**Directors needed for Our Catholic Multi Academy Trusts**

**Catholic Multi Academy Trust Directors Recruitment Events**

As you may know schools in the Archdiocese have been invited to consider if they wish to become an academy and join with other schools to form a family of schools as multi academy trusts. A number of schools have indicated they do wish to consider this and now in three areas we are moving ahead to form Catholic Multi Academy Trusts (CMATs). The first three CMATS will serve the following areas;

Halton and Warrington

West Lancashire

St Helens

Each CMAT is overseen by a group of Directors who support the CEO and central team, set budgets, and take the legal responsibility for the  academies in each trust. We need Directors with experience of education, finance, business, HR, legal, procurement and many other skills. Please consider if you would be able to undertake this special responsibility for  Catholic Education. We are running director information and recruitment events at the following venues;

* 09/11/23 at 6pm at St John Fisher Parish Hall, Widnes (WA8 3JA)
* 11/11/23 at 9:30am at Warrington (venue to be confirmed shortly)
* 14/11/23 at 6pm at St Helens (venue to be confirmed shortly)
* 16/11/23 at 10am at St Helens (venue to be confirmed shortly)
* 22/11/23 at 2pm at St Anne’s Parish Centre, Ormskirk (L39 4TG)
* 22/11/23 at 6pm at Skelmersdale (venue to be confirmed shortly)

﻿We would encourage anyone interested to come and find out about the role and what is involved. You are welcome to come to your local event or indeed any of them.

If you do not live in these areas but might be interested in finding out more when a CMAT starts in your community, you may wish to attend too.

For further information regarding the venues, please contact Hannah Blabey on [h.blabey@rcaol.org.uk](mailto:h.blabey@rcaol.org.uk) or 0151 522 1071