

My name is Emma Ockerman and I'll be going into my junior year next year. This year in the drama club I have been in Sherwood: The Adventures of Robin Hood as Alize and guard 3 as well as make up crew, Crafting a Killer as Red and hair crew, and Tarzan as a water fairy, butterfly, and gorilla and hair crew. I have also attended most of the bounding events as well as the improv workshops! Sergeant at Arms has been one of the positions I have wanted to hold ever since meeting Emmy. She truly made me feel welcome and like I was in a safe space and I want to present other people with that opportunity. I will be joining the link crew this school year to help our new freshmen navigate the school as they join after a crazy year and of course to tell them about the amazing drama club. I am an organized person who loves planning and hosting different events all throughout the year. I love hosting events because it brings a sense of community to the people around you and lets you start having deeper connections to them and possibly forge a new friendship!

As Sergeant at Arms my biggest idea is to turn spirit week into a bounding event/ mini competition with prizes. I am hopeful that the world will be in a place where I can offer cookies and baked goods as the prize for first place, if not, I'm sure I can find something just as fun! I can bake for almost any allergy, for those with dietary restrictions. For spirit week we would be grouped into teams with different grade levels and roles in the club in order to connect people who might not normally talk to each other. These teams will come up with a team name and be awarded points for participating in the spirit day! The points will be individually based and any weekend spirit days I may add will be worth double points. Creating teams for spirit week opens up more possible theme ideas and allows people to work together and have a fabulous multi person outfit, awkward family photos for one.

I have a number of other ideas I hope to bring to life through this position, some of which I will talk about in my speech and others that will come to me over the summer. Overall I hope you choose me to be the one to bring smiles to faces and create amazing memories and opportunities to connect! I think some of the best things come from the people you least expect, so engaging everyone becomes key. Thank you for taking the time to read my letter.