



Ray Lewis Elementary School – School Council

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We are a group of parents, school staff, and community members. Our group meets monthly for about an hour and a half to see where we can support and enhance our school's needs.

Parent involvement in the school is essential for our community. As parents on the council, we get to contribute to our school goals and share our opinions.

Our fundraising efforts, through the school years, have helped support the financial needs of Ray Lewis. We have purchased books for our library, furniture, new instruments for our music department, equipment for our gym, and a new drinking fountain for the students and staff to use on the second floor.

We are here to try and help provide a safe and positive environment for the children, teachers, and staff and ensure everyone's day-to-day learning or teaching experience is as enjoyable as possible.

We hope you can join us in September to share your support in making Ray Lewis the best possible school for everyone! Please find attached a Declaration of Interest Form for our 2023-2024 School Council. If you are interested in voting for the School Council for the 2023-2024 school year, please submit your Declaration of Interest Form by Tuesday, September 12th, 2023, to the school office. Members who would like to run for one of the main School Council roles (Chair, Co-Chair, Treasurer, Secretary) must submit one of these forms by the due date and must be present at the first School Council Election Meeting on Tuesday, September 19th, 2023. Parents/Guardians who would like to be a Member-at-Large (with a vote) may self-nominate from the floor at the first meeting. Parents/Guardians who want to be a Member-at-Large (with a vote) but cannot attend the first meeting, must submit a Declaration of Interest Form and let the Principal/Vice Principal know that they are interested, but unable to attend the first meeting.

Thank you,
School Council Election Committee (2022-2023)