LOUIS MARTIN

Board Chair

My wife and I have three children at Subiaco Primary. We all love the strong sense of connection that comes with being a part of our vibrant, diverse, and supportive school community. I work as a lawyer at Wesfarmers where I help businesses grow by developing practical common-sense plans to take advantage of opportunities and address challenges. Outside of work, I teach board governance and compliance at the Governance Institute and am a passionate supporter of the arts. By being part of the School Board, I can use my knowledge and skills to contribute to our school community being the best that it can be.

EMMA THUNDER

Parent Representative

It is a privilege to be a member of the Subiaco Primary School Board. I have two boys at the school and we love being part of this warm and welcoming community; the hub of learning, fun and friendship in our lives. Professionally I work as a policy adviser and executive manager, with experience in State Government and the private sector in urban planning, government relations and advocacy. For two years I was Chair of the Board of Subicare Early Learning Centre. I am passionate about the critical role that schools, and educators have in children's lives, and hope that with my skills and experience I can add value to the contribution the Board makes to governance of this wonderful school.

SIMONE JANNEY

Community Representative

I am honoured to be asked back to Subiaco Primary School to be a community representative on the Board. Both of our children attended Subiaco Primary School from Kindy until Year 6, which we all acknowledge was a privilege. My day job is as a scientist so I will definitely be interested in the STEAM (science, technology, engineering, arts and mathematics) aspects of learning at the school, and I hope to be able to contribute industry knowledge on how STEAM can be incorporated into learning.

HANNAH MCKELVIE

Parent Representative

My husband and I moved to Subiaco in 2017, after spending 11 years living and working in Southeast Asia. Originally from the UK, both our daughters are in the school (Pre-primary and Year 3) and we have really found ourselves at home in the welcoming and inclusive school community.

In my role as a Cyber Security General Manager at Telstra, I have visibility into many online safety and cyber security challenges. I hope to contribute to the school's focus on these topics, along with championing and supporting the incredible opportunities that Subiaco Primary School offers to all our families.

STEVEN SMART

Parent Representative

I am pleased to be serving as a Parent Representative on the School Board of our wonderful school. I'm committed to ensuring that the Board supports our school's Executive Leadership team's primary goal of ensuring a high-quality education for our children, while also demonstrating that our School is doing "Our Best" to holistically support families and parents. During my tenure I will ensure the Board advises the school's Executive Leadership team on the steps our School could take to better support families who find that current school-hours limit parent's ability to fully participate in the workforce. Please reach out to me if there is anything you feel our school could do better to support your family.

(Mr Smart understands that:

- 1. Under the legislation and regulations, a Board member has very limited approval roles; limited to just the following areas approving contributions/charges, sponsorship agreements and uniforms.
- 2. Expanding school hours is not the role of the school or the school Board.)

MELINDA HARRIS

School Representative (School Principal)

Our Board members bring their experiences and expertise to represent the school community on setting the strategic direction of our school. They are committed to ensuring we live up to our motto, "Our Best." I value their considered input as we work together to reflect upon our vision and direction, in order to improve our great school.

ALAN RAMSEY

School Representative (Deputy Principal)

My name is Alan Ramsey, I am an Assistant Principal at Subiaco Primary School and I'm excited to be joining the School Board in 2023. I have spent over 17 years working in education, both as a teacher and as an administrator in rural and metropolitan schools.

I have a passion for student learning and the positive impact it can have on individuals and society. My goal is to ensure that our school provides a safe, supportive, and challenging learning environment. I believe that every student deserves access to high quality education and opportunities to develop to their full potential.

Over the last 12 years I've been fortunate to work on school boards alongside dedicated parents and community members who professionally value add to the strong strategic direction of the school. I look forward to collaborating and contributing with our members to ensure that our school provides the best possible education for our students.