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Dear Parent / Carer,

I am writing to seek your views on behalf of the governing body on two potential changes.

As with all schools in the local authority area, The Maelor School has had to manage a reduction in real terms funding over the last few years; although the amounts we have both received from the council and in grants have increased however they have not kept pace with inflation or core costs.

The governing body has to prioritise spending over the next few years. The safety and welfare of our pupils, and the quality of their education, remain our priority. As governors we would much rather be in a position to not make any cuts but the school must operate within its means.

Together with the senior leadership of the school we have identified a number of cost savings that will not impact on the excellent learning outcomes that our pupils receive; however two of these proposals impact on our wider community and this is why we seek your views, The proposals are:-

1. To reduce the out of school time use of the Maelor School premises e.g. for local sporting clubs.
2. To close the school swimming pool.

Together, these proposals will save the school £30,000-£40,000 per year.

We would appreciate feedback on these proposals by completing a short online questionnaire, <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/YQQG5TN> or by writing to the clerk to the governing body at the above address. Please complete this by Friday 6th July.

Yours sincerely

Simon Ellis, Headteacher

pp. The Maelor School Board of Governors.



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