

# The British School - Muscat

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To: All Parents

27<sup>th</sup> September 2008

Dear Parents,

As you may be aware an email was sent out last week on 16th September 2008 seeking candidates for a Parent Governor vacancy on the Board of Governors. By the closing date of 21st September we had received one submission, which fulfilled the set criteria. In accordance with the published procedures there is no requirement to hold an election and Mr Nick Smith, CEO of The Wave, is welcomed by the Board of Governors as the additional Parent Governor for the 2008 - 2009 academic year.

Nick Smith

Parent Representative  
to the Board of Governors

Preamble

I am 51 years old, married to Charlotte, and father of Georgie in Year 11. We also have two "grown up" children in the UK.

I came to Muscat in February 2006 and am CEO of The Wave.

Reasons for my Nomination

I am very keen as a parent governor to share my expertise with BSM. Through my work at The Wave I have come into contact with many parents and indeed some of the children of the school and believe I have a good initial understanding of their aims and objectives, which I can help to implement quickly and effectively.

I am a great believer in teamwork and, as part of a young and dynamic business here in Muscat, I know I can help to enhance the team spirit which is already much in evidence at the School. We are starting to build a new community at The Wave, and with some BSM parents due to move in over the next few months, a link in the newest part of Muscat will also benefit the School.

I am also familiar with the needs and requirements of longer term planning and would like to contribute to this aspect of the future of our school.

I believe that education is about the exposure of all children to as many facets of life as possible in order for them to grow both individually, and as part of society. This combination produces the diversity of skills needed for them to succeed in modern day life.

I am sure I can successfully combine my commitments at the office with those for the School and will undertake my responsibilities effectively.

Sincerely

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Bursar  
British School Muscat

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