

Finance

The finance committee consists of the School Principal, Finance Officer and Treasurer, who must be a member of GC. The committee meets twice a term to discuss the finances of the School and OSHC. The discussions focus on the school budget and discretionary expenditure for education and facilities. The finance committee monitors the school's compliance against the budget and compiles the budget for the following year. The Treasurer explains the school finances and budget to the GC and presents finance related items for approval at each GC meeting.



OSHC

Governing Council is responsible for providing an OSHC (Out of School Hours Care) Service for Crafers Primary School students and visitors during Vacation Care. The OSHC sub-committee of Governing Council works closely with the Principal and OSHC Coordinator to provide a high standard of care to our children outside of school hours. The sub-committee oversees the budget and finances, policies and procedures and regular evaluation of the service. If you have children who use OSHC and Vacation Care, we would welcome you onto the sub-committee.



Uniform Shop

The Crafers Primary School uniform shop is staffed by a group of parent volunteers. Stock for the shop is ordered by the school finance officer. The shop is open from 8.30 to 9.15am each Monday and Friday, with a few additional sessions prior to first term and for new parents /carers during transition. Volunteers from the uniform shop also come along to the first kindy transition day to explain the school uniform to new parents. Second hand uniform is sold in the shop, either on commission or from stock donated by parents. Volunteers are always appreciated.

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An introduction to the Governing Council



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What we do

Governing Councils work closely with the Principal to help set and monitor the strategic direction of the school, within the guidelines of the Education Department. At Crafrers Primary, Governing Council (GC) meets twice a term to monitor and approve the school budget, oversee improvements in grounds and buildings, manage OSHC and involve parents/carers in fundraising and promotion activities. Each parent/carer on GC brings their own perspective and skills, and everyone adds value regardless of their experience on committees. GC is most effective if the composition of parents/carers come from a range of classes and age groups are involved, and we are particularly keen to encourage Junior Primary parents/carers to get involved.



Parents & Friends

We are invested in creating and maintaining a connected school community that supports the education of all students.

The committee work side by side with the school to coordinate fundraising & non-fundraising events and activities, represent parents within the community and facilitate a variety of fun activities for our students and families e.g. Sausage sizzles, Mother's/ Father's Day events, Quiz Nights, raffles, public community events and much more. Meetings are twice a term.

Promotions

This committee works closely with the Principal, GC and the school community to positively promote CPS in the community through the development of messages and materials which reflect the values of the school community.

The committee meets twice a term and consists of members of the school community who are passionate about promoting the school.

Facilities

This committee is open to any parent/carer who has a passion for improving our school facilities and grounds. The role of this committee is to make recommendations to Governing Council and the School about the ongoing development and maintenance of buildings, grounds and playgrounds.

The committee meets twice a term and consists of members of the school community, one of whom must be a nominee of Governing Council, one a school representative and the rest, passionate parents/carers.

