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THE AMERICAN LEGION MOUNTAINEER BOYS' STATE, INC.

THURSDAY JUNE 12, 1997

6:30 REVEILLE AND CLEAN	QUARTERS	
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7:20 FLAG RAISING 7:25 BREAKFAST

8:30 - 11:00	GOVERNOR AND BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS MEET IN JACKSON LODGE. SENATE MEETS IN ELECTRIC ENERGY CENTER. HOUSE MEETS IN ELECTRIC ENERGY CENTER. SUPREME COURT MEETS IN RIGHT WING OF FLAMEWAY HALL. CITY GOV'T. WORKING IN COTTAGES. COUNTY GOV'T. WORKING IN COTTAGES. COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS AND COUNTY BOARDS OF EDUCATION MEET IN BASEMENT OF JACKSON LODGE. STATE BOARD OF ED. MEETS IN HARRISON COTTAGE.
10:00	CADET EDWIN SIKKING WILL PRESENT INFORMATION ABOUT APPOINTMENTS TO WEST POINT.
11:10- 12:00	PRACTICE FOR FORMAL REVIEW AT THE DINING HALL.
12:15	LUNCH
1:15- 2:15	CIRCUIT COURTS MEET WITH LEGAL ADVISORS (CRIMINAL). ALL CITIZENS MUST BE AVAILABLE FOR JURY DUTY. LAWYERS MUST BE AVAILABLE TO PRESENT CASES. BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS IN SESSION IF NEEDED. BOYS' STATE POLICE ORGANIZED AND WORKING.
2:30- 3:30	FORMAL REVIEW (IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING COURT TRIALS)
3:30- 5:00	NEIL BOLYARD WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR QUESTIONS AT HARRISON COTTAGE CONCERNING FINANCIAL AID AND SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES.
3:30 - 4:30	ATHLETICS AND SWIMMING
4:30 - 5:00	BAND PRACTICE
5:15 - 5:25	RETREAT
5:30	DINNER
6:30 - 7:45	NEIL BOLYARD, SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION CONTINUED
6:30 - 7:30	ATHLETICS
7:45	BAND PRACTICE
8:00	ASSEMBLY, JUDGE ROBERT MAXWELL
11:00	CITIZENS TO COTTAGES. COUNSELORS MAKE DECISIONS ON LIGHTS OUT AND CITIZENS BEING OUT OF THE COTTAGE, PROVIDED CITIZENS RETURN TO COTTAGE BY 1:00 A.M.

INAUGURAL ADDRESS MAJOR NEWSOM 1997

Governor Underwood, State Commander Simpson, Administrator Stine, Governor Greenhowe, and citizens of the 60th annual Boys' State. Good Afternoon.

First, I would like to thank Phil Hancock for an excellent race. Let's give him a round of applause. Second, I would like to thank all those who worked on my campaign, who stayed up all night hanging up signs, who rallied behind me 110%. I owe a debt of gratitude to you. Thank you for your support. Thank you.

Now is the time, citizens. Boys' State is in our hands. We have a chance to change things for the better. We can plant the seeds for a better tomorrow if we unite. My fellow citizens, now is the time to denounce our party affiliation and become one. Together we can build a strong bridge into the future for a better tomorrow.

Once we leave Boys' State we will go our separate ways. We will never walk the hollowed paths of Jackson's Mill again. Though separate in body, we are not separate in soul. So, let's make the best of the precious time we have left.

Thank You!
Major J. Maw Dow



FAREWELL ADDRESS WALTER LEE GREENHOWE, JR. 1997

Administrator Stine, Governor Underwood, Newly Elected Governor Newsom, Distinguished Guests, and most importantly citizens of Mountaineer Boys' State.

