

Candidate Statement for Treasurer

Courtney Thayer

Our family joined ORJT this year and have been so impressed with the dedication and values of the coaches and families. I'd love the opportunity to lend my support as the Treasurer. As the owner of Thayer Accounting, I have over 20 years of experience working with a variety of businesses, and have worked with several other school and sports organizations in this capacity over those years. Thanks for considering me for this opportunity. Let's Go Trojans!

Brian Bearden

Parent of Anara Stoppa (Pee Wee Cheer)

I'm excited to run for the position of **Treasurer** on the Oak Ridge Jr Trojans Board. As a parent and active supporter of the ORJT community, I'd be honored to contribute my financial expertise to help ensure our programs remain strong, sustainable, and transparent for all families involved.

Professionally, I serve as a **Financial Specialist at New York Life**, where I help families secure their assets and design custom financial plans based on their goals for retirement, legacy, and generational wealth. I'm currently pursuing my certification as a **Certified Financial Planner** — and when it comes to numbers, spreadsheets, and strategy, I'm right in my element.

I bring a passion for precision and a deep respect for accountability. As Treasurer, I'll ensure that every dollar is tracked, every report is accurate, and every decision is made with transparency and trust. This program means a great deal to our family, and I'd be proud to serve in a role that keeps it financially sound and thriving.

Thank you for your time and consideration. I look forward to the opportunity to give back to the Jr Trojans and support its continued success.