

THE MOUNTAINEER

Welcome to ALMBS

By: *The American Legion Mountaineer Boys State*

The 79th Annual opportunities for each citizen to American Legion Boys State have hands on learning in officially began yesterday, June 12, 2016. 410 young men from all regions of West Virginia went through the registration process, which included their cottage and party assignments, as well as issuance of their American Legion Boys State t-shirts.

The American Legion Boys State counselors and staff are volunteers who are available to help with any need that may arise whether it is career path questions or simply homesickness.

Throughout the week, scores will be given on many phases of citizenship while participating in the activities of *The American Legion Boys State Manual of Government*, which will be his guide throughout the week.

The American Legion Boys State program offers

Deadline for filing for office is Monday, June 12, 2017, at 12:15pm!!! File for state offices at Headquarters.

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#ALMBS

Week That Shapes A Lifetime!

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US Flag Code

Adopted June 14, 1923

On June 14, 1923, Representatives from over 68 organizations, led by the American Legion's Americanism Commission, met to draft an authentic code of flag etiquette. The code drafted by this conference was given nationwide distribution. This was done so that we all do things the same way when it comes to the Flag of the United States of America.

The Flag of the United States is considered to be a living symbol representing our country. Your flag represents the many freedoms, rights, and responsibilities entrusted to the citizens of this country. The proper display and use of the flag is the responsibility of every citizen. The code is simply a guideline for proper display of, and honor to, our flag. There are no penalties for violation of the provisions of the code.

Should there be?

Flag Presentation Ceremony

Defined by The American Legion

To make sure that Old Glory flies free and aloft you conduct a Flag presentation ceremony. This ceremony is a happy ceremony because truth, Justice, and our way of life have been preserved. Flag presentation ceremonies are utilized by veteran's organizations to give thanks and appreciation for support of the American ideals to another entity, individual, or organization.

By Wilbur D. Nesbit

YOUR FLAG AND MY FLAG

Your flag and my flag,
And how it flies today
In your land and my land,
And half a world away!
Rose-red and blood-red,
The stripes forever gleam;
Snow-white and soul-white,
The good forefathers' dream;
Sky-blue and true-blue,
with stars to gleam aright
The gloried Gideon of the day;
a shelter through the night

American Legion Mountaineer Boys State Flag

Although provided for and described in the Constitution, ratified in 1937 by the Citizens of the American Legion Mountaineer Boys State, the actual purchase of the official flag was not made until National American Legion Headquarters approved the design in March of 1957.

The flag has the profile of Stonewall Jackson surrounded by the 14 counties of The American Legion Mountaineer Boys State represented by stars (9 gold for the original counties and 5 navy for the additional counties) upon a white background. The lettering includes the American Legion, Department of West Virginia, Mountaineer Boys State and its motto: "Build for Citizenship".

The flag was reproduced in 2012, for the 75th American Legion Mountaineer Boys State.



Boys State Store

Located in Headquarters

See Director Jim Davis

White Boys State Tee Shirt - \$2 each or 6 for \$10

Gold 75th Boys State Tee Shirt - \$2 each or 6 for \$10

Blue Mountaineer Boys State Hoodies - \$20 each

Beanies - \$5 each

Boys State Belt Buckles - \$20 each



Thanks to our Sponsors

Sponsorships are solicited year round for the program.

“Who foots the bill for Boys State? Who pays for the week of citizenship and fellowship enjoyed at West Virginia University Jackson’s Mill? Who pays for the transportation, insurance, and administrative costs?” The American Legion Family, Civic clubs, lodges, school booster clubs, and service organizations, as well as business firms, sponsor students to attend The American Legion Mountaineer Boys State. The American Legion Department of West Virginia pays for the administrative cost of the program.

Citizens of American Legion Mountaineer Boys State are selected

by their high school staff and/or local American Legion Post.

Please be sure to write and thank your sponsor for enabling you to attend The American Legion Mountaineer Boys State by supplementing the cost of the program. If you don’t know who that is, see Marie Burliegh in headquarters. The American Legion Mountaineer Boys State stationary and envelopes are available in Dorsey Center. There is also a box for outgoing mail in the Dorsey Center.

The American Legion

Posts and ALMBS staff work throughout the year to recruit sponsorships to ensure a full program. It is request that when you return to your hometown and school you help spread the word to continue increasing enrollment. The best gift you can provide to the program is the gift of referring your friends and classmates to attend in the future.

Our goal is to have every high school and county in the State of West Virginia represented each year. Your help will make this possible.

“It is Hot!” -- “Drink a lot!”

“If it’s a tick Don’t Pick”



**Medical
News**



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1/2 Page: \$599.00

Full Page: \$999.00

Broadcast:

10 Seconds: \$499.00

20 Seconds: \$699.00

30 Seconds: \$999.00

Don’t Pass It Up, Pick It Up!