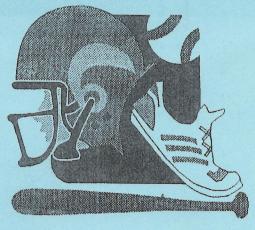
Mountaineer Boys' State is an important thing. Memories I have made here will last a lifetime. I have met many good friends and the staff has taken me in and been very supportive. The year has gone by very quickly. It seemed like yesterday that I was sitting here just like you. I remember those feelings, especially the ones Governor Newsom is having right now. I have spoken at the American Legion State Convention in Morgantown and to various organizations in my hometown during my year as governor. West Virginia State College has offered me a presidential scholarship. The person I would like to thank most is Governor Newsom for his speech last night. It really made a change in my life. It made me realize that I really wasn't thankful and appreciative of all the things I have. I was a very selfish person. I sat in my room in my cottage about an hour this morning trying to think who I should say thanks to but, I decided it would take almost all day to thank each and every staff member for each and every thing they do. But most of all I would like to thank Brent Walker because if it wasn't for him I wouldn't be the 59th governor of Boys' State. I really do appreciate Brent.



Thank You!

Walter Le Dreenton J.

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WVU ATHLETES VISIT BOYS' STATE

Shelley Poe, Director of Sports Information at WVU was in attendance at the Wednesday evening meal. She was accompanied by Bill Legg, John Thornton, Jason Williams, and Henry Clay.

Shelley Poe is the woman responsible for the national level of attention these players receive. She is a native of Morgantown. She is only one of a handful of women across the nation to hold such a powerful position.

This annual visit from Shelley Poe and some WVU athletes is one of the most well received programs of Mountaineer Boys' State.

Thanks again, Shelley!

TENNIS TOURNAMENT BEGINS

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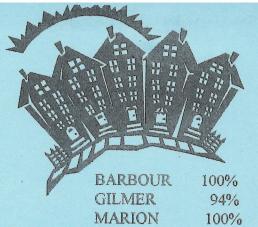
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COTTAGE INSPECTIONS - JUNE 11, 1997

BRAXTON	91%	CALHOUN	100%
KANAWHA	94%	LEWIS	97%
MONONGALIA	100%	MONROE	85%
RANDOLPH	97%	UPSHUR	87%
WEBSTER	97%		



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COURT TRIAL RESULTS

On Wednesday, Criminal Court Trials were held in Randolph, Upshur, Marion, Gilmer, Monongalia, and Braxton Counties. The trials were judged by members of the Harrison County Bar Association. The results are as follows:

Randolph - 99%
Upshur - 97%
Marion - 98%
Gilmer - 100%
Monongalia - 99%
Braxton - 100%



DISTINGUISHED WEST VIRGINIAN

Governor Cecil Underwood presented Administrator Robert Stine with a Distinguished West Virginian Award. Governor Underwood commended Mr. Stine for his service to Mountaineer Boys' State. Governor Underwood also spoke about Mr. Stine's father, Emmett Stine, who was his high school principal at Tyler County High School. Congratulations Mr. Stine!



GLEN GAINER, STATE AUDITOR, SPEAKS TO THE CITIZENS OF BOYS' STATE

Auditor Gainer described the importance of Boys' State and encouraged all citizens to use what they learn here in society. He also gave a description of his job which is to make sure tax dollars are spent accordingly with the law and wishes of the legislature.

Thanks, Mr. Gainer, for speaking to the citizens of Boys' State

State Auditor Glen B. Gainer III

Glen B. Gainer III of Parkersburg, Wood County, West Virginia, was elected West Virginia's 19th State Auditor in November of 1992, and re-elected in November of 1996. He was educated in the Wood County public school system, graduating from Parkersburg High School in 1978. He earned his Bachelor's Degree in Political Science at the University of Charleston, and attended the Washington Center for Learning.

Auditor Gainer served in the West Virginia State Treasurer's Office from 1985 through 1989; served as Budget Director for the West Virginia Department of Energy from 1989 through 1991; and served as National Accounts Representative for the John Deere & Company from October, 1991 through December, 1992. He is married and has two children.

As Securities Commissioner, ex officio, he approves, rejects, issues licenses for, and supervises the sale of securities in West Virginia.

As Commissioner of Delinquent and Nonentered Lands, ex officio, Mr. Gainer is responsible for maintaining records of land forfeited to State, land sold for delinquent taxes and redeemed.

