

HELP US TO HELP YOU

Dear Clerk to Governors

Norfolk Governors' Network is an independent non political organisation which represents school governors in Norfolk at both local and national levels acting as the effective voice of Norfolk governors. All schools are members of the Network (through an annual grant paid by the LEA) and it is run by volunteer governors elected at the Annual General Meeting. We are therefore independent of the LEA and should not be confused with the Governor Support Service which offers training, advice and support to governors. We do liaise closely with all parts of the LEA for the benefit of governors in Norfolk and for the continuous improvement of all governors' views from across the country with central government.

We are keen to establish good communications between ourselves and governors. Our aim is to help governors in their role in this ever changing world of education and to obtain their views of current issues or developments. We already contact you with our newsletter which is sent to all governors with 'Agenda'. We currently have over 150 governor contacts (out of Norfolk's 454 schools) and would like to be truly representative and bring together views from <u>all</u> Norfolk schools about a range of issues and consultations so we can represent those views at both local and national levels. Through our membership of the National Governors' Council we are asked to contribute to consultation documents often at quite short notice. No, we do <u>not</u> intend to bombard you with lots of paper. We would like to be able to contact a named member of your governing body from time to time with reference to particular issues. An email address would be particularly helpful. See below for details of how to get in touch with us.

Yours sincerely Juleggett

Judy Leggett Chair Norfolk Governors' Network

To Help: send us the name of a member of the governing body who we can contact. If using email, please send contact's name, email address and the name of your school to <u>clerk@ngn.org.uk</u>

otherwise return the following details to the clerk, Mrs C Simmons, at 4 Hunt Close, Old Catton, Norwich, NR6 7EZ

Name	
Address	
Tel No (optional)	
School	