

# RHENISH GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL

*The Oldest Girls' School in South Africa*

**Principal: Ms E H Slabber**

1 March 2021

Dear Parents/Guardians

## **GOVERNING BODY NOMINATION AND ELECTRONIC ELECTIONS – 26 March 2021**

This letter to all parents is to inform you of the Governing Body Election which will take place electronically, on **Friday 26 March 2021**. We need to elect 7 parent members to serve on the School Governing Body (SGB). The term of office for parent members of the SGB is 3 years.

All parents received the notice today (1 March 2021) in connection with the above meeting.

Any parent who wishes to stand for election is asked to request a nomination form from Mrs Le Riche (Debra.leriche@rhenish.co.za) during school hours between 08H00 and 14H20 on weekdays. Mrs Le Riche will forward the nomination form to you. The completed form must be seconded and returned via email to the school before the end of school on Thursday **11 March 2021**. All information pertaining to the nominated candidates, with a short CV, will be available from **Monday 22 March 2021** on the school's website as well as at Mrs Le Riche's office. Voting will be done online.

By law we require a quorum of 10% of all parents to vote online or the election cannot be completed on 26 March 2021. We have been given permission by the WCED to do a one-day electronic election from 07:00 until 19:00. This is being done with their help using *VotingCrowd*. We need all our parents to vote via the *VotingCrowd* app between 07h00 and 19h00 to receive a quorum on 26 March 2021. This equates to approximately **132** parents. If on the 26 March 2021 we do not have the required 10% quorum voting via the electronic app, another meeting will be scheduled at a later stage where no quorum will be required and whoever votes electronically on that occasion will determine the members of the Governing Body for the three years.

Please make every effort to support the school on 26 March 2021. The Governing Body forms a vital partnership with the school in ensuring the continued high standards of educating young women – your daughters. We will start the electronic voting punctually at 07h00 and conclude at 19:00 on 26 March 2021.

Please make every effort to nominate a suitable parent before 11 March 2021 and to vote on 26 March 2021.

Yours sincerely



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