

St FRANCIS XAVIER 6th FORM COLLEGE

MEETING OF THE FULL GOVERNING BODY Tuesday 5th July 2022 6pm – 8.30pm To be held in St Francis Xavier College (refreshments from 5.30pm)

College mission statement:

St Francis Xavier Sixth Form College is an inclusive educational community rooted in the Catholic faith, that has Christ at its centre. Our aim is to provide a broad curriculum which emphasises the pursuit of excellence and focuses on career preparation, leadership and service to others. We are committed to preparing the whole person to lead a life of purpose and success in a just and sustainable world.

March 2022

AGENDA

In attendance:

Mr C Graham, Associate Principal, Ethos and Student Welfare Ms K Foan, Associate Principal Curriculum & Quality Mrs E Lewis, Clerk to the Governors

			PAPER
6pm	1.	OPENING PRAYER	
	2.	INTRODUCTIONS / MEMBERSHIP OF THE GOVERNING BODY	
		2.1. Welcome to:	
		2.1.1. Student Governors: Nominated to be formally appointment for one year:	
		 2.2. Farewell to: Ms Rachel Clark, Staff Governor – retiring Ms Joela Quartey and Mr Roberto Lagnado, Student Governors – end of term of office 	
		2.3. To note resignation of Mrs Kerry Taylor, 6 th May 2022	
		2.4. To note Mr Richard Vianello, Foundation Governor – term will end 27 th October 2022	
	3.	APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE: Ms R Clark	
	4.	DECLARATION OF INTERESTS: Any interests in items of business should be disclosed before the meeting commences, please.	
	5.	MINUTES OF PART ONE and PART TWO of THE MEETING HELD ON 22 nd March 2022 – (Copy in papers. Previously circulated 3 rd May 2022) For review, agreement and signing	YES
	6.	MATTERS ARISING (other than covered by agenda items):	
		6.1. Duke of Edinburgh Scheme	
	7.	REVIEW OF ACTIONS CARRIED FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS:	

	 8. INFORMATION / DATA / COMMUNICATED SINCE MARCH 2022 MEETING: Monthly Management Accounts & ESFA Dashboard report: March, April, May 2022 SFCA Governance webinar invitations and recordings Maximilian March, April, May 2022 editions 20th June 2022 invitation to "No Place for Racism and Catholic Social Teaching for Governors" Diocesan conference 19th May 2022 RSM FE Skills seminar invitation 3rd May 2022 draft minutes, GB meeting 9. CHAIRS ACTION: 	
6.15pm	10. PRINCIPAL'S REPORT TO GOVERNORS incorporating Including reports on Freedom of Information and GDPR activity and compliance Governors are invited to submit questions on the report (via the Clerk) in advance of the meeting – by 4.30pm on Monday 4 th July 2022	YES
	11. STRATEGIC PLAN 2022 - 2025	YES
7.00pm	12. SAFEGUARDING, CATHOLIC INSPECTION and EDI: Mr C Graham	
7.20pm	13. STUDENT GOVERNORS' REPORT: Ms J Quartey and Mr R Lagnado	
7.30pm	14. ORAL REPORTS FROM GOVERNORS COMMITTEES:	
	14.1. Audit committee (met remotely on 17 th May 2022): Draft minutes included in the papers for this meeting will be taken as read. Matters requiring decision / approval will be presented by the chair of the committee.	YES
	14.2. Finance and Resources Committee (met remotely on 21st June 2022): Draft minutes included in the papers for this meeting will be taken as read. Matters requiring decision / approval including the financial forecast will be presented by the chair of the committee, to include CFFR (College Financial Forecasting Return); updated Financial Regulations and Annual Health & Safety report for approval.	YES
	14.3. Curriculum Standards & Quality Committee (met remotely on 14 th June 2022): Draft minutes included in the papers for this meeting will be taken as read. Matters requiring decision / approval will be presented by the chair of the committee.	YES
	14.4. Appeal Committee: has not met since previous GB meeting	
	14.5. Remuneration Committee (met remotely on 13 th June 2022) to note that the committee met, chaired by Mr S Ebele and received reports and performance reviews as required and has reported to Chair of F&RC for budget.	
	14.6. Governance Committee (met remotely on 7th June 2022) Matters for report or requiring decision / approval will be presented by the chair of the committee.	YES

7.50pm	15.	GOVERNANCE:	
		15.1. Academisation	
		15.2. Safeguarding Responsibility to receive any report / update from the governor with oversight, Ms K Bainbridge	
		15.3. Committees: to review membership	YES 15.3
		15.4. Governor vacancies	
		15.5. Tracking against Governance Improvement Plan	YES 15.5
		15.6. Governor Training & Development Opportunities	
		15.7. Governors Focus & Self-Assessment morning / day: to confirm Saturday 8 th October 2022	
		15.8. Governor Engagement: feedback from governors on attendance at / participation in meetings / conferences / online development To include presentation by Mr K Thomas, foundation governor, on his recent Geography A Level workshop.	
8.10pm	16.	SCHEDULE OF DATES & BUSINESS for 2022 – 2023: to affirm dates and ratify the schedule of business.	YES
8.15pm	17.	ARE GOVERNORS SATISFIED THAT THE INFORMATION RECEIVED AND ALL DECISIONS TAKEN AT THIS MEETING HAVE BEEN CENTRED ON IMPROVING THE EXPERIENCE AND LEVELS OF ACHIEVEMENT OF STUDENTS AT St FRANCIS XAVIER COLLEGE IN A SAFE, HEALTHY ENVIRONMENT THAT EMBRACES THE CATHOLIC ETHOS and MISSION and VALUES OF THE COLLEGE, THE PREVENT DUTY AND PROMOTES EQUALITY, DIVERSITY, DIGNITY & INCLUSION?	
	18.	CHAIR'S CLOSING REMARKS:	
	19.	ANY OTHER BUSINESS	

Date of next meeting of the full Board of Governors: Thursday 8th December 2022 (tbc) in college

Focus Morning: Saturday 8th October 2022 in college

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