## Stewarton Academy Parent Council



## A message to the Stewarton Academy August 2020 S1 parents and carers

Dear Parent / Carer / Guardian,

On behalf of the Stewarton Academy Parent Council Parent Council I'd like to welcome you to Stewarton Academy. Parental Representation and Parental Engagement are at the core of everything that happens through the Parent Council and we work hand in hand with Mr Miller and all of his team to achieve this.

All parents/carers of a child at the school are members of the wider parent body known as the Parent Forum. In order to carry out its work the Parent Council request volunteer members from all year groups. This is open to all parents/carers with appointments normally made at the AGM in June or a subsequent general meeting.

Information is provided as part of the transition process from Primary School for the incoming S1 cohort. Due to the unusual circumstances this year the 'meet and greet' at the transition night hasn't been possible. However, the invitation to join the Parent Council applies and if you would like to become a member then please forward your name. All my contact details are below. If you have a contact already on the Parent Council then feel free to pass your details on through them as well. I can also send you further details on anything Parent Council related if you need more information.

The Parent Council utilises the School App for notifications and also maintains an email database for all parents/carers to keep you informed of its activities. If you would like to receive updates, then let us have your address. We will blind copy when distributing information, will only be sent by the Parent Council Chair and will not be passed to any other organisation.

All Parent Council meetings are open to all to attend, engage and discuss any aspect of Parental Involvement. Meeting dates will be arranged at AGM and notices posted on the App prior to the meeting date.

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