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Dear Parents and Carers,

On behalf of the Governing Board, I would like to inform you that Michael Cohen has now left his role as Head Teacher at Birklands Primary School.

Following a rigorous recruitment and selection process, I am delighted to confirm that Amy Watson has been appointed as the permanent Head Teacher of Birklands Primary School.

Amy has demonstrated exceptional commitment, leadership and dedication to our school community, and the Governors are confident that she will continue to lead the school successfully into its next chapter.

In addition, Jo Fox has also undertaken a formal recruitment process and has been appointed permanently as Deputy Head Teacher. Jo's experience, professionalism and support for both pupils and staff have been invaluable, and we are pleased to confirm her appointment.

The Governing Board is excited to continue working with Amy, Jo and the wider staff team to ensure the very best outcomes for all children at Birklands Primary School.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Mr A Street  
Chair of Governors  
Birklands Primary School

