



TO: Citizens of South Dakota American Legion Boys State

City Assignment:

Congratulations on your selection to attend South Dakota American Legion Boys State. On behalf of the Boys State staff, this is to extend our congratulations and welcome you to the 75th Anniversary session of Boys State.

Please Read the following information carefully!

1. The enclosed Medical Statement/Claim Waiver and Release of Information; must be completed and signed by your parent or legal guardian. Also, bring the signed Resolution 16 document, and the Legion Boys State city assignment (this document). **These four documents must be present with you at registration. Please have them on your person and not in your luggage upon arrival.**
2. Study the attached 2017 American Legion Boys State Manual. You will receive a hard copy of the 2017 American Legion Boys State Manual once you sign in at Boys State.
3. Read page 5 of your Manual **carefully** so you know what items to bring with you to Boys State.
4. Report to the Camp Director between 12:00 PM and 2:30 PM, Monday, May 29th at the Barnett Center, Northern State University. The Barnett Center is located at the corner of State Street and 15th Avenue S.E. It is imperative to be on time!
5. The Samsung Scholarship application **must be completed online at <http://www.legion.org/samsung-scholarship-application>**. Boys Staters applying for the Samsung Scholarship will need to select the *Register* option to set up a legion.org username and password. **All applications must be completed online prior to your arrival on Monday, May 29th.**
6. If, for any reason, you find you cannot attend, please notify your sponsoring American Legion Post. Also, advise the Registrar Rick MacDonald at 24195 Alkan Lane, Hermosa, SD 57744, phone 605 255-5587.
7. You will be expected to remain at American Legion Boys State for the entire week, from Monday, May 29th, until Friday, June 2nd.

We are looking forward to your attendance. We are confident you will remember South Dakota Boys State as a pleasant and rewarding experience.

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