

RILEY BESSOFF

HOTTY BOARD 2024-2025 PRESIDENT CANDIDATE

I am truly grateful for HOTTY, this youth group that has played such a significant role in my life. It taught me teamwork, event planning, and responsibility. The friendships I've formed are priceless, and I aim for all HOTTYites to have a similar experience. Serving on the board provided me with new insights into the planning process. As your 2024-2025 President, I want this to be a year of growth for HOTTY, more members, more events, and whole lot more fun!

GOALS & IDEAS

INTERACTIVE BOARD ACTIVITIES

In order to have a successful year, it is important that the board feels comfortable sharing ideas and being creative. I would make it a priority to include fun team-building activities at not only the Board Retreat, but HOTTY Board meetings throughout the year to keep us motivated and excited!

WEEKLY BOARD CHECK-INS

Communication is key! I will make it a priority to keep in contact with all board members and ensure that everyone is up to date and understands what is needed to plan successful events. My goal is to send out weekly board check-ins whether that's to the whole board or individual members. By doing so, I can offer help to any board member and ensure they feel confident in their work.

CREATIVE BRAINSOTRMING

I will strive to help the board create fun, meaningful programs and events. To do so, I will ensure that all ideas are heard and seen. Coming up with ideas for future events should be exciting. I will work to form a creative environment and include group activities that get ideas flowing.

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT - THERE'S NO "I" IN TEAM

As president, I want the HOTTY board and members to be able to take control and show off their unique leadership skills! I will strongly encourage extended leadership to allow HOTTYites to get creative and take the lead. I think this is crucial to leading a successful board and youth group. This not only helps in distributing responsibilities but also creates a sense of ownership and dedication towards HOTTY's goals.

HOTTY FUN AND TRADITIONS

I want HOTTY to feel like a big family to all members! For events, we will have a certain attendance goal that the board will work to meet so we can have as many HOTTYites together at once! Additionally, I want to keep long-kept HOTTY traditions in practice. Honoring Herbert and keeping old jokes alive, I want HOTTY to be what you call home.



EXPERIENCE

- 2023-2024 HOTTY Religious and Cultural Vice President
- Madricha
- Social Action Film Work With Tomorrow Pictures
- Representative Of The Arthritis Foundation
- HOTTY Extended Leadership/Committees
- 2023 Camp Jenny SIT

I want to be your 2024-2025 President so I can help HOTTY achieve its goals and have the best year ever!

MID-YEAR BOARD RETREAT

To keep us motivated, I want to have a mid-year board retreat! Half way through the year, everyone seems to get a little tired. I think this is the perfect way to kick back, relax, have a little fun, and bond!

