

Student Council Log

2017 - 2018

Members

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<u>President</u>	Morgan Raines (Grade 12)
<u>Vice President</u>	Damon Mabe (Grade 12)
<u>Secretary</u>	Alexa (Lexi) Reynolds (Grade 11)
<u>Special Projects Coordinator</u>	Jeriel Jammullamudy (Grade 12) <i>Resigned 8/16/2017</i> Charles Keer (Grade 11)
<u>Welcome Committee Leader</u>	Mikayla Pastrano (Grade 9)
<u>Spiritual Life Leader</u>	Hudson Roseboom (Grade 11)
<u>Editor-in-Chief</u>	Nastassia Naskov (Grade 12)
<u>Annalist</u>	Cody Johnson (Grade 10)
<u>Librarian</u>	Emily Toepler (Grade 11)
<u>12th Grade Representative</u>	Debora Sandahl
<u>11th Grade Representative</u>	Brianna Harpel
<u>10th Grade Representative</u>	Kalyssa Farrer
<u>9th Grade Representative</u>	Lydia Roseboom
<u>8th Grade Representative</u>	Carolyn Sie
<u>7th Grade Representative</u>	Ruth Paul
<u>6th Grade Representative</u>	Karsten Ceana Joaquin
<u>Student Council Advisor</u>	Mrs. Stephanie Shafer
<u>Student Council Advisor</u>	Miss Kandice (Kandi) Permann

[*Student Council Member Responsibilities*](#)

Mission

To bridge the gap between the Student Body and the NSA Staff.

Vision

To promote growth in FirstClass activity, relationships, leadership, and entertainment by staying connected to all students through means of instant message, posters, websites, and other means of communication.

Keywords: growth, relationships, connectivity.

Student Council “Notables”

Logo

The following is the new Student Council logo created by Cody Johnson, SC Annalist. It has a transparent background and is available in a range of colors.



Mascot

The Student Council mascot, Seal of Approval, was implemented by Kassia Fisher, 2016 - 2017 SC President. It is primarily used on official documents and “orders” as well as the occasional fun application.



Icon

The Student Council icon (and subsequent categories) were decided through a voting process by the 2017 - 2018 Student Council. The icon is for use on FirstClass.



Colors

The Student Council colors are used throughout FirstClass and other places to identify the Student Council. The first color is used primarily for backgrounds on FirstClass. The following two colors are used on the Student Council website.

#ACDFFE, Columbia Blue

#C73E2B, Persian Red

#007AE7, Navy Blue

Font

Verdana, 12 pt, Dark Blue

Other Projects

NSA Website

In July of 2017, Morgan Raines, Damon Mabe, Jeriel Jammullamudy, Hudson Roseboom, Nastassia Naskov, Cody Johnson, and others worked with the NSA office to create student pages for the new NorthStar Academy website (www.northstar-academy.org). Together they

created three pages detailing life as a student at NSA: Student Perspective, Connect, and Activities. Refer to the below review from Morgan Raines (President) for more information.

Please briefly describe the project/event.

This project was requested by Mrs. Shafer. She approached me and asked me to collect 5-10 students who would be willing to assist in building the Student pages on the new NSA website. These pages consisted of Student Perspective, Connect, and Activities. The main participants were Morgan Raines, Damon Mabe, Cody Johnson, Jeriel Jammullamudy, Nastassia Naskov, and Hudson Roseboom. We also got student testimonies from various other students. The template was formed on Google Sites to be transferred by Mr. Swaney onto northstar-academy.org.

Was it successful? What was the general response?

Yes, the project was successful. The office staff loved the results and have put it up on the new website.

Name some specific struggles that you had with this project.

I would say content quality was a main struggle. If you are making videos, you need to make sure that the people who you request those videos from have both the proper equipment, speaking skills, time, and script to effectively portray the spirit of NSA. We eventually did achieve this, but it took a little patience and time.

What changes would you suggest for people who undertake this or similar projects in the future?

Encourage your fellow team members to challenge your decisions and to give suggestions of their own. This isn't a one man show, and though you may think that you made the right decision, it is very possible that you've either been blinded by your assurance in that decision or that you just can't see all of the avenues of thought that need to go in. Two heads are better than one, so utilize all the heads that you can get ;) Also, be okay with handing over authority when you need to step away. Respect your teammates and their decision making abilities.

Accomplishments

- Streamlined and developed the Navigator.
 - Edited the Application and moved it to Google Forms.
 - Introduced the Navigator to an online platform (outside of FirstClass).
- Reintroduced the Student Council Log for comprehensive record-keeping.
- Created student pages for the new NSA Website.
- Introduced a Student Council Website.
- Ran TIP successfully for another year.
 - Streamlined the program by editing the dates and application.
- Introduced “StuCo Notables.”

Appendix

“Are you my appendix? Because I have this funny feeling in my stomach that I need to take you out.” - Ashley Klassen

Abbreviations/Acronyms

NSA: NorthStar Academy
FC: FirstClass
HS: High School
MS: Middle School
ES: Elementary School
SC: Student Council
VP: Vice President
SPC: Special Projects Coordinator
WCL: Welcome Committee Leader
SLL: Spiritual Life Leader
EIC: Editor-in-Chief
Rep(s): Representative(s)
TIP: The Internship Program
Nav: Navigator

Project Review

The following project review was created by Morgan Raines and Cody Johnson on July 9, 2017, for the purpose of expanding the SC Log. It is to be distributed to the appropriate members at the end of every contest, celebration, project, etc.

Please briefly describe the project/event.

Was it successful? What was the general response?

Name some specific struggles that you had with this project.

What changes would you suggest for people who undertake this or similar projects in the future?

Job Review

The following job review is to be distributed at the end of each semester under the direction of the Secretary.

What aspects of your job/position did you like?

If you could have this job again, what would you change? Or would you do things the same?

What are some tips and tricks that you would give to the next *insert your position here*?

What changes would make your job easier or more effective? (Optional but HIGHLY recommended.)

Anything else you would like to say? (You may say whatever your mind would like to say, SC related or not.)