

**LA nominee governor vacancies****Report of the Corporate Director for People****1. PURPOSE OF REPORT**

- 1.1 There are currently 18 vacancies for LA nominee governors in maintained Stockport schools, listed below. Those vacancies will be advertised within the Council's staff and it would be very much appreciated if Area Committees would also look for suitable candidates who would be willing to support local schools, while recognising that there is no longer any political element to the nomination.

**2. BACKGROUND**

- 2.1 There is a national issue around governor vacancies and we will be recruiting from the wider Stockport community to fill other roles on governing boards.
- 2.2 School governors are a vital part of the school improvement process and are the school's strategic decision-making board. Governors have considerable responsibilities for the vision and ethos of their schools, ensuring that the headteacher is held to account for the performance of the school and that its resources are used to best advantage. There are over 1300 governors already serving our schools, many for more than one term of office, a testament to both the importance of the role and the value schools place upon them.

<b>School</b>	<b>Ward</b>	<b>Vacant since</b>
Ladybrook Primary School	Bramhall North	01.01.2014
St Mark's CE Primary	Bredbury and Woodley	01.01.2017
Bredbury Green Primary School	Bredbury Green and Romiley	19.10.2015
Greave Primary School	Bredbury Green and Romiley	07.05.2014
Harrytown Catholic High School	Bredbury Green and Romiley	School is RI
Werneth School	Bredbury Green and Romiley	17.01.2017
St Bernadette's Catholic Primary	Brinnington and Central	05.04.2017
St Mary's Catholic Primary School (Stockport)	Brinnington and Central	31.01.2012
Westmorland Primary	Brinnington and Central	05.04.2017
Cheadle Primary	Cheadle and Gatley	01.09.2016
Bradshaw Hall Primary School	Cheadle Hulme South	01.01.2016

St George's C of E Primary School	Davenport and Cale Green	31.01.2012
Cheadle Heath Primary School	Edgeley and Cheadle Heath	01.01.2015
Hollywood Park Nursery	Edgeley and Cheadle Heath	01.01.2016
Lark Hill Primary School	Edgeley and Cheadle Heath	01.01.2017
Our Lady's RC Primary School	Edgeley and Cheadle Heath	31.01.2012
Freshfield Nursery School	Heatons South	25.05.2017
Banks Lane Infant School	Manor	07.04.2017
Ludworth Primary School	Marple North	01.09.2015
St Mary's Catholic Primary School (Marple)	Marple North	09.01.2017
All Saints C of E Primary School (Marple)	Marple South	31.03.2016
Fairway Primary	Offerton	01.09.2016
St Joseph's R.C. Primary School (Reddish)	Reddish North	01.01.2015
Great Moor Junior School	Stepping Hill	01.11.2016

### **3. RECOMMENDATION**

The Area Committees are recommended to note the report and to make recommendations for governors to fill the vacancies indicated above.

#### **BACKGROUND PAPERS**

There are none

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