



Meet our School Governors

Name: Paul Woodhouse

Type of Governor: Foundation Governor



How did you come to be a Governor at St Kentigern's?

I was asked to consider joining the Governors of St Kentigern's in 2012 by Rev. Fr David Burns, the Parish Priest at the time, to support the school and wider parish community.

Tell us a bit about yourself.

I have been an active parishioner at St Kentigern's for over 40 years and so am familiar with the local context of the parish, its schools, the wider academy trust and diocese.

I am actively involved with many aspects of the life of the parish particularly with our younger parishioners many of which attend our various parish schools. I function as the Parish Master of Ceremonies, assisting the clergy and catechists with the arrangement of Mass, and other large services at the parish and diocese levels. I am also the national communications officer for the Archconfraternity of St Stephen and a volunteer on the diocese trustees Data Protection sub-committee.

I have worked in public service for over 20 years at Local Authorities and the NHS as a Technical IT Manager.

What are your interests and hobbies?

Family, time with my niece, Information Technology, Swimming, Cycling, the Parish.

What do you bring to the role of School Governor?

Experience of working in the public sector, Information Technology, Data protection and Cyber Security, experience working within the context of the diocese and parish.