25 November 2019

Dear Parents and Carers

Consultation for the federation of the governing boards of Neatishead and Salhouse CE VC Primary School Federation and Fleggburgh CE VC Primary School

We wrote to you in September to seek your views on the proposal to enlarge the federation of Neatishead and Salhouse schools to include Fleggburgh school.

The consultation closed on 28 October and the response was overwhelmingly in favour of the proposal – we received 39 responses, of which 33 were in favour and 6 against. The responses from each individual school were also in favour.

The governing boards have met to consider the response, and we are pleased to say that we decided to confirm the proposal. This means that the existing successful partnership between the three schools will be made permanent when Fleggburgh joins the federation on 1 April next year. The enlarged federation will have a single new governing board, with representation drawn from all three schools.

We would stress that each school will continue to maintain their individual identities, as they have done under the existing partnership arrangements. The Federation logo and colours will be retained and adapted to include the Fleggburgh dragon, but there will be no need to change your child's existing uniform.

We look forward to the three schools going from strength to strength within the enlarged federation.

Yours faithfully

Richard Barker Chair of Governors

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Neatishead and Salhouse CofE Federation

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