



NEW BRECON PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Following the decision by Powys County Council to merge Mount Street Infants School, Mount Street Junior School and Cradoc C.P. School, the Council is now moving forward with the plans to establish a new primary school.

The aim of this newsletter is to keep you updated on any new developments. Further editions will be issued regularly up until the new school opens.

Update following Temporary Governing Body meeting

A further meeting of the temporary governing body was held on the 18th April 2023.

The following is an overview of the matters that were discussed:

Membership of the Temporary Governing Body

There are currently vacancies on the temporary governing body for 3 parent governors and a staff governor.

To fill the parent vacancies, it was agreed that nominations would be sought from all parents, or those with parental responsibility, of registered pupils at the three schools.

To fill the staff vacancy it was agreed that nominations would be sought from all members of support staff at the schools such as caterers and grounds maintenance staff working at the schools as well as school administrators and Teaching Assistants.

Pupil Referral Unit

In response to a query about whether or not the new building would include a replacement Pupil Referral Unit, it was confirmed that the plans to provide a new building no longer include a replacement Pupil Referral Unit.

Additional Learning Needs

A member of the Council's Additional Learning Needs team will be invited to a future meeting to discuss the specialist ALN provision as two of the schools currently host specialist centres.

Appointment of a Headteacher

Further discussion took place about the process of appointing a Headteacher.

The aim is to conclude the recruitment process by the end of this term at the latest, so that the prospective Headteacher can work with the Temporary Governing Body over the 12 months leading up to opening the new school.

Further detail regarding this process will be provided in a future edition of this newsletter.

Contacting the Temporary Governing Body

The temporary governing body would welcome any comments or suggestions from parents.

If you would like to contact the temporary governing body, you can do so using the following contact details:

- Chair – Jessica Williams – WilliamsJ2571@cradoc.powys.sch.uk
- Clerk – Beth Groves – beth.groves@powys.gov.uk