Candidates for ASB President

Candidate One:

Hey students of Townsend Jr. High! Did you ever want a change in our school? Change in Drama, Leadership, or maybe just the fact that you want locks on our bathroom doors? I can help with that change! Ever sat in one of our rallies? And wondered why you were never in it? Well I can help with that! I plan to get the entire crowd involved in our Leadership rallies. Even if it’s from the crowd just doing the wave or throwing beach balls around just to get everyone pumped up! During the rallies I will give out prizes for those who participate in the games! Remember our Active sock fundraiser? Well if I’m president I’ll make sure we have more events like that! I can be the change our school needs! I can help prevent bullying, and even hold special events to help prevent it!

Being the school President is something I’ve always been interested in since childhood. I’ve been in many leadership programs and know how to represent the students in our school! In the 4th grade I was the Vice President of our Leadership program. This past role gives me the experience needed for this job. Being President is also a big responsibility, which I believe I can handle. If I am elected President, I have no problem going up on stage and introducing speakers, or even just helping to make posters. I will encourage everyone to get involved in school activities to make our school a great place to be. I am a hard working dedicated student who never breaks a promise. So I promise to my fellow classmates, that I will be the best President I can be. So vote for me as President, I can be the change our school wants and needs.
Candidate Two:

Steve Jobs- Apple Inc, Howard Shultz- Starbucks, Lynsy Torres-In-In out

What do all these people have in common? We all use their technology, drink their coffee, and eat their delicious burgers. And, they have been great leaders of awesome organizations. We also have had some great leaders at Townsend Jr. High. Now I am asking for your vote to become the next President of Townsend. What makes all those great people above so successful? The same qualities that I can bring to our school.

I am asking you to take a step back and think about what qualities you are looking for in a President. Are you looking for somebody who is smart and enthusiastic? A person who is open-minded and ready to take your suggestions? Somebody who is a strong, a hard worker? If these sound good to you, then I am your candidate! Enthusiasm is my middle name!

I have a great deal of experience with leadership. I have been in leadership since 4th grade. I am the captain of my sports team and have been presented with the top honor of First Lieutenant two consecutive summers at camp. As President, I can bring some more fun and exclusiveness to our dances. I will try to bring things like night dances, a real D.J., video games for non-dancers, photobooths, FOOD, and more exciting themes. Also, I have been perfecting my sweet new dance moves and the dances will be the perfect place to show them off!!! From the first day I arrived at Townsend Jr. High, I knew I wanted to become more involved.

From serving in the Leadership Class of 2014-2015, to representing our school in various community service events, I consistently spent time in leadership roles and try to make this school an even better place than it is! As President, I will strive to
continue to make improvements in the school for every student here. Our leadership class works side by side with students and administration to ensure exciting student events and activities throughout the year. As President, I promise you will have a memorable year.

The next time you are wolfing down that Double-Double, drinking your Carmel Machiado, or earning your next crown on Trivia Crack, think of the great leadership of great people in awesome companies, and think of me!
Candidate Three:

Now first, I would just like to clarify that I won’t be able to promise things such as, replacing the water fountains with soda or giving out free candy every Monday, so hopefully you won’t be too disappointed if I get elected.

I would like to become Townsend Jr. High’s 2015-2016 President because I believe that we as students should be allowed to have fun, but still try our best in school. As cheesy as it may sound, I believe that I can bring diversity and dynamism to our school. Of course, I know that everyone likes to "turn up" during dances or parties, so I will work to the best of my abilities to make sure you will experience awesome school dances and activities. However, I also believe that I should be elected for my consistent hard work and positivity. Not only that, but I would love to be able to represent the greatest middle school, also known as Townsend Jr. High. It sounds pretty hard, but I believe with the right leaders, we can make a great school even greater. Now again, I unfortunately can’t give out free ice cream during lunch, but hopefully I can be a change in our school that we won’t forget. So if you would like to make our school a better place and maybe even as cool at the 9+10=21 video, or the potato that flew around the room, than please vote for me, the people’s choice.

