



name: **Cahall, Andrew**
office: **2nd Vice President**
sponsor: Christy Bening
school: Columbus Academy
grade: 11

Classics/JCL Experience:

Years of Latin/Greek: **5**

State Conventions attended: **3**

National Conventions attended: **1**

Will you attend all Executive Board Meetings, Fall Forum 2019, and State Convention 2020?

(Y/N): **Yes**

Will you attend the 2019 National Convention at North Dakota State University in Fargo, ND?

(Y/N): **Yes**

Experience/Activities:

Club Offices: **Active Member in CA Latin Club since freshman year; leadership position since being elected to OJCL board last convention**

Relevant experience or traits, general and with specifics for the given Office:

I have served as OJCL Secretary for the last year, which has given me experience on the board, a sense of the inner workings of the organization, and allowed me to develop in a leadership role after working with some wonderful people. I've been a member of my school's service board for three years, and have participated in service projects both for school obligations and OJCL events.

School & non-school related activities/sports/etc.:

My extracurricular activities include: track, basketball, golf, school newspaper editor, service board member, member of both school choir & orchestra, and youth group leader. I will balance these obligations with officer duties by planning well in advance of deadlines so as to leave ample time for completion of required tasks.

Executive Board:

Ability to communicate with students and adults (chaperones, sponsors, teachers):

As OJCL Secretary, I have gained experience working with the state chairs to perform relevant organizational tasks. As youth group leader, journalism editor, and volunteer at "Whole in One" Golf Camp (a golf camp for special needs children) I have worked with both adult superiors and peers in both direct and indirect settings, and served as a "go between" in these leadership positions.

What have you done to understand the duties of the office you are seeking?

I have read the OJCL Constitution and By-Laws pertaining to the office of 2nd Vice President, and am in the process of reaching out to the current holder of the position for tips and advice.

Do you have any goals/ideas for the Executive Board and/or the OJCL? Please be specific to the office you are seeking.

I would like to improve publicity leading up to service events, in hopes of increasing attendance & the OJCL's overall service presence (especially in the Central and North Regions). Similarly, I'd like to promote communication and cohesion between the three regions with regard to service.

Why would you like to become a member of the OJCL Executive Board?

I have had the privilege of working under and with some wonderful people during my current term on the board, and would love to continue that learning & growing process for another year. Additionally, I'd like to continue to give back to the OJCL- an organization I've been lucky to be a part of. I've especially loved the OJCL service projects I've participated in, and would like to see to their continued success in the capacity of 2nd VP.

Other Biographical Information/Comments:

None.