

David Godwin

Co-opted / Health and Safety Governor



I have been an acting Parent Governor / Associated Governor on the sites and buildings committee since the year 1999. Both my children have attended this school as start of their school life, and although have moved on now have always looked back with admiration and remember the fun they have had.

At present I am working as the Health and Safety co-ordinator for the school. Within this role and over the years, I have enjoyed being involved in the schools expansion and assisting with many changes within the schools day to day operation. I have witnessed and assisted with many staff changes over the years, some of which have been under very difficult periods but however very rewarding throughout.

As a Sites and Buildings Governor, we are involved in carrying out numerous repairs (including times of middle of the night), maintenance and new works within the school, I look back over the period and am extremely proud to see what all Staff, The Head Teacher, Children and Governors have achieved.

We also work with West Berkshire very closely, and since my role commenced I believe the Governing Committee at Burghfield St Mary's is the strongest I have witnessed.

Gumpff if needed:

As well as my time as a Governor, I am a Parish Councillor sitting on the Burghfield Infrastructure Committee and also act as a member of the BRA (Burghfield Residents Association) where my main role is Field Director of Burghfield May Fayre.