As State Auditor, he serves as the State's official bookkeeper, audits all claims presented to the State for payment and, if found legal and correct, issues warrants therefor drawn on the Treasury. He administers Social Security for employees of State and political subdivisions. He also is responsible for receiving taxes due the State collected by sheriffs, and collects and distributes public utility taxes for the State and Counties.

Auditor Gainer serves as the Southeastern States Director, Vice-Chairman of the Board of Directors, and Chairman of the 2002 Committee of the National White Collar Crime Center. He serves as Vice-Chairman of the Consolidated Public Retirement Board. He serves as a Trustee on the West Virginia Investment Management Board and serves as Chairman of its Audit Committee. He also serves as a member of the Board of Public Works, Armory Board and Board of Trustees, State Municipal Bond Commission, Land Sales and Condominiums. Additionally, Auditor Gainer is active on several civic and fraternal organizations.

JOHN PERDUE, STATE TREASURER, SPEAKS TO THE CITIZENS OF BOYS' STATE

Treasurer Perdue told the citizens of Boys' State to never forget where they came from. He also referred to them as the future leaders of West Virginia and wished them well.

Thanks, Mr. Perdue, for speaking to the citizens of Boys' State.

"The Unrecognized Winner"

This is for he who won no election who's now feeling left out and feeling rejection.

If you're one of the guys who lost time and again think of experience gained and the places you've been.

Think of the thousands who suffered the terrible fate of not being selected to go to Boy's State.

When you win you may cheer, if you lose you may cry it matters not that you lost, but that you gave it a try.

> BRAIN TEASER COUNT THE F'S

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You had your chance, they gave you a turn but you lost, so remember the lesson you learned.

If you tried for an office, yet your name was not called better to have tried and lost than to have not tried at all.

Dismiss all your feelings of pity and hate do your best to make the most of Mountaineer Boys' State

FAMOUS LAST WORDS

We've excerpted the last word from each line in the first stanza of six well-known songs. Can you supply the titles?

- 1. down 4. morning down chime down stopper down whopper lady time
 - money 5. palaces show roam ready humble go! home
- 3. house 6. ocean Mars sea planets ocean

I GOT RHYTHM

The music goes round and round, as the song says. Can you complete these song titles with musical terms?

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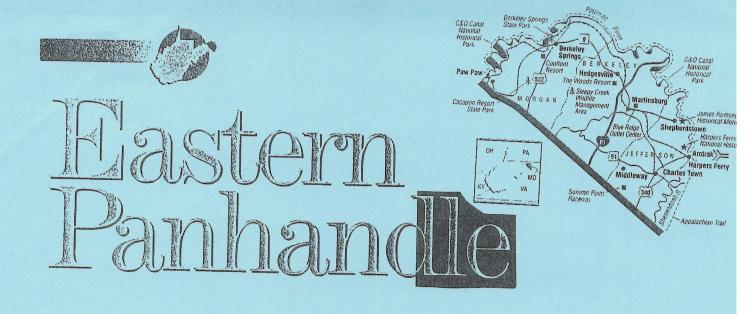
Governor Major Newsome (F-Braxton), began his term as the 60th Governor of Mountaineer Boys' State with a full slate of bills to review. The Governor's agenda for tomorrow includes:

- Immunity Bill gives the Governor, his staff, Senators, Delegates and Supreme Court Justices immunity for any misdemeanors.
- Hat Bill allows citizens to wear hats around the campus during times that are not socially acceptable. Examples include: the raising and lowering of the flag, prayer, and during all indoor activities.

The Governor also hopes to have the Boys' State budget approved by the Legislature. Additionally, Senate Bill 104 was passed on June 11, 1997, by the Legislature and signed into law by the Governor. The law reads: "As the presentation comes to an end tonight, the citizens of Boys' State will be able to watch game 5 of the NBA Finals between the Utah Jazz and the Chicago Bulls. All of the students will be watching the games from one of many televisions throughout the Jackson's Mill Camp. There is still one point that must be clearly stated to all citizens. That statement is that no citizen will be allowed to leave the night's assembly."

