

GOOD COUNSEL COLLEGE

Coláiste na Dea-Chomhairle

New Ross, Co. Wexford



An Augustinian School

October 2017

Nomination of Parent/Guardian Nominees to the Board of Management

Dear Parent / Guardian

I write to inform you that the term of the current Board of Management is coming to an end and take this opportunity to thank Carmel Cleere and Neil Sutton for their contribution to the Board and the school.

A new Board will be appointed on October 16th for a term of three years ending in October 2020. I have outlined the composition of the Board below. If you wish to put your name forward as a parent/guardian nominee please complete the Nomination Form below.

Board of Management:

The Board is composed of 8 persons and is appointed by the Augustinian Schools Trust. The Principal is Secretary to the Board.

Trustee Nominees:

Four members are nominated by the Augustinian Schools Trust one of whom they will appoint Chairperson.

Teacher Nominees:

Two teacher nominees are appointed to the Board by teaching staff in the College.

Parent Nominees:

Two parent/legal guardians of students currently enrolled in the College are nominated by the parent/legal guardians of students currently enrolled. Gender balance is encouraged. A parent/legal guardian whose son leaves the school within the three year term of the Board will have to leave the Board.

Please note nomination forms must be signed and returned to the school office by noon on Friday 6th October.

Kind regards,

Mark O'Brien

Principal, Secretary to Board of Management.

Nomination Form

Declaration

- I agree to go forward for nomination to the Board of Management.
- I understand that the Board of Management undertakes responsibility for the conduct, management and financial administration of the school, in accordance with the ethos of the Augustinian Schools Trust and under their general supervision and control.
- I understand that the Board of Management has statutory duties under legislation.
- I understand that the Board of Management has a duty to ensure that the College is managed in accordance with the rules and regulations set out by the Department of Education and Skills.
- I understand that the Board of Management functions collectively and that any decisions are the collective responsibility of the Board of Management.

Name BLOCK CAPITALS: _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian

My son is currently enrolled in the College: (youngest son if a number of sons are enrolled)

Name: _____ Class: _____

Notes

1. Nomination forms must be signed and returned to the school office by noon on Friday 6th October.
2. In the event of only TWO names being received only these parent's names will go forward to the Augustinian Schools Trust for appointment.
3. If more than TWO nominations are received and election will be held. The names of the nominated parents will be placed on a ballot paper and parents/guardians will indicate their choice based on a single non-transferrable vote.
4. Parents/Guardians will receive Ballot Papers on October 6th if an election is required.