

My name is Haila Moazami, and I will be a junior in the upcoming 2020-2021 school year. In this officer election, I am running for the position of Sergeant at Arms. I have been a member of the Dexter Drama Club since seventh grade, and have been in as many shows as possible since. While I have never had a lead role, I have played a few minor characters such as Charley in *Oliver*, Mayor of Munchkin City in *The Wizard of Oz*, and The Mad Hatter in *Alice*, during 3D. In *Fiddler On The Roof*, I was selected as a Dance Captain due to both my ability to learn dances quickly, and my leadership skills. I have worked very hard to improve my skills as an actor outside of the club as well, and have attended Thespian Festival and quite a few theater workshops.

The Sergeant at Arms is responsible for planning bonding events and spirit weeks, and keeping morale up within the club. I'm a very creative person, so coming up with fun ideas for potential bonding events and spirit week days is something I excel at. My experience with art also helps me with designing fun flyers and putting together packets that relay information efficiently. Keeping the club members engaged with new ideas without eliminating the old favorites is a fun challenge that I'd love to tackle.

The Sergeant at Arms is also tasked with trying to recruit new club members, leading warmup games, and making announcements about the club. I have a lot of experience with public speaking. I've done numerous school presentations, I've performed in many plays and musicals, and I took the senior speech class this year. Before each of our shows, I announce them to my classes and try to get people to come. During spirit week, classmates make a point to ask why I'm wearing the outfit for that day, and I yell my answer so as many people as possible will hear. I've participated in warmup games over my time with the club, so I'm familiar with the rules and I can explain them to others. I've also lead warmup games in choir, and many of the games we played were Drama warmup games. I am very capable of the leadership expected from the position.

The Sergeant at Arms position requires a lot of time management and organization. Over the course of my participation in the Drama Club, I have learned how to better plan out my time. I have learned to give myself frequent reminders to get tasks done, and plan far in advance to make sure they're done on time. I understand how important time management is for this job. Planning bonding events, speeches, warmups, and much more will require the skills I've developed. As your Sergeant at Arms, I will work as hard as I possibly can to complete work efficiently, and plan events completely.

I am creative, I have experience with leadership, I'm skilled in presentation, and I am a dedicated Drama Club Member. I care about the success of the club, and I will do everything I can as Sergeant at Arms and as Haila Moazami to make it as accepting and engaging for others as it has been for me. I want to be someone who can help. I want every member of the Drama Club to feel safe and happy. I want to make an impact on the community we've made, and as Sergeant at Arms this is something I can accomplish. I hope you consider me for your Sergeant at Arms in the 2020-2021 school year.