to give something back and help make a difference, using my finance skills. I spent nine months on the Finance Committee of the Governing Board, before being elected chairwoman and have chaired the Committee January 2020, managing budgets and trying to look at the bigger picture was a natural fit.</p>
 <p>Parent Governor: Paras Gonzales</p>	<p>I became Parent Governor at RCS in 2017/2018 as my daughter became part of the RCS family in Nursery. Now both my children enjoy the school and all it has to offer. I have a background in Education and in Design and work as a STEM Lead and Head of Department in a secondary school in a neighbouring borough. I'm passionate about engaging our younger generation in STEM learning and developing their skills in problem solving. I enjoy spending time with my family and friends and you will often see me on walks around the Heath and further afield.</p>

 <p>Foundation Governor: Peter Anthony PCC Vice Chair</p>	<p>I have been a governor at Roehampton Church School since 2010 and am a local resident living just a few streets away from the school. I have lived in Putney / Roehampton since 1986 and in our current house since 1995. I have been married, to Sue, for 43 year and have 2 grown up children and are also proud grandparents. I operate a small shipping and trading company, mainly from home, so I am usually available to pop into school for anything, from concerts to meetings or to read with a child. I am also a trustee of Roehampton Playing Fields Community Trust who run Roehampton Playing Fields as a non-profit community facility which several local schools and local clubs currently use.</p> <p>I enjoy socialising, family holidays and trying to keep fit using the local sports centre or walking with friends in one of the local green spaces, such as Richmond Park. I enjoy living in Roehampton and consider myself fortunate to live in a socially mixed diverse, warm and safe community.</p>
 <p>LA Governor: Cllr. Ethan Brooks</p>	<p>Alongside my career in navigation technology for people with disabilities, I serve as a Wandsworth Borough Councillor representing Thamesfield ward in Putney. I joined the governor's team at Roehampton Church School in 2023. Through my experience in national and local politics, as well as in business development, I am keen to help raise the profile and appeal of the school across the local community. My partner and I enjoy walks through the wonderful nearby parks, cooking and gardening.</p>
 <p>Staff Governor: Dorethea Klotz</p>	<p>I've worked at Roehampton Church School (RCS) since 2017, when I continued on after having worked in year 1 as a student during my PGCE placement. At RCS, I really enjoy that every individual is unique, and I love helping each child discover their own strengths and talents and nurture those traits through my educational approach. I was born in Germany and lived there for 7 years. I have a passion for health and fitness, I co-parent a blonde toy poodle and I am an avid foodie!</p>
 <p>Rev. Claire Whitmore Foundation: PCC</p>	<p>I moved to Roehampton in Summer 2022 to take up the post of Assistant Curate at Holy Trinity Church, with special responsibility for building links between the church and the community. Before training for ordination, I worked in the charity sector, including for Girlguiding and Christian Aid, where I held communications and project management roles. I am also a volunteer leader at 1st Roehampton Brownies.</p>