

2019 NJCL Convention

Candidates for National Office

Qualifications: All candidates must be members in good standing and must have attended at least one National Junior Classical League Convention. To be eligible to run for office, a candidate MUST have the permission of at least one custodial parent or legal guardian, a local sponsor, and all of his or her state/provincial chair or co-chair(s). Candidates MUST be enrolled in Latin, Greek, or a Classical Humanities class at least half a year during which the office is held, or have completed all Latin, Greek or Classical Humanities courses offered at their schools. The state/provincial chair(s) MUST have fulfilled all requirements necessary to prove their state/province is in good standing prior to granting said permission. Post graduates and mid-term graduates shall not be eligible for office. A sponsor from the candidate's state/province or a sponsor approved by the candidate's local sponsor (if no sponsor from the candidate's state/province is able to attend) must be with the candidate at the Nominations Committee Meeting. No officer shall hold both state/provincial and national office at the same time. Only one candidate may be nominated from each state/province. States/provinces now holding elected office (Maryland, Illinois, New Hampshire, California, North Carolina, Massachusetts, and Georgia) may not hold the same offices.

All prospective candidates must complete the Candidate's Nomination Form. The Candidate's Nomination Form and the Campaign Corner may be obtained from the NJCL Parliamentarian, Layla Fistos, at parliamentarian@njcl.org. The form and Campaign Corner are also available on the NJCL Website. The completed form must be returned to the NJCL Parliamentarian on or before June 15, 2019. Further information may be obtained from the current officers or be found in the NJCL Chapter Handbook and the NJCL Officers Duties/Guidelines, available from the NJCL Office.

Candidates for national office must limit their campaign expenditures to \$50.00, with items which are received as a gift valued at their fair market value. Items which are purchased at sale

prices will be valued at the sale price. A report of expenditures, with receipts, must be turned in to the parliamentarian immediately upon the adjournment of the Nominations Committee meeting. What will be determined as an official campaign expense will be defined by the parliamentarian in the *Campaign Corner*.

Although campaign materials may be prepared prior to convention, NO campaigning of any sort is permitted before the close of the Nominations Committee Meeting. Campaign materials must be in good taste. Materials may be posted only after the parliamentarian has given permission to do so and only in the designated areas approved by North Dakota State University. Posters and banners may be affixed to exterior bulletin boards with thumbtacks in designated areas only. Tape and staples may not be used. Posters and small banners may be affixed to light poles and trees only with string or rope. Tape and metal fasteners (tacks, staples, nails, or wire) may not be used. If attached to tree branches, the branches must be at least two inches in diameter to prevent damage to trees. NO PAINT OR CHALK MAY BE USED. For a list of restrictions for campaign materials see the publication, *Campaign Corner*.

Tampering with another candidate's materials is strictly prohibited.

Failure to comply with rules shall result in disqualification of the candidate.