Dear parents and carers,

## News letter from the Parent Governors and Governing board

We hope you have had a wonderful bank holiday weekend! We are delighted to introduce our newsletter.

The governing board at Crowland has been meeting termly to plan, monitor and strategize on areas including the quality and standard of education, financial performance, pupil wellbeing and parent and community.

Over the past few months there have been changes to the governing board where we said goodbye to some of our governors including the Chair Andrew Bethell, who played a vital role in the governing body. We welcomed in new governors and our new chair who is also a parent governor, Ian Ferguson. The board has an exciting mix of knowledge, experience and professional backgrounds that we believe will serve the school well. Details of all the governors and their bio's will be available on the school website once updated.

As part of our efforts to develop parent and community at Crowland, we are excited to announce that we will be recruiting parents to become Crowland associate governors.

The Crowland associate governors will be part of a parent engagement working group that will facilitate communications between families and staff, working in both directions and helping to harness the energy and experience of our school community.

The associate governors will be a contact point for families to ask questions to the school, a channel for the school to gather feedback from families and a multilingual resource, providing a voice for everyone in our community.

If you are a parent or carer who would like to become an associate governor representing your year group or a spoken language to help make all family voices heard, please consider nominating yourself for this interesting voluntary role. More information on the Crowland associate governor's role and recruitment will be shared soon.

Kind regards,

Ian and Anita

(Parent Governors)

