

## **Kettlewell School Governors**

Hello,

I am Malcolm Grant, the new chair of Kettlewell School Governing body, which has appointed 6 new members since September. Our intentions are to keep you informed of progress in securing the long-term future of the school and provide a conduit for your input and support.

We have much to celebrate in our 'outstanding' school. Three children joined the school this term: please join us in welcoming them and their families to life update.

On 23<sup>rd</sup> February some very young future pupils joined us for a taster morning, and Mrs Cherry cooked one of her famous lunches for some older residents who are ex-pupils.

The school is excited to be working closely with the Upper Wharfedale Sustainability Group and the Fast Broadband project, to open up more opportunities for the children in our community as well as attracting potential businesses, and bringing more families to Upper Wharfedale and Littondale. The Fast Broadband project has been approved and work will commence shortly to install the infrastructure required.

The Governors have invited the primary schools in the area and Upper Wharfedale School, to meet with us to discuss how we can work together even better, to enhance the education of our children, save duplication and costs.

Finally, in preparing for the Queen's Diamond Jubilee celebrations, we are keen to find out where ex-pupils from over the last 60 years are nowadays, so if you have any information, please contact the school.

Thank you.