



12 March 2014

Dear Parents

I am delighted to be able to announce that, following interviews held just before Half Term, Lonsdale will have a new Headteacher starting on 1st September 2014.

Her name is Mrs Annemari Ottridge and she is at present Principle at MacIntyre Wingrave School in Tring. She is very experienced in Special School Education and also Residential provision. The Governors are confident she will be able to run the school efficiently and maintain our ethos while optimising all the opportunities available to our pupils and providing them with the best schooling and preparation for life after school that we can achieve.

She will be present in school intermittently over the next few months and I am sure will make the effort to meet as many of you as possible.

In the meantime the school will continue to be run by the steady hands of Dave Biggerstaff to whom we are very grateful for all his care and hard work.

With best wishes
Helen Hanbury
Chair of Governors