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NORTH COTTESLOE PRIMARY SCHOOL 1913

North Cottesloe PS
Summary of meeting 17 November 2026

Please find following a summary of the North Cottesloe PS Board meeting held on Tuesday 17 November 2026.

Attendees

Principal: Kelly Forder
Staff members: Felicity Hales, Linda Ford
Parent members: Catherine Driscoll, Glenn Diedrich, Jessica Sashegyi, Sarah Wells
Apologies: Simon Lamplough
Additional attendee: Luke Leicester

Summary of discussions

- Updated Board meeting and reporting processes discussed following recent School Board governance training.
- Board welcomed Luke Leicester in his role as Associate Principal.
- Board approved the 2027 Contributions and Charges, with discussion around strengthening communication to families regarding voluntary contributions and their purpose.
- Preparations for the Annual Public School Board Meeting discussed, including a summary of the Board's activities throughout 2026 and information about its governance responsibilities.
- Parent survey results reviewed, with 110 responses received, representing an increase in participation from previous surveys.
- Key survey themes discussed, including leadership consistency, communication, school programs and support for individual student learning needs.
- Board discussed opportunities to strengthen communication with families regarding school improvement initiatives and student support processes.
- Further Board governance and induction training proposed for early 2027 to support consistency in members' understanding of their roles and responsibilities.
- 2027 enrolment projections and class structures discussed, including communication to families regarding multi-age classrooms.
- Upcoming Board vacancies and the nomination process for 2027 discussed.

Next Meeting: Annual Public School Board Meeting, Monday 30 November 2026.