

name: Ridgeway, Maggie

office: Treasurer

sponsor: Christy Bening school: Columbus Academy

grade: 11

## **Classics/JCL Experience:**

Years of Latin/Greek: 4

State Conventions attended: 4
National Conventions attended: 2

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: While I am not on my school's Latin Club Board, I am very active in Latin Club and participate as much as I can.

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

Spirit is one of my favorite parts of convention, and I am active in helping my school plan for spirit as well as in spirit itself. In addition to this, I am proficient at financial planning as well as in using spreadsheets. I am skilled at keeping track of important documents, and enjoy organizing documents both electronically and physically. I have also helped both at my school's booth at Agora as well as the state booth at the NJCL Conventions I have attended.

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

I play the violin and have various activities relating to this, but my lesson and practicing times are very flexible and can be moved around.

## **Executive Board:**

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

I enjoy communicating with both peers and adults thoroughly. I am always eager to send emails and texts to whoever I need to so that I can complete activities efficiently. I frequently have to email teachers to set up various academic activities such as testing accommodations and extra help outside of class. More specific to my peers, I am always willing to collaborate with others as well as ask for help. I truly love people and communicating with others is always a joy.

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

I have not only read the OJCL By-Laws, but I have also attended a talk given by (at the time, now President) OJCL Treasurer Grant Bruner about spirit at State Convention as well as his duties as Treasurer. I asked many questions and feel I have a good understanding of the office.

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

I have many ideas for spirit at next year's State Convention, and I am very excited to share these.

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

I love the OJCL and I really feel like I can give back in a valuable way. The JCL has done so much for me and I would like to help in any way possible.

Other Biographical Information/Comments:

None.