



The MHJA is pleased to announce something new and exciting for 2020... **the MHJA Junior Board!** After a few successful years for the MHJA Junior program, we're excited to form a new board of MHJA Junior members to provide leadership & representation for the MHJA Junior program, give the MHJA Board an improved opportunity to hear from this growing segment of our association, and also offer a leadership opportunity for our youth. We look forward to their input, energy, and leadership in 2020!

We're encouraging MHJA Junior members to apply if they're interested in serving on this new Board. The application as well as an overview of the Board (including the purpose, responsibilities, and officer roles), is included in the attached document. In addition to the application we're requesting a letter of recommendation. To apply a candidate needs to be in 6th grade or older, have been a member of the MHJA for at least 2 years, and be committed to attending Junior Board meetings / calls and meeting the responsibilities of the Board.

All applications and letters of recommendation should be submitted to mhjjuniorsinfo@gmail.com by Friday, November 22. Late applications will not be considered.

The Board will be selected and announced by the MHJA Junior Board Committee, with approval from the MHJA Board of Directors. (Board members with juniors who apply will be *excused* from the selection process). All other things being equal, priority will be given to older juniors so all who would like to serve have an opportunity. Junior Board Officers will be selected by the Junior Board at their first meeting.

Please see the attached overview for more information, and if you have any additional questions please email mhjjuniorsinfo@gmail.com or contact any member of the MHJA Junior Board committee (listed below).

Thank you!

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