**Introducing Governor: Siân Price**

**Governors Special Responsibilities:**

I have been a Parent Governor at Ysgol Gymraeg Ifor Hael since September 2018. With one son attending Ifor Hael in Year 1 and a young baby will come to the school in due course I’m passionate about Welsh language education and the benefits of bilingualism. I still regret that I did not have the opportunity to learn Welsh when I was in school. My partner is a Welsh speaker and I’m a learner but we both use as much Welsh as possible in the home.

As Creative Director of an independent television company I have an incredibly varied, creative and enjoyable job. I rarely get out in the field these days as I executive produce our output and run a team coming up with, developing and pitching ideas. My career has seen me in charge of landmark series including Coast, Time Team and The People Remember. Prior to that I spent several years producing and directing documentaries for the BBC and Channel 4 on subjects as varied as Stonehenge, military bands, historic boats and the slate industry. I also ran a multi-award-winning radio production company which produced an eclectic mix of features for Radio 3, Radio 4 and The World Service. Before children, I even had time to squeeze in writing a book all about the history of soldier’s farewell letters.

When I’m not working, I’m spending time with family, taking the children to various activities, helping in the garden, and trying to go out for regular runs. I recently ran the Cardiff Half marathon and am keen to keep the running going!

Being a parent governor is an important role. I want to support the school, the parents and maintain the excellent standards of Ifor Hael going forward.