

Cameron Wales has lived in Brockville for more than 20 years, since his family relocated to the city in 1997. Cam attended St. John Bosco elementary school and St. Mary Catholic High School, where he graduated with a Specialist High Skills Major in Arts and Culture in 2014. He will graduate from Carleton University with a Bachelor of Public Affairs and Policy Management in November, 2018.

From a young age, Cameron has been an active and engaged community volunteer, serving as Junior Trustee for United Way Leeds and Grenville, and participating on both Student Council and Student Senate while at St. Mary. Cameron has been active in community theatre with both the Operatic Society and the Theatre Guild, and served on Brockville's Community Cleanup Committee for two years, including one year as Cleanup Coordinator.

At age 13, Cameron joined the local 870 Vampire Squadron of the Royal Canadian Air Cadets, earning a Canadian Glider Pilot Licence and Private Pilot Licence. Since graduating from the cadet program in 2014, he has continued to work as a glider instructor with the Air Cadet Gliding Program in Picton, Trenton and Brockville.

Cameron continued to engage in politics, sustainability and social justice issues while attending Carleton University in Ottawa, where he worked as a Residence Fellow, and was active in a number of clubs and societies which encourage political engagement.

Cameron was the 2014 recipient of both the Star of the Lions Club Music Festival Award and the Festival Best in Voice Award. He received the Dawn Cowan Memorial Volunteer Award in 2014 and the Rotary Club Youth Merit Award in 2013.

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