



THE LONDON AREA CATHOLIC CURSILLO MOVEMENT

THE DIOCESE OF LONDON, ONTARIO

SPONSOR'S AGREEMENT

Please print all information clearly

Name: _____ Home: (____)____ - ____

Address: _____ Work: (____)____ - ____

City/PC: _____ Cell: (____)____ - ____

Email: _____ Parish: _____

When did you make your Cursillo Weekend? _____ Where? _____

Are you presently active in Cursillo? (grouping, ultreya, school of leaders) Yes ____ No ____

How long have you known the applicant? _____ After prayerful deliberation, I am sponsoring this candidate because: _____

I have explained the following to this candidate:

The meaning of Cursillo in Christianity: Yes: ____ No ____ What the weekend consists of: Yes ____ No ____

Post Cursillo opportunities (group reunion, ultreya, school of leaders) Yes ____ No ____

Are you aware of any serious emotional problems that would prevent this candidate from fully participating in the Cursillo weekend? Yes ____ No ____

Are there any special diet or health requirements (candidate/sponsor's responsibility) Yes ____ No ____

Is the candidate active in their faith? Yes ____ No ____

As a Sponsor, I will:

- Bring my candidate to the Michaelite House at 6:45 pm on the Thursday of the Weekend.
- Donate a snack for the weekend on behalf of my candidate (chips, cookies, squares, fruit, etc.)
- Do Palanca (prayer, sacrifice, works of mercy) before, during and after the weekend for my candidate.
- Attend the Clausura (closing) on Sunday
- Take my candidate home on Sunday.
- I will continue to "be a friend" and to journey with my candidate.
- I am willing to help my candidate connect with a permanent small group reunion.

Sponsor's signature _____ Date _____

Unless a member of Pre-Cursillo contacts you, your candidate is NOT confirmed for the weekend



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INSTRUCTIONS FOR SPONSORS

1. Your candidate will be contacted by a member of the Cursillo team prior to the weekend . the purpose is to meet them and begin the friendship that is core to the Cursillo method.
2. If your candidate is not of the Catholic Faith, please ensure that they are aware that they will not be able to participate with the Sacraments of the Eucharist and Reconciliation
3. If your candidate is unable to keep the commitment for the weekend, it is your responsibility to notify the Pre-Cursillo Coordinator immediately.
4. See that your candidate's application is filled out completely and correctly. Also ensure to respect the confidential nature of these documents.
5. Be sure to indicate any special diet or medications needed by your candidate. It is the responsibility of the candidate and sponsor to provide for these special needs.
6. If you know that your candidate has an alcohol, drug, or emotional/mental health challenge, this must be discussed with the Pre-Cursillo Coordinator.
7. After your candidate has been approved for a weekend, advise him/her that they will receive a letter or email from the Pre-Cursillo Coordinator with the list of personal items they will need for the weekend.
8. Remember all the candidates, team members and workers by doing Palanca (prayer wheel, other prayer, sacrifice, works of charity etc.)
9. Explain to your candidate that the suggested amount for the weekend is \$250.00. However, please reassure them that they should give according to their financial means. If it is a hardship, they should only give what they can. Their offering will be accepted on Sunday.
10. Send your candidates completed application and your signed sponsor's agreement to our Pre-Cursillo Coordinator:

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