I approve this message.
Candidate Four:

In stead of starting with what i am running for , at which point you'll tune me out and start looking at the smudge on your left shoe, I am going to tell you my favorite memory so far from Jr high,

My first day at Townsend Junior High School, I had no idea how to get to my classes. the school is big, and I was lost.

On top of that , I was rushing around trying to find my class, and I tripped and fell flat on the floor. Several students rushed to help me.

That was the moment I fell in love with Townsend Junior High. We all help each other.

One of the reasons I am running for president for leadership is because I want to be that friendly face for new students coming in and defender for students already here.

If elected, I will represent each one of YOU. I care about YOUR interests and YOUR voice. because "its all about you!" my number 1 priority is to make YOU happy. With me as president, we will have a great school year.

The only promise I can make is that I will try my best to help you students have a memorable year. I will try my best to meet any students request. Some ideas I have to improve this school are, shorter lunch lines, better rallies, vote for spirit days.

I care about making sure campus opportunities are equal for each individual student in our school.

Come share your ideas and I will make them happen, cause 2015-2016 is the year for change!
**Candidate Five:**

Townsend is such a special place. It’s not just where we come to learn, but where we make new friends and create new experiences and memories. Leadership makes sure we are all able to do that, and have fun with it too. We should always want to get involved, and I want to be able to help encourage this. I want to be a role model and a leader at our school. I want to be your ASB President. Being in extracurricular activities at school (TJHS Song Team), I was able to be apart of an amazing team, make new friends, and understand how important and exciting it can be to get involved in school. I believe more people should be able to experience what it’s like to have so much school spirit. Let’s all work together to make our school the best it can be for everyone.

**Candidate Six:**

Hello fellow Townsend peers,

I would like to be president for our school because YOLO, just kidding, this is serious! Now, I know what your thinking..... this kid is just gonna become president and Bam! She will do NOTHING! No! That is not me, foreals, like believe me, I know what you guys think about the school dances and don’t worry because if I become president I promise I will make those waayy better! Yaasss! I know you and your bae are tired of all these dances being #lame but I swear I will change that because our school needs to be on Fleek! I’m so exhausted from you guys not participating in spirit days so..... TURN UP and I’m sure I will make them cooler so everyone can participate. So c’mon give me a heart emoji and vote for me! If I fail you guys I will, I will go to the hanging tree!
Candidate Seven:

I would like to be ASB president mainly because I have a lot of great ideas to make the school more fun. One of the ideas that I have is to make our dances have better attendance. Having more organized activities I think would help. For example, I would like to do games at the dances. For example, seventh vs. eighth grade games, girls verses boys, etc. A week before the dance we could put a suggestion box for ideas from the entire student body. We could also do a freestyle dance competition. I also think it would be a great idea to introduce peer mentoring. Mentoring could potentially decrease bullying and also help the students to feel more connected. This would be a privilege offered to the eighth graders to mentor our incoming seventh graders. This would be a great way to serve the school and help someone else have a great experience at Townsend.

I realize that being president comes with a lot of responsibility and it would require a great deal of work and dedication. I am confident that I am up for the task based on my past experiences. In the past two years I have been a member of both leadership and student government from my elementary years. I am not afraid of a challenge and I enjoy taking on new tasks. My goal is that the student body would feel heard and that your ideas are considered. I would greatly appreciate your vote and your consideration.
Candidates for ASB Vice President

Candidate Eight:

My main goal as a vice president is to try to make Townsend Jr. High the best place to go to school. After all, our time here is short and I want to be part of making these years full of great and exciting moments we will remember. For this to happen I will promote making sure everyone feels safe at school and that everyone can be themselves, no matter what your thing is. I believe that school should be fun and together with our friends and fellow classmates we can help do things to make a difference like keeping our school clean, and getting involved to do community service.

