

Cllr Pat McFall

Blackburn with Darwen Borough Councillor, Assistant Executive Member for Children's Services, Chair Corporate Parenting Specialist Advisory Group, Vice Chair Management Board, Safeguarding Governor.

I have been a borough councillor since 2000, and serve the Little Harwood Ward.

I have four children all of whom attended Our Lady and St John Catholic High School, St Mary's College and eventually graduated from University.

I have worked in Children's Services since 2006, serving on the Fostering Panel for seven years and overseeing the development of Blackburn's Children's Centres, being Chair of the management board in Little Harwood.

My role as Chair of the Corporate Parenting Specialist Advisory Group gives me the authority to watch over the care of our looked after children

My new post in Children's Services is looking after Disabled Children and the service provided for them by the Council.

I have been a friend of St Thomas's for a number of years before joining the Management Board and then becoming one of the vice chairs.

My hobbies, (when I have time) are reading, avidly, and singing and my numerous grandchildren and great grand children