2012 New Mexico Boys' State

Message from the Director

James Baca

Good Day Gentlemen:

As you can see, the program moves very quickly. You all have accomplished quite a bit thus far.

Don't lose focus as you still have a lot more to do. Get your second wind and don't lose steam as we begin the State process.

Now is the time to identify and get behind your candidates. Get involved in the campaign for the candidate you are choosing.

I really want to thank those that have been serving you this week: NM Boys' State Band, Wait Staff, NMBS National Guard, and of course, the tremendous staff.

Remember: Boys' State's GREAT! You are the future and the future looks bright!! Thank you for all your hard work!



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County Election Results

DeCastro

County Commissioner Kyle Chicharello (F) Cory Geyer (N) Bruce Klinekole (F)

County Clerk—Wei-Te Ting (F)

County Treasurer-William Peck (N)

County Assessor-Joseph Luna (F)

County Sheriff-Santos Casaus (F)

Magistrate Judge-Tyler Yatsayte (N)

District Attorney- Aaron Roybal (F)

District Judge– John Salmon (F)

Probate Judge-Ramon Avitia (F)

Public Education Commission Dwight Harrison (F) Alfredo Molina-Nogal (N)

Senator

James Franco (N) Trevor Sarkozy (F) Jonathan Morales (F)

Representative

Kade Calloway (F) Seth Whittenberg (F) Geraldo Trujillo (F) Ryan Ansloan (F) Bryce Matanis (F)

<u>DeLeon</u>

County Commissioner Wake Gardner (F) Zakary Nikkila (F) Conlan McCoy (N)

County Clerk– Luis Hernandez (F)

County Treasurer-McKenz Leekya (F)

County Assessor- Eric Olguin (F)

County Sheriff– Austin Brassfield (N)

Magistrate Judge- Keano Carrillo (F)

District Attorney—Zachary Smith (N)

District Judge-Braiden Burks (F)

Probate Judge-Aaron Holloway (N)

Public Education Commission Mackenzie Smith (F) Colin Luschei (F)

Senator

Zack V Mortensen (F) George Igwe (F) Nathan Cowan (N)

Representative

Joseph Paz (F)
Luke Thomas (F)
Fermin Prieto (F)
Jacob Hurst (F)
Pablo Guss (N)



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ARMIJO

City of Loyalty

. Stepping Up the Ladder

Yesterday was Memorial Day, and every delegate showed their respect for those who made their personal sacrifice to protect our freedom as citizens of The United States of America.

The day before had begun with raising of the flags and followed by morning calisthenics; individually lead by cities. As the day progressed forward, voting was completed for the city elections and results were announced in each City Council. Zach was named our Mayor for Armijo the City of Loyalty. The day progressed with the education of how the County

County of DeLeon Brandy Clark

system functions with State Government and Federal Government explained in Becky Sharp. The day came to a conclusion with a quick presentation from the New Mexico State Police with a lengthy questions-answers section that followed afterwards.

In my thoughts as the City of Armijo's reporter, I believe everyone is learning at least something about certain government systems that are local and state levels—I know I am.

To those running candidates of the County, which ever position of office, Boys' State says manly, "Let the best individual win."

County Elections PARTY COUNT

County of DeLeon Nationalist: 6 Federalist: 15

County of DeCastro Nationalist: 5 Federalist: 16

State

Nationalist: 11 Federalist: 31

Every man is free to rise as far as he's able or willing, but it's only the degree to which he THINKS that determines the degree to which he'll rise.

JOE JOHNSON

for Governor

Castillo

City of Perseverance

County of DeCastro

Devan Jensen

Let the Games Begin

Now that the city officials have been selected and appointed, the heated debates have begun. Laws have been passed, issues have been brought up, and taxes have been paid. The elected officials are doing a great job, considering the time constraints that the city has already ex-

perienced today. You can't forget the citizens though. Their participation in the meetings conducted today continues to prove how well the city of Castillo can work together. The machine is not well oiled yet, but I have a good feeling it will be later in the week.

US Boys' Nation Senator

LUIS RUIZ

The Peoples Vote For A Future

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Trujillo

City of Integrity

Today was a day of both great accomplishments for many of us at Boys State, as well as a day for remembering. Overall there was literally no down time for the city of Trujillo, yet that didn't stop us from accomplishing any of our goals.

In the city of Trujillo our city representatives were selected and put into office, as of early this morning. As a whole we would like to congratulate all of election winners: Mayor Tristan Lenzo, Councilman Conlan McCoy, Councilman George Igwe, Councilman Pablo Guss, City Clerk Francisco Hernandez, City Treasurer Cody Striker, and Judge Scott Ballard. In the city of Trujillo these individuals began to lead us in the process of forming our ideals and procedures as a city. Today was a gigantic step in setting a platform for what we

County of DeLeon William Martinez

believe in. Now, at the end of the day, with County proceedings on the horizon, we feel confident as a group that we are more prepared than any other city for the days ahead.

The city of Trujillo would also like to thank all of the Veterans that have served our country, and specifically all of the Legionnaires that helped put on Boys State. Memorial Day was treated with a lot of care and respect within our city, and we hope to have exhibited this throughout the entire state. Our hearts go out to all of those who have lost their lives in the line of battle for the United States of America, and we were proud to have spent a day working within an organization that maintains a military background.

Schedule Highlights

Tuesday:

1:15—Flag Presentation

3:00—Recreation

7:30—Polls Open-State Primary Election

7:45—Americanism Poster Presentation

Wednesday:

8:40—Great Debate

11:45—Polls Open-State General Election

3:00—Recreation

6:00—Inauguration Ceremonies

(Remember to wear long pants, this is a formal event)

Thursday:

11:45—Polls Open-Boys' Nation Senators

12:45—Gov State of the State Address

3:00—Recreation

7:00—Boys' State Band Concert

7:45—Governors Final Address

********* JOHNATHAN HOWELL for SECRETARY OF STATE HOW WELL IS HOWELL? **HE'S GREAT!**



2012 Wait Staff

Cortez

City of Hope

The second day started off EARLY. A lot of the boys were up well before 6:30, but I'm pretty sure EVERYBODY was tired. However, the day became great with a great breakfast and afterwards, the Citizens of Cortez went to their city and discussed laws that they had set aside from yesterday. Throughout the entire day, the City Council passed four resolutions to govern their city. They enacted a tardiness law, a change in the city chant, a trespassing law, an animal restriction law. The trespassing law states that "any person not a citizen of Cortez found within the city limits shall pay a fine of 15 'BS Bucks' or \$2 of US currency or receive a ticket to court unless escorted by a citizen of Cortez." This is aimed to raise revenue for the

County of DeCastro Johnathan Howell

end of the week party and to prevent sabotage from rival cities.

Also, the citizens of Cortez who passed the county primary elections for DeCastro County are as follows: for County Commissioner- Cory Geyer, Jose Guerrero, Kyle Chicharello, Bruce Kliekole, Edgar Vasquez, and Phu Nguyen. For County Treasurer- William Peck and Gustavo Palomino. For State Representative- Ryan Ansloan and Alex Pritchard. For County Clerk- Wei-Te Ting. For County Assessor-Joseph Luna. For County Sherriff- Santos Casaus. For Magistrate Judge- Micheal Laiteyse and Tyler Ytsayte. For District Judge- John Salmon and Dylan Derrick.

No man may walk through the same river twice. The river will not be the same and neither will the man.

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for

Governor



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for

SECRETARY OF STATE

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The Peoples Vote For A Future U.S. Senator—Boys' Nation