Townsend is known for having great school spirit, and I would like to continue this tradition and bring more fun and crazy spirit days. I also have some great rally ideas like a sport themed rally or fun dances themes like a superhero themed dance. I would also bring input from students to the meetings to be the voice for the students and get us all involved to make our school experience the best.

Some of the qualities I have that would make me a good candidate for Vice President is my ability to keep on task and motivate others to do their best. I am positive and like to encourage others. I feel I can bring students, teachers and administrators together to make Townsend the best. I like helping others and have many skills like being organized and completing tasks. I like to do my best so others will be encouraged to do the same. Just like many of you, I strive hard to work hard in the classroom, participate in spirits days, serve my community and be my best at my outside activities. Vote for me and I will make 2015-2016 the best year ever!
Candidates for Renaissance Commissioner

Candidate Nine:

Next school year is a new beginning and I would like to start it with being your 2015-2016 Renaissance Commissioner. I realize that this is a big position to uphold but I feel that I have many characteristics that would make me capable of completing this job. First of all, I am a very energetic person and I believe that I could make next year’s rallies exciting and fun for everyone. Secondly, I am a hard worker and I would put all my effort into writing good rallies. Lastly, I am a good listener and I want to hear your ideas on how to make Townsend rallies spectacular.

The main thing that I would do, if I was your Renaissance Commissioner, is that I would make sure that everyone can participate in our rallies. I believe that this can happen by adding lots of games, performances by Band, Color Guard, Dance Team, Drama, and other activities. I enjoy creative writing and I have many ideas for the rallies for next year. Remember rallies are supposed to be fun! “Life moves pretty fast. If you don’t stop and look around once in awhile, you could miss it” - Ferris Bueller
Candidates for Community Commissioner

Candidate Ten:

Being involved in leadership last year was a privilege I learned so much from. Now, being given the opportunity to run for community commissioner is incredible. I have so many ideas that can help make our community and campus a much cleaner and fun place to be.

In an effort to help students feel appreciated at school, I would like to propose that in addition to distributing birthday cards to students on their birthdays, we also decorate their lockers. It is a fun way to make sure that each student is not forgotten on their birthday and to help make them feel part of the Townsend family.

The recycling program at Townsend is really an important fundraiser at our school. I want to make sure that we use the funds from our recycling program help our community. We could use this fundraiser to help our local pet shelter, Priceless Pets. Our school could have an impact helping unwanted pets in our community. I would personally take on the responsibility of transporting any recyclables to the recycling center myself. I would also promote recycling and community service on social media, because it is important and makes our school a cleaner and safer place to be.

In conclusion, I will do my best to make Townsend an awesome, clean, and fun place to be so everyone feels part of the Townsend family.
**Candidate Eleven:**

I would like to run for Community Commissioner. I think I would be a really good fit for this position. I am a very hard worker! I am very focused on my work and have bright ideas. I would have the students in my committee make cool posters and hang them around school. I would be the best leader and I promise my committee will be the best!!! I look forward to coordinating some awesome school activities. I am kind and responsible. If you give me a task, I will complete it to the best of my ability. When I was in 7th grade, I recycled in the Community Committee and I loved doing that! Last year, Audrey was the Commissioner and she did an awesome job. I want to be a positive leader and encourage Townsend students to volunteer and give back to the community. Please vote for me for Community Commissioner!!
**Candidate Twelve:**

Hi! I'm a fellow student of Townsend and I'm running for community commissioner! I am a student of this year’s Leadership class and hope that next year I will get in too. I have thought about writing this speech since the first time I stepped inside the Leadership classroom and I knew I had to go for community commissioner. I want to become community commissioner for the 2015-2016 school year because I have so many ideas that I have to make this school better in the community category. Some of my ideas are to have raffles for prizes if you ever participate in the drives like the Veteran sock drive. I also want to recognize those who score high on their effort GPA along with their GPA for their classes. Another thing I want to do is recruit more organizations who would offer community service to be done for them. These are just some of my ideas but if I go on this would become more of an essay than a speech and I'm pretty sure that we won't like to read an essay at this moment. The most important thing is that I want to recognize you guys for all the effort you guys put into school! I also want to help make a change in the school and the community and help get more people involved in helping the community too! Thank you for your time and consideration!

