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WELCOME TO

THE AMERICAN LEGION

Mountaineer Boys' State

Department of West Virginia

The 51st Annual American Legion Mountaineer Boys' State was officially underway yesterday afternoon at 1:00 p.m. when the Boys' State Administrator, Robert Stine, began registering the 1988 citizens from throughout the State of West Virginia. Mr. Stine has served Mountaineer Boys' State for 30 years and is presently in his seventh year as the administrator of the Boys' State program.

Mr. Stine pledges to continue the same high quality program that has been so successful in the past. The Staff is here to help the citizens. If you need any help with campaigns, et cetera, please let us know. We'll help you in any way we can. If you have any news you'd like to have printed in the daily newspaper, we'd like to know about it. We need your help also. This is your paper, and you should have part in the news.

Please enjoy the week. Get involved in the activities offered this week; whether it be in the elections or athletics. Have a good time, learn a lot about your State Government, and make friends.

FROM THE EDITOR'S TYPEWRITER:

During the course of the week you will be scored on many phases of citizenship while at Mountaineer Boys' State. Daily scores will be given on cottage check. The results of the scores will be published each day in the newspaper and a final score at the end of the week. "Pitch in" and help your counselors and citizens. They would love to have the highest score for the week. Clean up your quarters and see how your score will total at the end of the week.

Also daily scores will be printed of the athletic events. Watch for your cottage and the results of the athletic events. Join in and help your cottage. There will be competition in Volleyball, basketball, and softball.

Please feel free to have news printed in the paper. If you have anything you would like to add to the newspaper we will be happy to print it. Bring your news to Headquarters.

MONDAY, JUNE 13, 1988

6:30 A.M. REVELLE AND CLEAN QUARTERS  
7:20 A.M. FLAG RAISING  
7:25 A.M. BREAKFAST  
8:00 A.M. FILE FOR STATE OFFICES AT GHQ - HARRISON COTTAGE

GROUP ARRANGEMENT BY COUNTIES TO MEET ASSIGNMENTS FOR LECTURES

GROUP 1 - MARION, KANAWHA  
GROUP 2 - BRAXTON, WEBSTER  
GROUP 3 - PANHANDLE, GILMER, MONROE  
GROUP 4 - LEWIS, UPSHUR, BARBOUR  
GROUP 5 - RANDOLPH, CALHOUN, MONONGALIA

COURSE -- SEWING CENTER, LEFT; TAXATION - FLAMENAY; LAW LECTURE - RURAL ELECTRIC;  
MAGISTRATE COURT -- WV BLDG.; STATE POLICE - SEWING CENTER, RIGHT

	8:10-8:45	8:55-9:30	9:40-10:15	10:25-11:00	11:00-11:45
GRP 1	COURTS	TAXATION	LAW LECTURE	MGS. COURT	STATE POLICE
GRP 2	TAXATION	LAW LECTURE	MGS. COURT	STATE POLICE	COURTS
GRP 3	LAW LECTURE	MGS. COURT	STATE POLICE	COURTS	TAXATION
GRP 4	MAGISTRATE CT.	STATE POLICE	COURTS	TAXATION	LAW LECTURE
GRP 5	STATE POLICE	COURTS	TAXATION	LAW LECTURE	MGS. COURT

INSTRUCTORS

COURTS - DANNY STAGGERS  
TAXATION - ROGER SMITH  
LAW LECTURE - JAMES ST. CLAIR  
MAGISTRATE COURT - CHARLES HOWARD  
STATE POLICE - TROOPER B.L. BURNER

AFTERNOON

12:15 LUNCH - SEC. OF STATE KEN HECHLER

1:15 -1:50 BAR EXAM AT ASSEMBLY HALL. ALL PROSPECTIVE LAWYERS, JUDGES,  
PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS AND MAGISTRATES MUST PASS EXAM TO BE ELIGIBLE

2:00-3:40 PARTY CAUCUSES - FEDERALISTS IN WEST VIRGINIA BUILDING AND NATIONALISTS  
IN ASSEMBLY HALL.  
ELECTION OF OFFICIALS - PREPARE BALLOTS. CANDIDATES ELECTIONEER AND  
GET ACQUAINTED WITH VOTERS. CANDIDATES IN PRIMARY SHOULD BE  
PREPARING MATERIAL. ADVANCE PREPARED MATERIAL NOT ALLOWED.

