Murch Student Council

Officer Positions:

- President and Vice-President- 1 of each
 Candidate must be a current 5th grader
- Secretary and Treasurer- 1 of each
 Candidate must be a current 4th grader
- Class Representatives: 1 from each homeroom in grades 3-5

Commitments:

- Be willing to lead your class in grade, school, and community events/projects.
- Meet with Advisors on Tuesdays, from 8:00am-8:30am, beginning on 1/20/2026 in Room A104.
- As elected officials, you are expected to display behaviors that are reflective of our school's culture and values.
- You may run for an office (for 4th and 5th Graders) or a class representative, but not both positions. 3rd graders may only run for class representative.

Election Information:

Class representatives: Write a 5-sentence paragraph on why you should be your homeroom's class representative. Submit your paragraph to your homeroom teacher by <u>January 8</u>.

Voting for class representatives will be held in homerooms by January 15.

Campaign posters and speeches (only for officer candidates), must be approved & turned in to Mrs. Dresbach or Mrs. Birgfeld by <u>January 8</u>. Speeches may not be more than 2 minutes long.

Speeches will be given in the gym on <u>Friday</u>, <u>January 16</u> at 8:45am. Voting in homerooms will take place after speeches. Grades 3-5 are the only grades that will be in the gym and then voting.

Election Results will be announced at the end of the day on January 16.

*All votes are final. The elected officials will be gracious-this is the expected behavior.

*If you are not elected, you are also expected to display gracious behavior.

Be creative. Capture why your peers should vote for you. Be careful of promises (Only ones that you can deliver on).

Unexcused absences from meetings may result in forfeiting your post.

Good Luck to all Candidates!

Mrs. Dresbach, Ms. Birgfeld, Mr. Markus, Ms. Pazmino, Ms. Ritter, Ms. Wilson

Questions?

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