

Governing Council

What is Governing Council?

The Kapunda Kindergarten Governing Council is a wonderful opportunity for parents to become involved in the Kindergarten community by strengthening the partnership between families and staff. The Governing Council aims to provide a supportive network of interested parents who can provide suggestions, advice and feedback to the Director and staff about how the Kindergarten is run and where any improvements can be made in meeting the needs of the children. The Council is also the base from which fundraising ideas are developed and organised – a vital and important aspect of the Kindergarten community.

Who can join the Governing Council?

All parents and care providers of children at Kapunda Kindergarten are invited to join. At the Annual General Meeting in Term 1 the Council elects a committee of Office Bearers and various small roles are shared between Council members. You do not have to have been involved in a committee at all before to be a member of the Council, as a parent or caregiver of a child at the Kindergarten your opinions and ideas are highly valued – all we ask is that you bring a positive and enthusiastic attitude towards strengthening the Kindergarten community partnerships.

How much time is involved in being on the Governing Council?

Just two meetings per term! Meetings are a great opportunity for parents to have real input into the financial management of the Kindergarten, term planning and fundraising activities. Outside of meetings you may be asked by the Director to provide your opinion or suggestions on various matters via email or in person – what a great opportunity to have input and get to know the inner workings of the Kindergarten environment!

Will I enjoy being on the Governing Council? Yes!

The Council is a great way to get to know other parents and the Director and Staff. The Council fosters a team environment where parents work together with staff to make Governing the Kindergarten a fun and enjoyable experience for all involved.

Governing Council positions

Chairperson

Vice Chairperson

Secretary

Treasurer

Fundraising Rep

Occasional Care Rep

Market Rep

General Members

For a list of current members please see the list displayed on the family information board.