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1 Affiliation

1.1 Introduction

- a. Each school within the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo can register their school science fair with the Wood Buffalo Youth Science Foundation.
- b. Registration must be completed no later the date set each year by WBYSF (usually mid December).

1.2 Wood Buffalo Youth Science Foundation agrees to:

- a. Grant the Participating School status as a Member of WBYSF. As a Member, the School is entitled to identify one individual to vote on behalf of the School as a member of WBYSF.
- b. Grant the Participating School access to participate in the WBRSF, represented by a number of projects as specified in the allocation formula. This access is only open to schools in the geographic area of Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo county boundary.
- c. Administer the Wood Buffalo Regional Science Fair Awards Program, including:
 - i. WBRSF excellence, special, and grand awards;
 - ii. Distinguished Service Awards.
- d. Provide administration and promotion for the WBRSF, Team Wood Buffalo and other WBYSF Programs.
- e. Organize the Wood Buffalo Regional Science Fair.
- f. Offer Participating Schools a Grant-in-Aid when it is financially feasible to do so which is determined as not being in deficit or under \$5,000 net position at year end for 2 years in a row.
- g. Develop programs that support its vision and mission.

1.3 The Participating School agrees to:

- a. Hold its School Science Fair in time to permit the complete registration of its finalists in the WBRFSF Online Registration System by the Registration Deadline as determined by the WBYSF each year.
- b. Participate in regular communication with Wood Buffalo Youth Science Foundation
- c. Follow the policy, rules and regulations as defined in the Policy Directory at www.wbrsf.ca and supporting documents, particularly with respect to ethical conduct, safety, animal care and ethical research in projects exhibited at the School fair and those selected to represent the School at the Regional Science Fair.
- d. Provide WBYSF with a count of students by grade in each grade 4 through 12.

3 Allotments

3.1 Finalists

- a. CWSF Finalist Allotment
 - i. The maximum number of finalists permitted from a School at the WBRFSF is determined by a formula approved by Wood Buffalo Youth Science Foundation. This formula is based on the size of the school student population (Grade 4 to 12). The WBYSF strives to allow the maximum number of students to participate from each school while maintaining competition fairness, organization stability, and financial security.

School Population	Max # of Projects	# of Schools	% of Total	Number of Projects
Under 100	3	11	38%	33
150	4	6	21%	24
200	5	2	7%	10
250	6	1	3%	6
300	7	4	14%	28
350	8	-	-	0
400	9	-	-	0
450	10	-	-	0
500	11	1	3%	11
550	12	-	-	0
600	13	-	-	0
650	14	-	-	0
700	15	1	3%	15
750	16	-	-	0
800	17	1	3%	17
850	18	-	-	0
900	19	-	-	0
950	20	-	-	0
1,000	21	2	7%	42
		29	100%	186

b. Allotments by School

- i. The following table provides the number of eligible finalists per school, based on the participation formula described above.

School Name	Allowed Number of Projects
Athabasca Delta Community School	5
Beacon Hill School	4
Bill Woodward School	3
Centre Boréal	3
Composite Highschool	11
Conklin Community School	3
Dr. K. A. Clark School	7
École Dickensfield School	6
École Father Beauregard School	3
École McTavish Junior Highschool	15
École St. Paul School	4
Father Mercredi Community Highschool	21
Father R Perin School	3
Father Turcotte School	3
Fort McKay School	3
Fort McMurray Christian School	3
Fort McMurray Islamic School	4
Good Shepherd School	3
Greely Road School	3
Holy Trinity High School	21
Sister Mary Philips School	4
St. Anne School	7
St. Gabriel School	4
St. Martha School	7
Thickwood Heights	3
Timberlea Public School	7
Westview School	4
Westwood Community Highschool	17