

Website Information re: Governors

Enw Llywodraethwr <i>Name of Governor</i>	Cynrychioli <i>Representing</i>	
Mr Derek Hughes	LEA	My name is Derek Hughes I am a LEA Governor at Denbigh High School. I am currently employed in a part time capacity as a Student Support Officer and Accredited Learning Coach at Ysgol Brynhyfryd. I am originally from Ruthin but have lived in Denbigh for the past 44 years, I am married have two grown up children and four grandsons two of which currently attend Denbigh High School. I am a qualified football referee and by my wife's admission am a 'sports fanatic'. I am honoured to be a school governor and look forward in playing hopefully an active role in such a progressive school. My ambition is that my input (however small) and years of experience of working with young people both in the education system and as a Senior Youth Worker at Denbighshire Youth Service can make a difference to the lives of the students who attend Denbigh High School both currently and in the future.
Mrs. Lynne Porter	LEA	
Mr. Mark Young	LEA	
Mr. Gareth Royles	LEA	My name is Gareth Royles and I am married with three daughters. I grew up in Denbigh attending the Grammar School in its latter days before it became the High School. I have worked as a secondary school teacher for just on forty years teaching mainly science. I was a deputy head for many years ending my full time career as an acting head teacher. Currently I am working part time and have returned to classroom teaching. I am very happy to be working as part of the DHS team and look forward with optimism to the future.
Mrs. Ceri Robertson	Community	I retired from the role of Deputy Head at Ysgol Frongoch, Denbigh in July 2014 having spent approx. 35 years as a primary school teacher; 25 at Ysgol Frongoch. I also acted up as Head teacher during the Head teacher's periods of maternity leave. I now feel ready to give back to my local community where I have lived for most of my life. I have a particular interest in assisting pupils with additional learning needs (having been SENCO and Deputy Head previously) and pupil behaviour within schools. I have undertaken numerous HMI and Estyn inspections as class teacher, SENCO and as a member of the senior leadership team. I was also a Teacher Governor for a number of years at Ysgol Frongoch. I was often the primary contact for parents and I dealt with any issues or concerns both academic and pastoral. With my extensive experience and knowledge I feel that I would be an asset to the Governing Body of Denbigh High School where many of my past pupils attend or have attended. I take a genuine

		interest in pupils' and past pupils' development and achievements. Finally, I feel that I have the necessary understanding and appreciation of the difficulties faced by schools and would be valuable to the Governing Body of Denbigh High School.
Mr. Tim Redgrave	Community	
Vacancy	Community	
Mrs. Kate Sutherland	Community	I serve as a Community Governor for Denbigh High School. I am a Solicitor at Gamlins and am also a member of a number of sub-committees. I assist, advise and support my fellow Governors in ensuring the best interests of the pupils and school as a whole.
Mr. John Houghton	Community	My name is John Houghton and I am a community governor. As a former pupil at Denbigh High School I am pleased to be able to offer my support to a school which did so much for me in the past. I am honoured to be part of the governing body. Denbigh High School provides an excellent education for its students and I am proud to be part of the team.
Mrs. Debra Marie Houghton	Parent	My name is Debra Marie Houghton and I moved to Nantglyn, Denbigh 15 years ago. When my son started infant school I was asked to be a parent governor. From there my interest in education was fuelled and I strongly believe that every child should have the opportunity to access high quality education. I am also a member of Scrutiny that looks at various matters related to education which helps further my knowledge and understanding of the system. I have been a governor in different capacities for over 8 years, chair of governors, community governor, LEA governor and parent governor. I am very pleased to be part of Denbigh High School's governing body and will give it my full support and commitment.
Mr. Andy Jones	Parent	I am proud to serve as a parent governor at Ysgol Uwchradd Dinbych, having seen my eldest child achieve excellent results at GCSE and am very pleased with my youngest child's current progress. I believe very strongly in the transformative power of education for both individuals and communities and look forward to working with my fellow Governors to help continue the improvement in standards at the school.
vacancy	Parent	
Mrs. Alison Davies	Parent	
Mrs. Rebecca Chapman	Parent	Having one child in the school, and another due to start in 2016, I was extremely keen to get involved with Denbigh High School in a capacity where I hope to be able to make a difference. I have great memories of my time as a pupil of the school and feel passionately that ALL pupils should leave the school having achieved their greatest potential, and remembering DHS with the same fondness that I do. I am extremely proud to be part of the governing body of the school as a parent governor, and of my Denbigh heritage. I have spent many years networking in the local community, many parents may remember me from my days as a Cub scout leader in the local division, or making the tea at Henllan Football club! An Occupational Therapist by profession, I currently work for Denbighshire Social Services as a Senior practitioner where my role involves managing a team of Social Care staff. My additional duties within the context of governors, is as a committee member on the personnel committee, and link governor for support staff.
Dr. Lee Wisby	Parent	I am a consultant paediatrician at Glan Clwyd Hospital and have two boys at Denbigh High School and a daughter who is still at primary school. I became a parent governor in 2014 as I believe that we all share a responsibility to ensure that we deliver the highest possible standards of education for our children. I have a specific interest in postgraduate medical education and experience of overseeing the quality of medical educational programs across Wales. I have taken on link governor roles for children with additional learning needs and for safeguarding and looked-after children.

Mr. Leon Gierke	Teacher	
Miss Cass Boczek	Teacher	
Mrs. Fiona Todd	Staff	
Dr. Paul Evans	Headteacher	

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