



THE ONTARIO PRO-CON DEBATING FORUM

September 13, 2023

Dear Debating Coaches or Principals:

We want to invite your students to participate in debating for the 2023-24 academic year in the Ontario Pro-Con Debating Forum, one of the only competitive leagues of any type to include public, private and Catholics schools. Every high school should have a debating team; debating is an activity that can benefit all students and help them grow into confident speakers, critical thinkers, and leaders. I know this firsthand as a former Pro-Con debater myself.

The registration fee of \$215 includes sending up to three teams of four students (novice, junior, senior) to four tournaments held throughout the year. The dates are:

Oct. 28, 2023; Nov. 25, 2023; Feb. 24, 2024; Mar. 23, 2024

Kindly pass this letter and registration form on to any interested staff members or students. More information on the league and pro-con debating can be found on our website – www.procondebating.com.

Do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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ESTABLISHED 1960

REGISTRATION 2023-2024

SCHOOL: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ FAX: _____

COACH: _____

EMAIL: _____

HOME PHONE: _____

IS YOUR SCHOOL WILLING TO HOST A PRO-CON TOURNAMENT? ____ (Y/N)

IF SO, APPROXIMATELY HOW MANY ROOMS WOULD BE AVAILABLE FOR
DEBATES?

The registration fee of **\$215** includes four debates and a final tournament (for qualifying schools) for three levels – Novice (Grade 9 and inexperienced Grade 10), Junior (Grades 10 and 11), Senior (Grade 12).

Please mail this form and a cheque payable to “Ontario Pro-Con Debating Forum” before October 6 to:

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