The campus of West Virginia University Jackson’s Mill is a beautiful place. Let’s take good care of it this week by picking up trash and recycling pop cans. Let’s leave the grounds as clean and neat as they were when we arrived.



**WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY
JACKSON’S MILL FARMSTEAD
GENERAL STORE HOURS LOCATED IN THE REGISTRATION OFFICE.**

For regular hours, check with the registration office. Special nightly hours from
9:00pm - 11:pm or until food is gone

Pizza \$10 for whole pizza

Drinks \$1.25

Snacks starting at \$.75



SENATOR SHELLEY MOORE CAPITO

Shelley Moore Capito was elected by the people of West Virginia to the United States Senate in 2014. She is the first female U.S. Senator in West Virginia's history and was elected with the largest margin of victory for a Republican in state history – winning more than 62 percent of the vote and all 55 counties.

After serving West Virginia's Second Congressional District in the U.S. House of Representatives for 14 years, and as a member of the West Virginia House of Delegates for four years prior, Shelley decided to run for Senate with the goal of being an even stronger voice for the Mountain State. She also saw an opportunity to restore order to a Senate stuck in gridlock for far too long.

Shelley believes that the challenges of our day demand bipartisan solutions and cooperation across the aisle to advance legislation that benefits West Virginia and the country as a whole.

Shelley serves on the Appropriations Committee, the Environment and Public Works Committee, the Rules and Administration Committee, and the Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee. This committee portfolio puts Shelley in a strong position to create new opportunities in the Mountain State and fight for West Virginia coal, jobs, and families.

On the Senate Appropriations Committee, Shelley brings West Virginia's voice to the table when our nation's spending priorities are determined. She serves as Chairman of the Appropriations Committee's Legislative Branch Subcommittee.

On the Senate Environment and Public Works (EPW) Committee, Shelley advocates for policies that protect vital West Virginia energy and manufacturing jobs and encourage investment in West Virginia's highway infrastructure. She serves as Chairman of the EPW Committee's Clean Air and Nuclear Safety Subcommittee.

On the Senate Commerce Committee, Shelley promotes rural broadband expansion to better serve states like West Virginia.

Shelley is committed to being accessible and responsive to the people of the Mountain State. She regularly travels the state to hear from and meet with West Virginians.

A lifelong West Virginian, Shelley was born in Glen Dale in the Northern Panhandle. She holds a B.S. in Zoology from Duke University and a M.Ed. from the University of Virginia. Shelley and her husband Charles L. Capito Jr. reside in Charleston. They have three adult children: two sons, Charles (wife Laura) and Moore (wife Katie), and one daughter, Shelley (husband Colin Macleod). They have also been blessed with four grandchildren: Celia, Charlie, Eliza and Rose.

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*Congratulation to Haden Moran
 Gilmer Cottage
 Highest Score on Bar Exam*



Officer of the Day

Monday, June 12, 2017

Ashley McClure

Randy Lipford, Alternate

ATTENTION

Throughout the week props will be placed in the camp (deer decoys, turkey decoys, etc.). **DO NOT BOTHER THEM!!!**

Riddle of the Day

What is the name of a movie about cows that attack each other?

* Report the answer to journalism in Southeastern Learning Center to receive a prize!

Jackson's Mill Chapel
 Nightly Devotions
 Check your Manual for Times





Let's Go
Mountaineers!!!

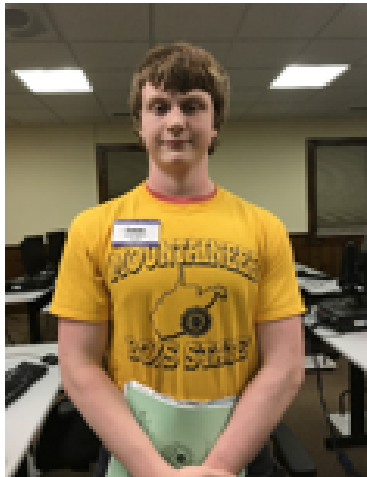
E. Gordon Gee, West Virginia University President

Dr. E. Gordon Gee is one of America's most prominent higher education leaders, having helmed universities for more than three decades. In 2009, Time magazine named him one of the top 10 university presidents in the United States.

In 2014, Gee returned to West Virginia University, where his career as a university president began. His leadership goals include putting students first, advancing the university's research agenda, partnering with West Virginia communities and making sure that 1.8 million West Virginians know in their hearts and minds that West Virginia University is their university.

