

Council Member Profiles

Kate Beaconsfield: Senior Council Member, Past President and Vice President
BAppSc (Physio)

Kate is the managing director of Ripe Maternity and a director of several NFP organisations. She is a past-parent at the school, having been a parent at the school from 2000 to 2023.

Darren Blankfield: Elected Council Member
BCom (Accounting & Finance), CA

Darren is a Director of MICM and Alternate Director of Central Equity. He was a former Executive of Country Road Group and David Jones and spent his professional years in Transaction Advisory at PwC. He is a parent at the school.

Jess Bram: Elected Council Member
LLB / BA (Hons)

Jessica is the founder of JBC, a bespoke consultancy at the intersection of arts, culture and community. She is also the Strategic Partnerships & Development Manager at Abbotsford Convent and a parent at the school.

Michael Carp: Appointed Council Member, Chair Bialik College Foundation
BEc LLB

Michael is Owner & Managing Director of Kez's Kitchen, Chair of Maccabi Aquatic, Past Vice President of MH2O Swimming Club, Past Co-President of JNF, Past State Chairman & National Board Member of Family Business Australia and was a parent at the school until 2022.

Jessica Clark: Elected Council Member
BA (International Studies)

Jess works at the Shuk as a Chef. She is a mother of two children at the College and a proud alumnus of the school.

Lisa Degen: Elected Council Member
BBus (Marketing)

Lisa is a senior business leader specialising in strategic marketing for both enterprise and SME companies. She is a parent at the school.

Peter Eben: Senior Council Member, Treasurer
BCom (Finance), BSC (Mathematics), MBA, FIAA

Peter is a Director of Seed Advisory, a former executive member of the JCCV and is a past-parent at the school.

Dan Feldman: Senior Council Member
BEc, BA(Hons), LLB(Hons)

Dan is Managing Partner of workplace relations firm HR Legal. He is also an Executive Council Member of the Victorian Chamber of Commerce and is a director of a number of private companies. He is a past-parent at the school, having been a parent at the school from 2005 to 2022.

Amie Frydenberg: Elected Council Member
BCom, LLB (Hons)

Amie is a Partner at Lander & Rogers specialising in employment law and is a current parent at the school.

Nigel Givoni: Senior Council Member

Nigel is CEO of Alta Property Partners Pty Ltd and holds multiple Family Office and non-executive director board positions. He is a past-parent of the school.

Boaz Herszfeld: Appointed Council Member, Vice President
BComm

Boaz chairs Bialik's Affordability Committee and co-chairs the Fee Assistance Committee. He is the Executive Director of Creswick Woollen Mills, and a parent at the school.

David Naphtali: Appointed Council Member

David is a parent at the school. He is a founder of Vest Advisory and has a number of other directorships and advisory positions.

Darion Pohl: Elected Council Member
FIAA, FIA, Dip FP, Cert PFS, BCom.

Darion is co-founder and Executive Chairman of PX Group (incorporating PX Pension Exchange and PX Wealth) a group of local and international financial services companies. Darion is a Fellow of the Institute of Actuaries (UK and Australia), Treasurer of East Melbourne Synagogue, former investment banker and is a current parent at the school.

Jason Scher: Elected Council Member
BCom (Marketing & Management).

Jason is the CEO and Co-Founder of Brand-Hub, a business specialising in building/supplying Fast-Moving Consumer goods that are sold to retailers in Australia and abroad. Jason also holds multiple Non-Executive and Board advisory roles. He is a parent at the school.

Aimee Southwick: Appointed Council Member, Honorary Secretary
B.Com (ECO)

Aimee is a Founder and Director of Buckets Early Learning Centres. She is a parent at the school.

Jeremy Stowe-Lindner: Principal
MBA, BA(Hons), PGCE, Cert.Ed, NPQH

Jeremy is the Principal of Bialik College and is a parent at the school.

Tyson Wodak: Appointed Council Member, President
LL.B (Hons), BA, GDipAppFin, MBioeth, GAICD

As President, Tyson chairs the Bialik College Council and Executive Committee. He is a former chair of the Governance Committee and the Risk Committee. Tyson is a barrister, conducting a commercial practice, and a parent at the school.