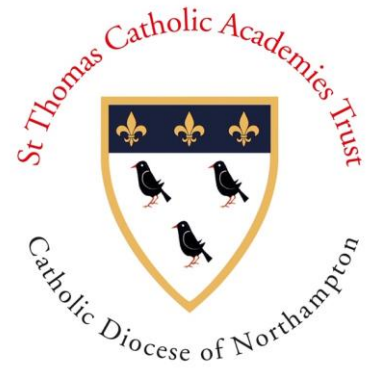






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Cardinal Newman Catholic School
Local Academy Committee
September 2022

Committee Member	About this committee member
 <p>Fiona Traynor-Bucknall Chair</p>	<p>Fiona Traynor-Bucknall became the Chair of the Local Academy Committee in March 2020. Prior to that she had been involved with the LAC for two years. Fiona is a Chartered Accountant and Chartered Tax Consultant by profession. In her professional life she has worked in the pharmaceutical industry prior to moving into management consultancy where she has worked across the globe and in many organisations driving change.</p> <p>Fiona joined the LAC as she wants to have a role in assisting children to reach their full potential. She feels this can be achieved by working closely with the school to help it to be the best it can be.</p> <p>Fiona is the link governor for Catholic Life, Pupil Premium, SEND, Teaching and Learning and Leadership and Management.</p>
 <p>Anthony Bewley Vice Chair</p>	<p>Anthony Bewley was asked to consider being a Foundation Governor for Cardinal Newman School by the Episcopal Vicar for Education in 2011 and is the Vice-Chair. He is married with two grown-up mixed-race children and is of Portuguese and English heritage. Anthony is committed to fostering the diversity in our schools and is enthusiastic about what Cardinal Newman is achieving and will achieve in the future.</p> <p>Anthony works for an international organisation for cultural relationships and educational opportunities. His experience in business analysis, process improvement and change management, allows him to add value in his role as governor.</p> <p>His interests include hiking, cooking, writing, reading, music, and film and he enjoys keeping fit through running and working out.</p> <p>Anthony is passionate about education and for every child to have access to opportunities helping them to become the best version of themselves. During his time as a governor he has worked hard to ensure these principles are a thread for all decision making.</p> <p>Anthony is the link governor for Health & Safety.</p>



Dee Drennan
Foundation Representative

Dee Drennan is the parent of a child at Cardinal Newman and an older child that has just graduated from University having been through CNS and N6.

Dee has been a Governor at Cardinal Newman for quite a few years and has enjoyed being able to give something back to the school community in this way.

Dee successfully worked with Jane Crow and Joe Richardson in the past and is very happy to work alongside Andrew Bull and his team fulfilling the school's vision and drive.

Dee is the School's named Safeguarding Governor and undertakes training and auditing to fulfil this role.



Noelette Hanley
Foundation Representative

Noelette Hanley is the Chief Officer of a local community charity and became a Governor at Cardinal Newman in September 2016. Noelette brings 14 years' experience of working with and for communities in Luton, overseeing the delivery of welfare, social, cultural and volunteering support to diverse and vulnerable groups such as Irish, Irish Traveller, people with learning disabilities and other communities.

Noelette finds the most rewarding aspect of this role is having the opportunity to contribute to the quality of education of the students, and therefore their opportunities, to reach their full potential.

Noelette is the link Governor for Staff Welfare and Student Behaviour and Welfare.



Jana Pavlovicova became a Foundation Governor at Cardinal Newman Catholic School in February 2022.

Jana has many years of experience working in HR. Currently she is a HR administrator at Secondary school in Luton. Prior to joining our Governing Body, Jana was a Parent Governor at Primary School for 4 year. Jana helps with Holy Communion classes as a catechist. Jana is keen to support the school to ensure that Catholic ethos is preserved and developed, that the school remains academically strong, with high educational standards and also to ensure that the school is a welcoming, safe and inclusive place for all students and that they feel fully supported along their learning journey at Cardinal Newman Catholic School.

Jana is the Deputy Link Governor for Career Education, Information and Guidance (CEIAG), Sixth Form, Staff Welfare and Student Behaviour and Welfare.



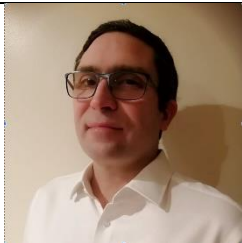
Amina Uddin
Parent Representative

Amina Uddin was appointed as Parent Representative in December 2020 and has a daughter who attends Cardinal Newman. Amina has three children and lives in Luton.

Amina has a Project Management background and currently works within Academic Operations at the University of Bedfordshire and has over fifteen years' experience working in the Education sector. Amina has recently obtained a Level 3 Certificate in Counselling Studies.

Amina has previously held the role of Chair of Governors within a primary school in Luton and is keen to use her skills to support the School as much as possible, ensuring that it continues to provide an inclusive, safe and supportive learning environment for all children.

Amina is the link governor for Careers Education, Information and Guidance (CEIAG) and Sixth Form.



Graham Upperton
Additional Representative

Graham Upperton is an Additional Representative on the Local Academy Committee, having completed four years as a Governor at Bramingham Primary School, from which he left as Vice-Chair.

Graham is married to a Polish national and has two sons, one of whom is a student at CNS the other an undergraduate at UCL.

Having worked in a commercial banking environment for more than thirty years, Graham is well equipped for the varied tasks and thinking that the Governing Body requires; ensuring fairness and equality for all being a core belief.

Graham's interests include military history, autobiographies and contemporary classical music.'

Graham is the link governor for On-Line Learning, IT and Website and Fundraising