

CRAMLINGTON LEARNING VILLAGE 2024-25

ANNUAL DECLARATION OF ANY CONFLICTS OF INTEREST GOVERNING BODY AND SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM (Updated July 2025)

NAME	DECLARATION
Leigh Breach Parent Governor	HR Director and co-owner of NECS UK Ltd. NECS UK Ltd provides clearing services to schools and other sectors but not at CLV. Companies House number 05966798.
Tracy Buck Appointed Governor	No conflicts of interests declared. Resigned January 2025
Peter Clayton Appointed Governor	1) I hold directorship in the following companies apart from being a Director of CLV: a. CEBA UK Controlled Environments Building Association - Past Chairman now Honorary President (non-participative) b. Cramlington Development Trust - Director 2) CLV Governor and Director 8) Cramlington Development Trust receives information from both NCC and CTC which is confidential, particularly in regard to planning and development matters and may be of a sensitive nature. All of the above directorships have been in place for a minimum of 10/20 years plus to date.
Carol Davenport Vice Chair Appointed Governor	1) CLV is a partner school to my group, NUSTEM, at Northumbria University, and also has other relationships with Northumbria University regarding student progression to university. 2) I am Chair of the Steering Board of the Great North Maths Hub
Phyl Gordon Appointed Governor - Resigned 28 August 2025	No conflicts of interest declared.

Ian Hall Appointed Governor Member	I am a Director of Cramlington Development Trust and have been for the last 7 years since 2017. It is a not for profit organisation. I have no financial interest in the company.
Brenda Hayton	No conflicts of interest declared.
Leah Heatley Member	3 and 4) I am a partner (salaried, not member) and solicitor at Muckle LLP which provides legal services to CLV. 8) As a solicitor at Muckle there is the potential for me/the firm to have access to confidential information belonging to a third party which I could not disclose. However, the firm has policies in place to ensure that any conflicts of interests are properly dealt with and so this scenario is unlikely to arise in practice. (wef 28 July 2025 Leah will be a fixed share partner with Weightmans - new email contact address).
Nick Hurn Member - resigned 31/8/2025	3) I am Chairman of the Following organisations: Founder Member and Chairman of the Educational Mutual (schools mutual for staff sickness and absence cover) July 3rd 2018 onwards. (unpaid). Founder Member of Schools Mutual Services (Teacher Supply and Recruitment Mutual) formed in July 2020 and started trading September 2020 onwards. (unpaid) Founder Member and Board and Chairman of Education Commercial Services (A procurement service for schools) formed and started trading from January 2021. (unpaid) Chairman of Constellia procurement panel from September 2023. (unpaid).
Clive Johnson Member	9) I am a Governor at Tyne Coast College. Member of Tyne Met MAT.
Clare Susan Scott Co-opted Governor	Headteacher at Northburn Primary School which is a feeder school. (Added January 2025)
Kirsty Swann Parent Governor	No conflicts of interest declared.
Christopher	1) Son attends CLV.

Swift-Hunter Parent Governor	No further conflicts of interest declared.
Ivan Wintringham Chair Co-opted Governor	5) I work for the Department of Education. 10) My wife is Principal Education Welfare Officer (EWO) for Northumberland and line manages Dawn Westerby, the lead EWO for CLV.
David Bell Deputy Head	No conflicts of interest declared.
Jonathan Bird Cohead	No conflicts of interest declared.
Ken Brechin Deputy Head	9) Spouse works at CLV.
Damian Clark Deputy Head	9) Spouse works at CLV.
Kim Irving Cohead	Pupil Referral Unit Management Committee from October 2023 English for All - Volunteer Service/charity - delivering lessons for Asylum Seekers and Refugees used by Newcastle Virtual School.
Louisa Doyle Director of Finance and Operations	No conflicts of interest declared.