

Parent Promoters Foundation

Families and school working together to help local children succeed



Dear PPF supporter,

13th November 2016

We hope you will join us for a **celebratory end of term get-together** with The Elmgreen School Parents Council at the school on **Saturday 10th December from 10.30-12pm**. We'll update you on progress made on the Multi Academy Trust, reflect on the work over the year at the school's Parents Council and as The Elmgreen School's charitable foundation and will welcome any ideas you have for the year ahead. There'll be a short business meeting, our eleventh Annual General Meeting followed by a chance to do some "Blue Sky thinking" - meeting other local parents and carers to find new and creative ways to help support our children's education. Some of us will have children at Elmgreen, some will have children coming to Elmgreen and others will be local parents and carers – including – we hope lots of Rosendale parents who'd just like to find out a bit more! **(Also lovely cakes, tea + real coffee on sale!)**

We will be electing our new directors and the new team of PPF Foundation governors, to serve on Elmgreen's governing body. Their role is slightly different to the parent governors' role. The PPF Foundation governors are there to keep the school true to the vision of its founders - once memorably described as the "Guardians of the ethos."! In recognition of this role, the PPF Foundation governors work closely with the PPF Board of Directors and each new PPF Foundation governor therefore automatically joins the PPF Board of directors on appointment. (If you'd like to be more involved but are not yet ready to put yourself forward for the role of Governor you may wish to join the PPF Board of Directors only, which is a less demanding role and a good way of gaining experience.)

If you'd be interested in putting yourself forward as a PPF Foundation governor and/or director feel free to call/e-mail Kate Scrase, the Elmgreen Chair of Governors and a PPF director, for more information on 07976 356268 or katescraze99@gmail.com

No experience is necessary for either role. We particularly welcome interest from parents/carers of black or minority ethnic origin in order to help ensure that the PPF Foundation governors and directors truly reflect our local community.

If you do want to put yourself forward please return the Foundation governors/Directors nomination form to arrive by **5pm on Friday 2nd December 2016**.

We enclose the AGM notice and Directors/Foundation Governors nomination forms. If you wish to see a copy of the accounts, (including the report of the directors) or if you have any questions do please get in touch. We look forward to seeing you on the 10th!

The Joint PPF AGM/Parents Council Saturday 10th December 2016 10-12.30pm

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Info: 020 8678 9181 or 07976 356268 or email katescraze99@gmail.com

Please note: Only full members of the PPF are entitled to stand for election or vote at the AGM.

(If you are a non-member you might want to consider joining. -Membership is free and gives you the right to stand/vote in the elections). If you are a member who can not attend the AGM but would still like to vote on the resolutions, please request a proxy form

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