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

NEIL BOLYARD, COUNSELOR IN WEBSTER COTTAGE, WILL BE AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING DINNER AT HARRISON COTTAGE TO DISCUSS SCHOLARSHIP AND FINANCIAL AID OPPORTUNITIES FOR INTERESTED CITIZENS IF UNABLE TO ATTEND AT THIS TIME, TRY TO CONTACT NEIL AT WEBSTER COTTAGE.



here's captivating history with Colonial and
Civil War roots; terrific shopping for antiques,
crafts and contemporary housewares and
clothing; dozens of lodging choices at resorts,
spas, bed and breakfasts and motels; relax-

Just a stone's throw from the city, discover a quieter place where small, picturesque towns share the landscape with scenic rolling hills and farmlands.

ation and adventure on the rivers, roads and golf courses; theater, cinema and fine dining, all within

the three county region known as West Virginia's Eastern Panhandle.

Bounded by the Potomac and Shenandoah rivers and about an hour from Washington, D.C. and Baltimore, the Eastern Panhandle, Jefferson, Berkeley and Morgan counties, is a natural escape from the Eastern metropolitan pressure-cooker.

Harpers Ferry's Civil War Roots

The town of Harpers Ferry is perhaps livelier today than it was in 1859, when abolitionist John Brown staged his raid on the U.S. Arsenal there, setting off a chain of events that resulted in the Civil War. It's undoubtedly more beautiful than ever before in its long history, as its historic section is polished and maintained as a national historical park.

The park is actually a collection of many small museums created within the original buildings. It offers a schedule of events all year long, with costumed interpreters providing daily tours throughout summer and on Saturdays and Sundays in fall, winter and spring.

Along the cobblestone streets winding uphill from the park to the town of Bolivar, shops feature a remarkable collection of antiques including Civil War memorabilia and local crafts. Shopping opportunities increase by some 200 juried booths during the popular June and September editions of the *Mountain*

where specialty shops, charming restaurants, small inns and the cultural programs of Shepherd College fill the town with visitors.

The Bavarian Inn and Lodge, overlooking the cliffs of the Potomac River, offers elegant rooms, as well as a swimming pool, lighted tennis courts, brand new conference facilities and award-winning German cuisine. The eclectic 1930s Yellow Brick Bank, The Olde Pharmacy Cafe, complete with original pharmaceutical trappings, and Ye Olde Sweet Shoppe offer historic settings and good food.

Art film buffs flock to the Old Opera House of Shepherdstown, recently refurbished as a cinema. Each July, Shepherd College's *Contemporary American Theater Festival* stages new works by both well known and novice playwrights and late night improvisational cabaret.

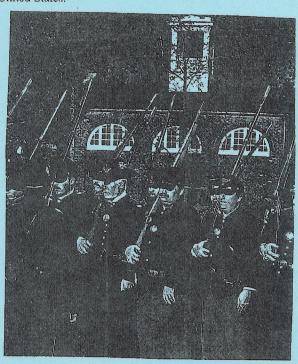
For a touch of history, visit Rumsey's Monument, along the banks of the Potomac. The site honors the town's most famous native, James Rumsey, who launched an early steamboat from this very spot.

Charles Town— Washington Family Roots

Charles Town, founded in 1786 and named for Charles Washington, George's brother, exudes 19th century charm and history. There are historic bed and breakfasts within walking distance of the town's attractions and fine dining at places such as the Washington House Inn. Other entertainment includes community theater, which thrives in the Old Opera House.

The white columned Jefferson County Courthouse became a national landmark when John Brown was tried in Charles Town in 1859. The Jefferson County Museum displays artifacts from the era, including the wagon that carried Brown to trial and the prosecutor's table.

Each April, owners and proprietors of historic properties throughout Berkeley and Jefferson counties open their doors for the annual *House and Garden Tour* that takes you to the historic villages of Colonial Middleway and Gerrardstown as well as Martinsburg, Charles Town, Shepherdstown and Harpers Ferry. You may get an opportunity to see the Washington family farmhouse outside of Charles Town where Dolly Payne married James Madison, second President of the United States.



Muster with the Union troops at the town square in historic Harpers Ferry.

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