

# Criteria for Election

## All candidates must provide:

- Completed petition for office, code of conduct and leadership contract. This packet and its included information must be turned in to the election committee; Mr. Ainsworth, (Room 762) Caleb Butler, Mason Kinzer, or Heidi Lint by **April 19, 2018** at 3:00pm. If you can't find a member of the committee, turn it into the front office by the same date and time. Remember, you are able to turn your packet in before the due date☺
- Complete speech presentations will be turned in for approval by **April 20, 2018** by 3:00pm to the election committee or front office. Speeches are approved by the election committee. Speeches will not exceed 2 minutes in length and the candidates may not adjust speeches after they have been approved. Any changes will result in a mandatory forfeit from the election.
- There will be an Informational meeting on **April 4, 2018** during all three lunches. We will go over guidelines and speeches, as well as campaigning issues.

## Campaigning:

- Campaigning will take place from **March 9<sup>th</sup> to April 27<sup>th</sup> 2018**. **You must have materials Completed packet turned in in order to Campaign.**
- You may place posters on school property; All materials must be approved and signed to indicate approval by the Administration. (Shari Warren)
- Use only masking tape, scotch tape or poster Tac materials for hanging posters. **Do not** place materials on windows.
- **Keep all campaign materials positive and do not slander competitors. Do not cover or remove competitors' materials.**
- All campaign materials need to be removed by 3:30pm on **April 27, 2018**.

## Election Dates: All election assemblies will be no longer than 40 minutes ASB will speak at all assemblies.

- Speeches and Elections for the current freshmen class (up-coming sophomores); will be held on **April 24<sup>th</sup> 2018** during advisory period.

Teachers will take attendance for freshmen and bring them to the gym at 9:10

- Speeches and Elections for the current sophomore class (up-coming juniors) will be held on **April 25<sup>th</sup> 2018** during advisory

Teachers will take attendance for sophomores and bring them to the gym at 9:00 (Early Release)

- Speeches and Elections for the current Junior class (up-coming seniors) will be held on **April 26<sup>th</sup> 2018** during Advisory

Teachers will take attendance for juniors and bring them to the gym at 9:10

For class council offices, the candidates receiving the most votes will be the president, the second secretary/treasurer. The following three runners up will be class council members.

**PETITION FOR CLASS OFFICE**

Candidates Name:	Current year in school or class 9,10,11	Office Petitioning for: 10,11,12, ASB

To qualify for a Student Body Office or for a Class Office, a student must maintain a scholastic grade point average **2.5 or better each quarter without any F's** and hold no other major office. Should an office holder fail to maintain an average grade point of 2.5 per quarter their removal from office shall be mandatory.

I hereby have read the above statement and fully understand the qualifications of candidacy and the consequences if my grade point average should fall below a 2.5 per quarter.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Candidate's Signature

The following documentation must be presented to one administrator, leadership advisor, and three faculty members for signature:

- 1. Faculty Letter of Recommendation (E-mailed statement satisfies requirement)**
- 2. Signed code of Conduct & Contract Form**
- 3. Short answer Document**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Administrator

\_\_\_\_\_  
Faculty Member

\_\_\_\_\_  
Leadership Advisor

\_\_\_\_\_  
Faculty Member

\_\_\_\_\_  
Faculty Member

**20** legible Student class signatures:

(Class council candidates are required to get signatures from current class only)


# Contract for Student Council/ Student Body Officer Candidates:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Student name)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

My responsibility as a student leader at Nampa Senior High School includes being a positive role model for my peers. Students, faculty and staff, parents and community members form perceptions regarding the Nampa High student body based on my behavior.

As a condition of running for/holding student office, I agree to at all times act in a manner that provides a positive role model for my peers and that demonstrates to parents, faculty, staff, and the community the high standards of the students that I represent at Nampa High.

I understand and agree to meet the following conditions. I understand that breaking this contract will result in voluntary resignation or removal from office:

1. I will attend all classes unless legitimately excused as described under the school board policy. Any unexcused absence will violate this contract.
2. I will be on time to classes. More than four tardies each semester in all classes combined will be considered excessive.
3. I will interact with adults and students in a respectful manner.
4. I will adhere to all conditions of the contract required for all student officers. I will obey all school rules and comply with all policies.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Student Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

I understand and support the conditions of this contract. I will help encourage my son/daughter to fulfill the responsibilities of student leadership and to be a positive role model for peers.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Parent/guardian signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

# Student Officer Code of Conduct

*As a student officer, and a member of the student leadership class, I pledge my enthusiastic support to the goals and purposes upon which Nampa Senior High was founded.*

*I pledge my support and interest to the entire student body, staff and administration, realizing that each and every person has individual needs and desires. In addition, I accept my responsibilities as a role model to my peers and to my community.*

*I pledge my support to my student government and its constitution, and promise to abide by its policies, precepts, and purposes.*

*As an elected student officer, I pledge my talents, knowledge, and skills to the betterment of my elected office. As an elected officer, I realize that my major responsibilities are to be of service, dependable, and responsive to the needs and desires of the school community, students, teachers, administrators and the Nampa community.*

*I pledge and promise to be honest, ethical and forthright in the leadership and operations of my elected office.*

## ***I WILL EXEMPLIFY THE FOLLOWING QUALITIES OF A GOOD STUDENT LEADER:***

Responsible	Accountable	Innovative	Intelligent
Respectful	Sense of Humor	Loyal	Accepting
Patient	Understanding	Efficient	Pro-Active
Organized	Impartial	Sensitive	Attendance
Energetic	Creative	Dependable	Punctual

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(Signature)

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(Date)

# **Short Answer Document**

*(Please compose a 3-5 sentence paragraph for each question in the space provided.)*

**1. Why do you feel you would make a good candidate for your class? What can you contribute to them?**

**2. What motivates you to take on this responsibility?**

**3. What will you do to make Nampa High School a better place?**

