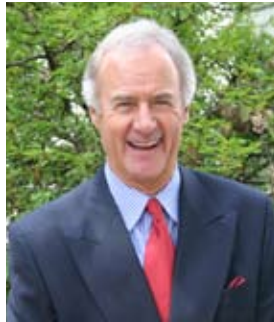




St Andrew's School for Girls Heritage Foundation - Board of Governors 2009

Lindsay Robertson chairs the Board. His association with St Andrew's goes back 25 years when the first of his three daughters started in Grade 0. He subsequently served as Chairman of both the Parents' Association and the School Board. A Wits Mechanical Engineering graduate and with an MBA from UCT, he has almost 40 years of business experience. He has served as Chairman or CEO of a number of leading industrial companies and is a founding partner of FRM Strategies, a turn-around company formed 10 years ago to assist shareholders in under performing companies.



years, rising from Senior Science teacher to heading up Post-matric. She gained valuable management experience as a member of that school's Executive Committee and Operations Committee. Her goal is to provide an environment in which pupils develop true self-esteem and leadership skills.



David Lowry qualified as a CA in 1969. He did his articles with Price Waterhouse, his job taking him to both London and Harare. He joined Stewart & Lloyds in 1978, holding the position of Financial Manager. From there he went to Calan Ltd as Group Financial Controller.



In 1982 he moved to Group Five Ltd as Director and Financial Controller. From 1986 to 2005 he was with Tasa International Ltd, latterly as managing partner. Since then he has exchanged corporate life for the life of a cattle and game rancher in Vrede in the Free State. He has had a long association with St Andrew's and is currently Chairman of the School Board.



Cathy Fry, headmistress of the St Andrew's Junior School, has a BEd from London University, an MPhil from Stellenbosch and a diploma in remedial education. Originally from Zimbabwe, she taught at St Peter's, Redhill, St Katherine's and was Junior School Headmistress at

St Mary's before coming to St Andrew's. She believes strongly in a values-driven and skills-based curriculum.

Brian Goodall has had two parallel careers, in politics and in business. His political career as an MP began in 1979. In 1994 he was elected to the Provincial Parliament of Gauteng, retiring recently as caucus leader of the DA in Gauteng. He holds the degrees of BAHons and MA, as well as numerous qualifications in the field of financial management. His business career began with the Standard Bank. After attaining the position of Assistant Economist, he joined ESE Financial Services as Economics and Statistics Manager. For a time he ran his own economics and financial consultancy company, then joined Syfrets Trust. In 1985 he started his own investment consultancy company, Investment Management Services cc. He has also contributed to various publications, particularly in the area of investment and tax.



Nicola Nolan (Meyer) was head girl of St Andrew's in 1994. The following year she spent in Tasmania as a Rotary Exchange student. She studied for an LLB and a postgraduate LLB at Stellenbosch University. She completed her articles at a Johannesburg law firm and was admitted as an attorney in 2003. She currently practices as an attorney at Edward Nathan Sonnenbergs in the Insolvency, Business Rescue and Debt Recovery unit.

Nkikia Moshesh is a StAndrews Old Girl and matriculated in 1989. After high school, she spent a year in Australia as a Rotary Exchange Student. Nkikia read law at UCT and was admitted as an attorney in 1999. She was a recipient of the Mandela Fund Scholarship and in 2005 completed a Masters in Law at Leiden University in the Netherlands. She's currently a partner at Webber Wentzel Bowers and specialises in mergers and acquisitions.



Pauline Jackson is the Executive Headmistress of St Andrew's. After graduating with a BScHons degree and HDE, she began her career as a physical science teacher at Alexander Boys' High in Pietermaritzburg. Moving to Johannesburg, she taught at St Stithian's College for 15

Allister Rogan has a very long association with the School dating back some 50 years, initially as its auditor and then as a parent. He has served as Chairman of both the Parents' Association and the Board. He is currently chairman of the Trust. He is also a trustee of the Bridge House School Educational Foundation. He brings to these positions more than 40 years of business experience. Qualifying as a Chartered Accountant in 1964, he rejoined Aiken & Carter (now KPMG) after an overseas stint. In 1985 he was appointed as Financial Director to Graham Beck, a position he still holds.



Frank Simmonds is a committed educationalist, having been involved in education since 1960. He started his teaching career at St John's and then became headmaster of St Andrew's in 1973. After his retirement in 1994, he joined ISASA as Deputy Director. Today, apart from his continued support of St Andrew's, he is Director of the Alexandra Education Committee, an NPO which provides over 150 bursaries for children from Alexandra to attend high schools with sound academic standards.



Ex officio members

Beverley Smith (Schaafsma) is the Foundation's Executive Director and is thus a member of the Board *ex officio*. The immediate past chairlady of the St Andrew's Old Girls Association, she obtained a BPrimEd degree from the University of the Witwatersrand and is an experienced Junior Primary teacher. Her on-going commitment to her *alma mater* has included serving a six-year term on the St Andrew's Board of Trustees.



Helenor Whitecross is the School's Business Manager. She obtained her CA qualification in 1984 and went on to become a partner with Price Waterhouse. She subsequently was one of the founding partners of Neale Whitecross Inc. Retiring from the public practice, two years later she was lured to St Andrew's. While her daughter was a pupil at the School, she held several voluntary positions, including that of Treasurer to the Parents' Association.

