

## **Meeting of the Board**

**Venue:** via Microsoft TEAMS

**Date:** Wednesday 12 January 2022

<u>Time:</u> 4.00pm – 4.50pm

**Present:** George Clark (GCI) (in the Chair)

Sheila Alexander David W Bavaird Malcolm Grady Gary Hindmarch Martin Hottass Clive Johnson Mark Overton

Ian Pippin
Colin Seccombe
Wendy Starks
Donya Urwin
Andy Walton

Jacqueline Watson Andrew Watts (AW)

Susan Wear

Lindsey Whiterod (LWh)

<u>In Attendance:</u> Neil Longstaff (Director of Governance)

Jane Cuthbertson (Chief Operating Officer) Lorna Lister (Governor Support Officer)

ITEM NO.	ISSUES	ACTION	
1.	Apologies for absence		
	There were no apologies for absence.		
2.	Declarations of interests		
	The Chair reminded members to declare any conflicts of interest as they arose on the agenda.		
	There were standing declarations for links to Tyne Coast Academy Trust for the following: AW, MO, GC, MG, CS, SW and LWh.		
3.	Sale and Purchase Contract		
	Confidential item		
4.	Any other business		

	IT Issues NL informed the Board that due to the ongoing IT issues governors were experiencing when attempting to access papers, it had been agreed that each governor be issued with a College tablet, which was self-updating to alleviate any issues with access, logging in and connections. There was a tablet available for a governor to trial and it was noted that either MO/AW would be willing to test.	
5.	Identification of confidential items	
	Item 3 – Sale and Purchase Contract	
6.	Date and time of the next meeting	
	It was generally agreed that LWh or JC could request additional meetings with governors through the Chair, as and when required.	
	Date of next meeting: Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> April 2022 at 4.00pm	

Chair:	Date:	
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