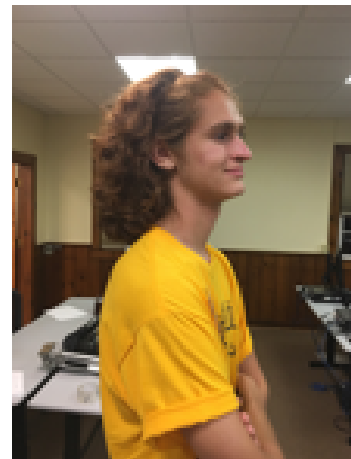
Born in Vernal, Utah, Gee graduated from the University of Utah with an honors degree in history and earned his J.D. and Ed.D. degrees from Columbia University. He clerked under Chief Justice David T. Lewis of the U.S. 10th Circuit Court of Appeals before being named a judicial fellow and staff assistant to the U.S. Supreme Court. In this role, he worked for Chief Justice Warren Burger on administrative and legal problems of the Court and federal judiciary. Gee returned to Utah as an associate professor and associate dean in the J. Reuben Clark Law School at Brigham Young University, and was granted full professorship in 1978.

You can't spell Cleavenger
without avenger and I will
|
avenge you!

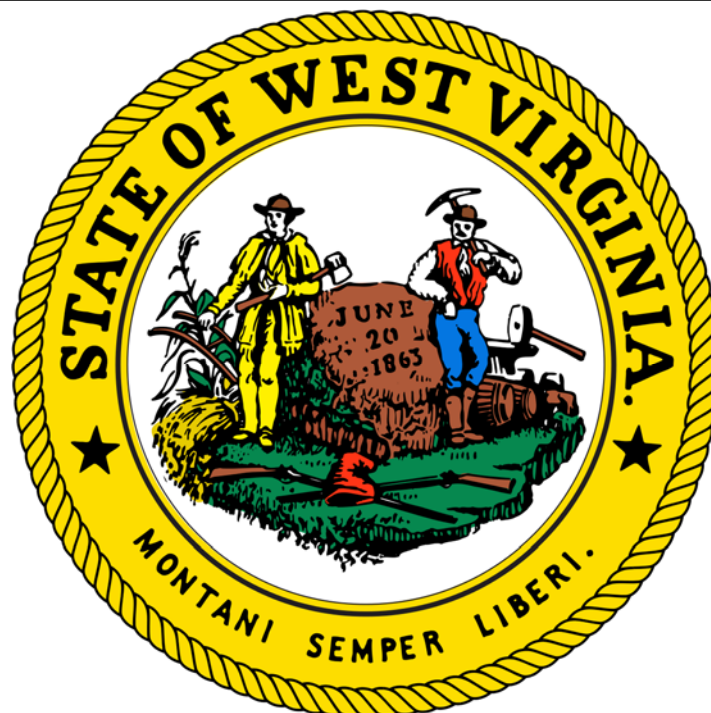


**Vote Isaac Cleavenger
Attorney General**

Go With The Flow



**Vote Robert "Flow"
Gianniny, Governor**



I am your
Trump card!

|

VOTE

Donald S.
Hansbury for
Governor.

“Make Boys
State Great
Again!”

“Internet”

Nic

Haynes

for

Federalist

Governor

Nominee

Wanna
make bank?

Vote for
Frank for
Treasurer!

Frank
“Frankie”
Kerekes

Bennett

For

Senate

Don't Keep
Stallin'



Vote for Colin!

Eric Cruciani
for Treasurer



**You can bet on
me!**

Ruby Coberly

A resident of Glenville, Ruby Coberly grew up in Gilmer County, WV. She graduated from Glenville High School and attended two years at Glenville State. Upon marrying, she moved to Baltimore where her husband worked in a shipyard. At the urging of her sister, Mrs. Coberly sought a paying job finding work with Montgomery Ward and then Pep Boys. Then in July 1945, she got a job in a defense plant working as a typist for Glenn L. Martin Aviation which built aircraft for the war effort. She and her husband moved back to West Virginia in September 1945. Later, she attended beauty school in Morgantown and eventually operated her own beauty shop in her home until retiring in 2009.



Left picture - 1940s

Right picture - Recent



Congressman Evan Jenkins

Born and raised in the Mountain State, Evan Jenkins has a passion for fighting for West Virginia values.

As a member of Congress, Evan has worked to stop Obama's War on Coal, diversify our economy, protect our seniors and veterans, and fight the drug crisis. In 2016, he authored legislation that was signed into law that helps protect newborn infants suffering from drug exposure during pregnancy.

Evan has served as a volunteer leader for the Boy Scouts, Red Cross, Big Brothers/Big Sisters, and helped start Lily's Place in Huntington to care for babies suffering from the drug crisis.

Evan and his wife Elizabeth have raised their three children in West Virginia and attend the First Presbyterian Church in Huntington.

BREAKFAST

Breakfast bagels, hot & cold cereal, fruit & bananas, orange juice, milk

LUNCH

Pepperoni rolls, string cheese, chips, peaches, salad, cookies, fresh fruit, milk

DINNER

Ham, scalloped potatoes, peas & carrots, cole slaw, hot rolls, apple crisp, fresh fruit, milk