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## Liz Tyler-Bell – Chair of Trustees CSAT

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Dear Parent/Carer,

### **An update about Cheney Head of School**

I am sorry to have to announce that Rupert Moreton, Head of Cheney School, will be leaving CSAT at the end of the summer term to take up a new role as Head of Malmesbury School. While we are all delighted for Rupert, we are also of course very sorry to lose him from Cheney, where he has made such a positive impact on pupils, staff and the wider community in the time he has been here.

There will be plenty of time to say good bye, wish Rupert well and thank him for all the work he has done for the school and trust, but in the meantime I wanted to let you know that the Trustees, along with the Cheney governing body, have taken the opportunity to review the leadership of the school and trust. This means that from September 2020 CSAT will no longer have a CEO and separate head of Cheney. Instead, we will be recruiting for an Executive Head to lead Cheney School and be accountable for the oversight of the Trust, and the primary schools and central team within it. This is in line with the structure many other trusts of a similar size have.

We will be recruiting for this role over the next weeks, and will be including both Trustees and members of the Cheney Governing Body in this process. I will let you know the outcome as soon as is possible.

Kind Regards

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