# **School Board Voting 2020**



We are very fortunate to have three parents who have put their hand up to join the school board, for one of two vacant positions and we strongly encourage you all to vote. Each parent or carer with current students attending our school is eligible to vote ONCE in the School Board Election for a parent representative.

Below is the information on each nominee. Your vote will be conducted electronically. The link to vote will be emailed out to all family representatives with a unique code.

While we hope that this electronic voting method enables each registered parent or carer the means to vote, it is important to state that there are other options. If you experience any problems with the election process online, or wish to vote via paper, please contact the principal and a ballot paper copy will be provided in hard form.

For obvious reasons, it is important that the election is a fair process and that each parent only votes once. The returning officer is Mr Wally Malanczak who is a member of staff and independent of the board.

We thank the parents who have nominated themselves for election. Irrespective of the outcome of the election, it is appreciated by the board that these parents have nominated and volunteered their time and expertise to our school.

To place your vote, please check the email of the family representative and use your unique code.

Voting will close on Friday 3pm 23 October 2020.

#### Parent Name

### Profile Summary

## Maria Davitkovska



I would like to be considered for one of the parent nominations on the School Board. I have lived in the area over the last 20 years and have been a parent at Marangaroo Primary School for the last 5 years. I have two children who attend the school, Marcus in Year 1 and Alexia in Year 3. I am a dedicated Early Childhood teacher and have 15 years' experience working in the public school system. I am passionate about literacy, early intervention and achieving the best outcomes for all students.

I believe that being a member of the School Board I can use my knowledge and skills to work productively with other members and the school community to make Marangaroo the very best it can be for children across our community. I hope to make meaningful contributions, as well as provide advice and guidance on the business plan and the strategic direction of the school.

### **Catherine Smith**



I would like to nominate myself to be a part of either positions on the School Board. I would greatly appreciate the opportunity to be a part of this amazing team. I have a genuine interest in the schools governance, the families & our children's growth.

I started my own school journey at Marangaroo Primary School & attended Pre- Primary here myself. Now I currently have my own three children attending this school, this is why I would like to see the school excel, thrive & flourish in a positive, loving & caring manner. I am bright, bubbly, youthful, approachable & I believe I have a lot of fresh ideas to bring to the table.

Michael Rowston



Firstly, let me thank you for taking the time to read my candidate profile. My name is Mike Rowston. My son joined Marangaroo Primary school this year in year three and my other two boys will be joining next year in year two. My interactions with the school have been very positive and wish to help/ put back into the school in which I entrust my three children with.

I have been self-employed for over 20 years, managing staff and a workshop. I am the current Chief rally event checker in WA and have been President of Beverley Off Road Motorsports for 7 years and secretary for two, subsequently awarded a life membership.

Regards

Taylor Webb Eric Jones

PRINCIPAL BOARD CHAIR