

Ariana Svenson remembers her time at Walpole PS with great fondness. Some 30 years later she is pleased to see her own children benefitting from that same small school that cultivates a strong sense of a child's identity and belonging.

Ariana has several degrees under her belt, specializing in Communication, Development issues both in Australia and internationally. She is able to work remotely and can run her digital content management and virtual tourism businesses in Walpole.



Pradeep Nishantha lives in Walpole with his wife and two sons.

Pradeep is a Sri Lankan immigrant who has travelled and worked in many countries. He was always keen to come to the wonderful country of Australia and is working here as a chef.



Stephanie Hughes was born in Quinns Rocks, when the locale was a small crayfishing town. She has lived on the South Coast for 15 years and is happy to have her two daughters at Walpole PS. in what is a fantastic learning environment.

Steph has a bachelors degree in archeology/history and currently runs a small business selling handwoven textiles.



Board Chair

Lisa Teague-Robertson lives in Kentdale with her two children.

Lisa has taught at a number of country schools and volunteers as the Gym Coach and firefighter.





Chris Cook lives in Walpole with her partner.

Chris is the Principal of Walpole PS. She has also worked in Perth and Manjimup as an educator.



Sarah Walker lives in Walpole and her three children were pupils at the school.

Sarah has taught at the school for a number of years and has worked in both the private and public sector. Sarah also runs her own Peaceful Bay Beanie business.



Viv Williams lives in Tingledale.

Viv is the Child Health Nurse and Health Navigator Coordinator. She currently serves on a number of local committees and is the Board's Community Representative.