



Registered Charity No. 1107795

Equal Rights for Men and Women

Patrons:

Sir Peter Bottomley MP

Mr Mark Brooks OBE

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PARITY AGM 2020 AND PANDEMIC

IMPORTANT NOTE

If you intend to **attend in person at UJC**, you **must advise this to Hon. Secretary by 17 October 2020** giving your name, telephone number and address, including post code.

If you wish to **join the meeting via Video Conference**, you **must advise this to Hon. Secretary by 17 October 2020** giving your name, telephone number and address, including post code.

If you wish to **invite non-PARITY members** to the AGM Open Session, this will only be via Video Conference and you must advise this to Hon. Secretary by 17 October 2020 giving your name, telephone number and address, including post code and guest name(s) and email address(es).

Contact details: (secretary@parity-uk.org) or mail (39 Cotton Road, Potters Bar. EN6 5JT)

Notice is hereby given of the **33rd Annual General Meeting** of **PARITY** to be held on **Saturday 31st October 2020** at the **Union Jack Club** (in the Disney Room) **Sandell Street, London, SE1 8UJ** commencing at **13:00 hrs**

PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS

Saturday 31st October 2020

12 noon DOORS OPEN – Buffet Lunch & Refreshments

13:00 hrs ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

14:00 hrs – 14:45 hrs OPEN MEETING

Talk by David Wright

NO-MAN'S LAND – THE UK EARLY EDUCATION SECTOR: A RIGHTS ISSUE FOR MEN AND CHILDREN?

Union Jack Club

Disney Room, Sandell Street, London SE1 8UJ

AGENDA FOR THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

- 1 Apologies for absence
- 2 Minutes of the previous AGM
- 3 Matters arising
- 4 Chair's Report
- 5 Honorary Secretary's Report
- 6 Hon. Treasurer's Report and Accounts for 2019
- 7 Election of Honorary Officers
- 8 Election of other Trustees
- 9 Appointment of Auditor
- 10 Resolutions (of which due notice shall have been given)
- 11 Any Other Business

NOTES TO AGENDA ITEMS

2. A copy of the Minutes of the Thirty Second Annual General Meeting of PARITY held on the 8th June 2019 was published in the **September 2019** News Briefing and may be obtainable from the Hon Secretary.

6. The Income and Expenditure Account and Balance Sheet for the year ending 31st December 2019 is given on page 9.

7. The following Officers are willing to serve again as subject to the agreement of Members in ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING under Clause 4 of the Constitution (as amended), and his nomination is hereby proposed, showing the date first elected:

Chair	Rex Bourne	2019
Hon. Secretary	Chandra Vaghela	2016
Hon. Treasurer	Keith Richardson	2017

Any other nominations must be proposed and seconded and have the consent of the nominee. Nominations must be submitted to the Hon. Secretary by **10th October 2020.**

8. Regarding the Trustees, Ian Levy resigned as a Trustee in June after a great number of years of service and PARITY is thankful to him for his service and support and wished him well.

We are thankful to Rick Bradford, whose resignation notice was accepted with regret as his invaluable service and wisdom will be sorely missed. In addition, Tony Upton and Phill Turner decided to resign and we are thankful for their contribution to PARITY.

John Mays as Ex-Officio Trustee, Andy Charalambous and David Hyatt are willing to continue to serve as Trustees.

Ketan Shah continues to provide valuable IT services, for which we are immensely thankful.

There remain **multiple** vacancies. Any member who is willing to serve as a Trustee or knows someone with the experience in Education or IT or Editorial of Newsletters fields is invited to seek nomination and stand for election. All nominations must be proposed and seconded and have the consent of the nominee. Forms must be submitted to the Hon. Secretary by **10th October 2020.**

10. Any general resolutions should be submitted to the Hon. Secretary also by **10th October 2020.**