**Candidate Thirteen:**

I should be elected for Community Commissioner because I love my community and I would like to make it a better and safer place. I would make our environment cleaner by making recycling bins and picking up trash. Last but not least to Inspire others to help our community.
Candidates for Spirit Commissioner

**Candidate Fourteen:**

I believe I am the perfect candidate for the Spirit Commissioner's office, for I have had plenty of experience with Student Government, and I have many great ideas that I would love to bring to Townsend. To make our school the "BEST in the WEST", I will make sure to create Spirit Days that can relate to you, the student population, such as Knee Socks Day, Jersey Day, Fav Band T-Shirt Day, and so much more! I am able to maintain straight A's while participating in extracurricular activities and have many good work habits. I will promise Townsend a great 2015-2016 school year. In addition, I would love to include fun lunch Spirit Games that you guys love, like mini bowling, and if you win, you could receive cool prizes and Spirit points for your Spirit class. I would love to be elected for Spirit Commissioner for the 2015-2016 Townsend School year to make our school the "BEST in the WEST" and to help you enjoy your year through Jr. High.

**Candidate Fifteen:**

If you are looking for a great school year with lots of fun events & activities, look no further. I am the best candidate to be the Spirit Commissioner. I am creative, energetic, and a lot of fun. I am a good public speaker with lots of experiences. I have tons of cool and creative ideas to boost up the school spirits. I know what’s cool and what is in. These are the essentials for any successful activities & events. I’ll make the school activities fun for EVERYONE!! No one will ever be left out or feel bored. Please vote for me, and it will be the smartest choice you've ever made. Let's make the 2015-2016 school year the most memorable one!!
**Candidate Sixteen:**

Next year, I would like to be Leadership’s Spirit Commissioner. I had fun last year in the leadership class, and now I would like to be an even bigger leader at Townsend. I want to post up coming events and activities on social media, I will advertise every student at Townsend, and I want to make the best poster for spirit days. I am a very creative person, and I can come up with many new ideas for the spirit days next year at Townsend. I plan on making next year at Townsend more spirited than ever. I want to create the funniest, coolest, and best spirit days you will ever experience at Townsend. I am a very responsible person because I usually don’t forget things, such as homework, projects, and chores. I am honest because I never lie to anyone and I try to do everything correctly. I am dependable because I will be somewhere if I am needed there, and you can count on me to make next year at Townsend more fun filled and creative.
Candidate Seventeen:

Hey! Now I know that everyone hates reading speeches because they can be a drag, so I’ll make this short. I can’t tell you my name, but I want to be your spirit commissioner. If I am elected, I will make sure we have the very best spirit days, such as:

- Celebrity Dress Up Day
- Beach/Hawaiian Day
- Dress Like Your Teacher Day
- Formal Day
- Lazy day
- Pajama Day
- 50 Shades of Pink Day (For Breast Cancer Awareness Month)

If I’m your spirit commissioner, I will do the best I can to make the 2015-2016 school year a great one by planning amazing spirit days just for you! Hopefully, I will also be able to get your opinions on spirit days and games! Maybe we can have a suggestion box. All of this can only happen if you do one good thing. Vote for this speech! It’ll make your life so much better!
**Candidate Eighteen:**

Hey Townsend Rangers! I would like to be your ASB Spirit Commissioner. I have lots of great ideas for our next school year. For example, instead of just having random spirit days. I would have a vote at the start of every month where you can vote for your favorite ones and then we will do them. This way there will spirit days where you actually can dress up and participate based on our students' interests.