3:45-5:00 ATHLETICS - FOLLOW SCHEDULE PRESENTED. BAND PRACTICE

5:15-5:25 RETREAT

5:30 DINNER - CHARLOTTE LAND - JOHN McCUSKEY

6:15-7:15 ATHLETICS - BAND

7:30 ASSEMBLY - AMERICAN LEGION PROGRAM - ALAN B. MOLLOHAN  
ELECTION - POLLS CLOSE AT 10:00 P.M.  
TROPHY COMMITTEE REPORT

10:45 TAPS ALL CITIZENS IN BED - LIGHTS OUT AT 11:00 P.M.

Athletic Schedule - Monday, June 13, 1988

Area I - Volleyball  
Area II - Baseball Field  
Area III - Field Near Assembly Hall  
Area IV - Basketball - Behind Calhoun Cottage

AFTERNOON

Area I	Area II	Area III	Area IV
Lewis - F Kanawha - N	1. Braxton - N Calhoun	1. Panhandle - F Kanawha - F	Randolph - Marion - F
	2. Monroe - N Monongalia	2. Gilmer Panhandle - N	

EVENING

Area I	Area II	Area III	Area IV
Braxton - N Monongalia	1. Lewis - N Upshur	1. Braxton - F Barbour	Monroe Calhoun
	2. Randolph - F Webster	2. Marion - N Monroe - F	

OH, THE DRUMS GO BANG AND THE CYMBALS CLANG ---

This is the many sounds of the Mountaineer Boys' State band. The band, under the direction of Rick Reese, assisted by Steve Lough and Alex Reneman, play an important part in the Boys' State program. I'm sure all you citizens realize this at assembly every evening.

Rick Reese is the Sheriff of Taylor County. He takes time from his busy schedule to help with the Boys' State program each year. We appreciate his dedication and talent. Without the band, the program would not be as lively and festive. Thanks to Rick Reese and his assistants.

## "MEN OF TOMORROW"

This song is in your manual. Please learn this & sing along as you enter the dining hall at each meal.

Oh, we're the  
Men of To..mor..row, we march along in happy ranks today.  
We never bor..row a bit of care or grief along the way.  
Glad..ly we're learning the things a good American should  
know.  
Glad..ly we're yearn...ing to chart the way a patriot  
should go.  
With lessons done, objectives won  
Good citizens we'll be;  
We'll proudly stand in our home land  
Where Mountaineers are free.  
Men....of Tomor...row, good fellowship each one of us  
enjoys,  
Men....of Tomor...row, a group of all American boys.

NEELY SPEAKS

Justice Richard Neely, a member of the West Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals, addressed the citizens of Mountaineer Boys' State at the Sunday evening assembly. He was elected to the House of Delegates for one term, after which he was elected to the Supreme Court and served a 12 year term. He is now in his second 12 year term. Two times during this period he served as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Appeals.

Justice Neely was well received by the citizens. He used several ironical situations to impress upon the citizens that politicians do make many promises that are not kept. He also discussed the serious problems in the State of West Virginia today: unemployment and education. He also stressed that honesty is necessary on the part of all candidates.

We are grateful to Justice Neely for participating in this 51st Mountaineer Boys' State.

J. CARL DURHAM GIVES WECOMING ADDRESS TO CITIZENS

Mr. J. Carl Durham, Department Commander of the American Legion of West Virginia, gave a welcoming address to all citizens at the Sunday night assembly. He urged all citizens to take advantage of this citizenship-training program to the best of their ability.

He added that the program at Mountaineer Boys' State is one of the most important functions of the American Legion, and the main goal of the program is to better prepare the youth of West Virginia to assume roles of leadership which will be passed to them.



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DON'T FORGET TO FILE FOR OFFICE WITH MR. RIFFLE IN HARRISON HEADQUARTERS. CHECK YOUR MANUAL FOR PROPER PROCEDURES.

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