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## **HEAD TEACHER RECRUITMENT UPDATE**

Dear Parents,

In early September we carried out an assessment of potential Head Teacher candidates. The governors on the recruitment panel felt that, unfortunately, none of the candidates met the level we require for our new Head Teacher, and therefore we did not make an appointment.

We will now be considering our options for the future leadership of the school and we will contact you again about this in due course.

In the short-term, we are delighted to have agreed an extension to our current Executive Head arrangement with Curbar Primary School. This will see Simon Beahan continue in his current role until the end of the 2020/21 academic year, with Jo Brocklehurst continuing as acting Assistant Head.

If you have questions or concerns regarding the above, please feel free to contact any of the governors either in person or through the school office.

Yours faithfully,

The Governing Board of Longstone CE (VA) Primary School

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