Some ideas for the spirit days would be Nike vs Adidas, Clippers vs Lakers day, Football vs basketball, college days, USC vs UCLA, crazy hair day, crazy hat day, sunglasses day, no shave November day, in which in one day in November we wear fake or draw on mustaches, and wearing pink for breast cancer.

I also would have fun spirit games. One day, we could have a free throw contest to see who can make the most free throws in a row. Another thing we could do is water pong.

To keep you guys informed on this I would keep little posters with the whole month's spirit days and would have it announced every day and on Thursday in 7th period. Another thing we could do would be to make a TJHS Instagram page and Twitter that would have daily reminders about what's coming up in school.

I hope to become your 2015-2016 ASB Spirit Commissioner, thank you.
Candidate Nineteen:

You have seen me in the crowd and thought “What is she wearing?” as you passed me by. Or if you knew me you would recognize me instantly. When spirit days come around I have fun dressing up! (Even if I look like a total weirdo) IF there is a….. let’s say rainbow spirit day. I would wear a different color for every piece of clothing. (Red hair things, yellow shirt, green tank top, blue jeans, black or brown shoes) Also, I have some fun new ideas for spirit days! For all those book nerds we could have a book month with mystery, science fiction, fantasy, and favorite book day. For all you outgoing students we could have a club (or favorite elective) day, theme park day, scary movie day, and favorite movie (or TV show) day. We could even have a dream moth where you dress up as something you wish you were (fairy, ninja, super hero, Einstein) spirit day, career day, athlete day, and Disney day (who hasn’t dreamed they could be in a Disney cartoon?). How about a 2015 trend month? We could do you tube day, selfie day (those shirts that have like photos with writing and stuff?), favorite song artist or band day, and Townsend spirit day (Who isn’t cooler than Townsend?). With, of course, breaks for holiday themed spirit days. And on and on (etc).” Well what about spirit games?” you might be thinking right about now (as I talk your ear off…… or is it write your eyes out?) Well I have some ideas or those too! How about (three categories: movies, songs, Disney) trivia? Or basket ball or follow the ding dong? We could even host competitions like dance offs, Who-can-remember-more-words-to-this-song- contest, and How lucky are you?( choose things like home work passes or frown-y faces A.K.A. nothing). We could have things like (if I get the a-okay) band tournaments, drama M.V.A.( most valuable actor), and art judging contests ( for wood shop, art class, and abstract artists - not involved in those electives just someone who wants to participate). Possibly, IF THE NEW RENAISSANCE COMMISSIONER, THE LEADERSHIP TEACHERS, AND THE PRINCIPAL SAY OK, the new renaissance commissioner could think of a few topics and you could vote on which one you want for the next rally. Maybe we could do the
same thing for spirit days and games (BUT ONLY IF THE PRINCIPAL AND THE LEADERSHIP TEACHERS AGREE!). If you think these ideas are good, the power is in your hands. I am utterly devoted to this school, I love it with all my heart, and I will try my best to be a spirited commissioner (if I am chosen).
Candidate Twenty:

As your School Spirit Commissioner, I vow to end homework! Just Kidding!!!
I can't do that, but what I can do is represent all of you. Since I came to Townsend, I have been participating in every School Spirit Day. Improving School Spirit Day is not a simple task. It requires lots of hard work and determination, but I'm ready to "Boost" spirit. The more creative the theme, the more fun it is. I will add a bit of flavor and fun to the School Spirit Dress up Days. I believe School Spirit is key to involve students with each other and our school.

Townsend students, let me hear you "clap your hands", clap, clap, clap, clap. Now that you've got the beat, "let me hear you stomp your feet" stomp, stomp, stomp, stomp. Now that you've got the groove, "let me see your dance", move your hips....

I will work hard to make this the best year Townsend Junior High has ever had.

