

Selection of Faculty Representatives to the Charter Council

The process for selection of faculty representatives to the Charter Council will be initiated and conducted by the current faculty representatives on the Charter Council as follows:

- a. The SunRidge faculty will be provided this information about serving on the SunRidge Charter Council by February of any year in which there will be an upcoming opening for a faculty representative on the Charter Council;
- b. All faculty members will read the *Information for Charter Council Candidates* so, when voting for CC members, they are better informed about the needs of the position;
- c. Faculty members who have been employed at least 50% of full time for at least two years at SunRidge School are eligible to apply for an open position on the Charter Council; this includes certificated and classified teachers. In order to ensure strong Waldorf teacher leadership on the Charter Council, faculty reps will have a strong commitment to Waldorf philosophy, methods, practice and training;
- d. Interested faculty members are required to attend at least two Charter Council meetings before faculty voting occurs;
- e. The interested candidates read the SunRidge Charter;
- f. Interested faculty members will begin visiting Charter Council meetings by March;
- g. A faculty representative on the Charter Council whose term is up but is willing to serve another term can submit his or her name for re-election by May 1;
- h. Those interested in the open position submit their name for consideration to one of the current faculty representatives by May 1;
- i. All eligible candidates for an open position will be included on a paper ballot for a private vote by June 1. Those eligible to vote are all faculty members who are employed at least 50% of full time at SunRidge School;
- j. The new Charter Council representative will be selected by majority vote of those eligible ballots received;
- k. If an opening for a faculty rep occurs sometime during the year rather than at the usually scheduled time, this process will be followed by applying comparable time frames to each step.

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