

2015-2016 Sir Wilfrid Laurier Public School Council Parent Candidate Self-Nomination Form

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Public School invites you to join the School Council. We encourage parents/guardians with all skill levels, talents and backgrounds to indicate your interest. Any personal or professional experience you have would be useful for serving on the School Council (e.g. organizing, financial and fundraising skills, energy, interest, enthusiasm, time to help at the school or from home). As a School Council member, you can vote on School Council initiatives, are required to attend the five (5) council meetings during the school year and participate on a subcommittee. All parents/guardians are welcome to attend meetings and can provide input in all discussions but cannot vote on initiatives.

I wish to declare my candidacy for a position as a parent/guardian representative on the School Council. If more than 12 parents sign up, I understand that an election will be held.

Name: _____

Address: _____

E-mail: _____

I am the parent/guardian of _____, who is currently registered at this school. *(name of student(s) and grade)*

I am an employee of the York Region District School Board.

Yes No

(Employees of the Board are eligible to be parent representatives but are not eligible to be elected as the School Council Chair.)

Candidate's signature

Date

Please return this form to the school or email it to sir.wilfrid.laurier.ps@yrdsb.edu.on.ca to the attention of Mme Finn on or before **Tuesday, September 22, 2015**. In the event of an election, you will be asked to provide a brief biography of yourself that will be used for the election. This biography will be posted on the school website for use by parents when voting then removed after the election. The election date has been set for Tuesday, September 29, 2015. The first School Council meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 7, 2015 in the school library from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

Five (5) School Council meetings are held per school year. The proposed 2015-2016 meeting schedule is:

- 1 Wednesday, October 7, 2015
- 2 Wednesday, November 25, 2015
- 3 Wednesday, February 3, 2016
- 4 Wednesday, April 6, 2016
- 5 Wednesday, May 25, 2016