What are you a fan of? What are your interests? What is your style?

I care about making sure every student can participate on Spirit Days, and before you go to screen saver mode, I want to share some ideas. How about teacher vs. students? I want for students to vote to get someone to dress like our school mascot and run down the halls with a group of students cheering "Go Rangers"

I will also plan a scavenger hunt that would get students working together and laughing. Have more dances, student appreciation week. If elected I will make our spirit activities interesting and enjoyable.

“We are all in this together” School Spirit.
Candidate Twenty-One:

I want to be your next Spirit Commissioner because I will make a positive difference in how School Spirit Activities are done. I will keep the activities that are working and re-invent the ones that need some tweaking. I will make most of the School Spirit Activities geared towards our now generations’. I will listen to how you want things done and I will make sure I consider you as well as your idea. School Spirit will start to change for the better!!!

Watch out for our FUN Filled Lunchtime Activities, your mind will be blown away with craziness.

Our School Spirit Dress Up days will keep everyone’s head turning and eyes popping.

The Theme Weeks will definitely be the one to wait and watch for…… because you will not believe how massive …… I better stop!!!

If you want to know and experience how I can make our Spirit Activities thrilling and sooooo much fun, you have to vote for me.
*Candidates for Publicity Commissioner*

**Candidate Twenty-two:**

There are many candidates, just look around and see

But I'm the one that you should pick to lead publicity

There are several reasons why I'm perfect for this task

And if you need a helping hand, all you have to do is ask

I'll make it fun to hear school news; this rhyme is just the start

And if I am elected, I will surely do my part

I'll make cool posters and awesome signs for every event

It would be a major honor if chosen to represent

I know this poem is short, just a simple little note,

Thank you for your time today, and hopefully your vote.
Candidate Twenty-three:

I believe I have great qualities that would help me become an excellent publicity commissioner. I work well with others, I am organized, and I have experience in this committee.

Since I work well with others, I will have the ability to run the publicity committee efficiently. I would assign tasks in a timely manner to get projects completed faster so everyone would know about upcoming school events sooner. This would increase student participation in spirit days. Working well with others can help me achieve this goal.

Being organized will help me become a great publicity commissioner. I would carefully keep track of all of the events going on in school, make posters, put notices in the morning bulletin, and post on social media. I would do my best to ensure that all activities and events are advertised around the school in order to increase participation. I believe that I can handle any task that is presented to me.

Having experience in the publicity committee will definitely help me become a great publicity commissioner because having this exposure has given me ideas to improve it. I will make sure all committee tasks are completed with quality and in a timely manner. I will also make sure all work is delegated to make sure each committee member's talents are fully utilized.

I hope to serve Townsend as publicity commissioner for the 2015-2016 school year. I would be honored to do whatever I can to improve our school.
Candidate Twenty-four:

Hey guys! Have you ever noticed the colorful posters hanging around the school? That’s the work of Townsend’s Leadership, particularly the Publicity Committee.

If you choose me to be your Publicity Commissioner, I’ll be the one to help our school become a brighter place. If you have any ideas for cool things to add to our school, let me know! I’m trying out for the Dance Team next year, so I can try to get them to perform at more rallies and assemblies, because I know you love that! I’ll try to be the best leader I can be, and will make sure my committee’s jobs get done. If you choose me to be your next Publicity Commissioner, I will use all my creativity, and yours too, to create an environment that makes our school look fantastic. So drop yo’ vote if you want me as your 2015 - 2016 Publicity Commissioner. Thank you!
Candidates for ASB Treasurer

Candidate Twenty-five:

The reason I want to be the treasurer for my leadership class is because I am very organized and efficient. My room is perfectly straight and clean. I am very efficient because I have been saving up for a computer and have only spent some of that money for something that will make the computer better. Another reason I think I should be treasurer is because I am good with numbers. I am very good with mental math. All in all, these are the reasons that I should be elected the ASB treasurer.