

The Olive Tree Trust

Governance Structure



Abdul Patel

Member
Sep 2013 - Present

Mubarak Sardar

Trustee (Chair)
Apr 2023 - Present

Nasima Valli

Trustee
Apr 2023 - Present

Hanif Patel

Member
Sep 2013 - Present

Imran Bhikha

Trustee (Vice Chair)
Sep 2021 - Present

Esra Khan

Trustee
Jul 2024 - Present

Barbara Daykin

Member
Jul 2020 - Present

David Mole

Trustee
Jul 2020 - Present

Javid Malek

Trustee
Jul 2024 - Present

Abdul Chohan

Member
May 2025 - Present

Tasneem Patel

Trustee
Sep 2021 - Present

Qamar Riaz

Trustee
May 2025 - Present

Resigned

Abdul Chohan

Trustee
Sep 2021 - May 2025

Maryam Chauhan

Trustee
Dec 2022 - July 2025

The Olive Tree Trust

Standards, Safeguarding and Inclusion Sub-Committee



Imran Bhikha

Trustee
Sep 2021 - Present

Tasneem Patel

Trustee
Sep 2021 - Present

Nasima Valli

Trustee
Apr 2023 - Present

Qamar Riaz

Trustee
May 2025 - Present

Resigned

Maryam Chauhan

Trustee
Dec 2022 - Jul 2025

Abdul Chohan

Trustee
Jul 2013 - May 2025

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Finance, HR, and Buildings and Sub-Committee



David Mole

Trustee (Chair)
Jul 2020 - Present

Tasneem Patel

Trustee
Sep 2021 - Present

Mubarak Sardar

Trustee
Apr 2023 - Present

Esra Khan

Trustee
Jul 2024 - Present

Javed Malek

Trustee
Jul 2024 - Present

Resigned

The Olive Tree Trust

Senior Leadership Team



Principal / Accounting
Officer

Zainab Patel
Sep 2025 - Present

Business Manager / CFO

Abdul-Rashid Musa
Aug 2013 - Present

Assistant Principal

Henry Neville
Sep 2022- Present

Associate Assistant
Principal / Designated
Safeguarding Lead

Richard Coley
Sep 2024 - Present

Resigned

Principal / Accounting
Officer

Haroon Asghar
Sep 2024 - Apr 2025