

## St Katherine's School Governors



### **Mike Amos**

Mike is a local farmer and businessman who has worked in education as a teacher, FE and University Lecturer. He is a former board member of the Learning and Skills Council and the National Curriculum Council where he wrote the original science national curriculum. He is also a former examiner and assessor for two of the main examination boards. Mike is a member of the Local Enterprise Rural Strategic Economy Committee specialising in skills development. He has been a St Katherine's governor for 17 years and is our link governor for Health and Safety.



### **Helen Argo – Vice Chair**

Helen has worked in animation production for over 16 years and is an Executive Producer at Aardman Animations. She lives in Pill with her family and since joining the governing body at St Katherine's in 2014 continues to enjoy the challenges of understanding and contributing to school governance.



### **Jan Burnell**

Jan works in the financial services industry. She joined the governing body in January 2014 and hopes that the knowledge and experience she has gained from having two children at St Katherine's can be put to good use in building on the schools continuing improvement for all its pupils.



### **Glen Davies**

Glen is a qualified bank manager with experience of finance, project /change management and risk. Glen is a father of two children, who attend schools in Portishead, and joined the governors in October 2014. He is our link governor for Safeguarding and Pupil Premium.



### **William Harding – Chair**

A former Trustee of a Multi-Academy Trust (MAT), William currently serves as a member of North Somerset Strategic School Forum and the Cathedral School Trust Finance & Resources Committee. Until his recent retirement he held responsibility for the strategic and operational HR work of a large Unitary Authority. William is a political science graduate with a post-doctorate diploma in management and has held a number of different roles in people management. He is also a chartered member of the Institute of Personnel and Development. He has a remarkable 30 years of service as a governor much of which has been at St Katherine's School where his two children studied.



### **Rebecca Sage**

Dr Becky Sage has been working in science education and enterprise for 15 years and has been the CEO of Interactive Scientific since 2015. She is a winner of the Innovate UK Women in Innovation award and in 2019 was named a Maserati 100 Innovator by the Sunday Times. She is passionate about bringing together school education with skills and knowledge required in the 21<sup>st</sup> century workplace. She is excited about taking on the role of governor at St Katherine's so that she can combine her experience and innovative approaches with the energy and knowledge of the rest of the leadership team to give all students an opportunity to thrive. When she isn't working she spends time doing gymnastics, becoming the Adult Intermediate Champion in 2017, 2018 and 2019. She has lived in Bristol most of her life and was born in Pill.

*Learning together, succeeding together, inspiring excellence*



**Justin Humphreys - Headteacher**

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