

Attire: Staff = Red staff polo + navy or black skirt; Citizens = “Dress Up” (Business Professional – Skirt, Dress, Suit)

Evenings after sessions conclude every day in the dorms is casual wear

JUNE 18, 2023 SUSPENSEFUL SUNDAY

10:00 – 12:00	Registration	<i>Olmsted Center, POM stage area</i>
	Lunch on your own	
12:30	Reception	<i>Olmsted Center/Mezzanine</i>
1:00	Flag Instructions – Jackie Burk, Bev Copple	<i>Parent Hall</i>
	Opening Ceremonies	
	Iowa Girls State Governor, Madeline Parrot	
	Welcome by Drake – Rachel Paine Caufield	
	Welcome by Jayne Soppe, President, ALA Department of Iowa	
	Welcome by Mary Andersen, Iowa Girls State Director	
	Instructions – Jen Crull, Dean of Government	
	Welcome/Send-Off Instructions – Jackie Burk, Chorus Director	
	Picture Instructions	
	Pictures/District Caucuses	<i>Olmsted Center</i>
4:00	City Activity/City Meeting	<i>Olmsted/Outdoors/Dorms</i>
5:00	Dinner	<i>Cafeteria</i>
5:45	City Reporters Meeting	<i>Newspaper Office</i>
	State Central Committee Meeting	<i>Dorm Lounge</i>
6:15	Flag Lowering	<i>Flag Pole</i>
6:30	Guest Speaker	<i>Parent Hall</i>
	David Rehbein, Past National Commander, The American Legion	
7:30	Chorus Rehearsal	<i>Parent Hall</i>
	Staff Meeting	<i>Mezzanine</i>
8:30	Instructions – Mary Andersen, Iowa Girls State Director	
8:45	Flag Disposal	<i>Flag Pole</i>
9:30	Reflections	TBD per city
10:30	Quiet Time-Be on your own dorm floor	
11:00	Good Night	

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JUNE 19, 2023 MAGNIFICENT MONDAY

7:30	Breakfast	<i>Cafeteria</i>
8:00	City Reporter Meeting	<i>Newspaper Office</i>
8:00	State Central Committee	<i>POM Stage</i>
8:15	Election Official Meeting	<i>Room 310</i>
8:30	Flag Raising	<i>Flag Pole</i>
8:45	Thought for the Day by Governor Parrott	<i>Parent Hall</i>
	“ ” Department President Jayne Soppe	
	Morning Meditation	
9:00	Chorus Rehearsal	<i>Parent Hall</i>
	Staff Meeting	
10:30	City Caucus	<i>City Halls</i>
	<i>Hanson – 310; Harper-Rhea – 311; Hinderman – 312; Ladehoff – Sussman; McLaughlin – 313; Young – Parent Hall</i>	
12:00	Lunch	<i>Cafeteria</i>
1:30	City Rally	<i>City Halls</i>
2:15	City Election	<i>City Halls</i>
2:30	Guest Speaker	<i>Parent Hall</i>
	Vickie Koutz, American Legion Auxiliary National President	
3:30	City Election Returns	
3:45	First City Council Meeting	
	First City Meeting	<i>City Halls</i>
5:00	Dinner	<i>Cafeteria</i>
6:15	Flag Lowering	<i>Flag Pole</i>
6:30	Guest Speaker: Girls State Citizen Panel	<i>Parent Hall</i>
	Wendy Riggle, Meribeth Haynes, Polly Carver-Kimm	
7:45	Second City Council Meeting	<i>City Halls</i>
	Programs Fair – American Legion Auxiliary Members	<i>Mezzanine</i>
8:45	Instructions by Jennifer Crull, Dean of Government	<i>Parent Hall</i>
9:00	Meet Your Party Advisors	
9:30	Reflections* 10:30 Quiet Time-Be on your own Dorm Floor 11:00 Good Night	

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JUNE 20, 2023 TERRIFIC TUESDAY

7:30	Breakfast	<i>Cafeteria</i>
8:00	State Central Committee	<i>POM Stage</i>
8:00	City Reporter Meeting	<i>Newspaper Office</i>
8:30	Flag Raising	<i>Flag Pole</i>
8:45	Thought for the Day by Governor Parrott	<i>Parent Hall</i>
	“ “ Department President Jayne Soppe	
	Morning Meditation	
	Staff Meeting	<i>Mezzanine</i>
9:00	Girls Nation	<i>Parent Hall</i>
	Mary Andersen, Iowa Girls State Director	
	Honorable Senators Esha Bolar and Josephine Kelly	
9:30	Party State Caucus	
	<i>Nats Sussman Feds Parent Hall</i>	
11:15(approx)	Lunch	<i>Cafeteria</i>
	(1/2 Hour Lunch for each Party as time allows)	
12:00	Resume Party State Caucus	
3:30 (approx)	Party County Caucus	
	<i>Carr County Nats Sussman</i>	
	<i>Carr County Feds Parent Hall</i>	
	<i>Macrae County Feds POM Stage</i>	
	<i>Macrae County Nats 310-313</i>	
5:00	Dinner	<i>Cafeteria</i>
6:15	Flag Lowering	<i>Flag Pole</i>
6:30	Party County Rally (same locations as above)	
7:30	Party State Rally	
	<i>Nats Sussman Feds Parent Hall</i>	
9:30	Party Legislative Rally at Reflections	
10:30	Quiet Time-Be on your own dorm floors	
11:00	Good Night	

***Party Legislative District Rally will be held immediately following your evening meeting.**

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JUNE 21, 2023 WINNING WEDNESDAY

7:00	Breakfast	<i>Cafeteria</i>
7:00	State Central Committee/City Reporter Meeting	<i>Working breakfast</i>
7:30	Flag Raising	<i>Flag Pole</i>
7:45	Thought for the Day by Governor Parrott	<i>Parent Hall</i>
	“ “ Department President Jayne Soppe	
	Morning Meditation	
	Voting Instructions	
	Election Officials Prepare Poll Books	<i>City Halls</i>
8:00	Capitol Visit	<i>Load bus in lot near Flag Pole</i>
	(Buses 8:00/8:10 Carr County; 8:20/8:40 Macrae County; 8:50 Election Officials)	
12:00	Primary Election (one county votes 1 st /one eats 1 st)	<i>City Halls</i>
	Lunch	<i>Cafeteria</i>
1:15	Chorus Rehearsal	<i>Parent Hall</i>
	Staff Meeting	
2:30	Guest Speaker (sit by cities)	<i>Parent Hall</i>
	Officer Jason Marlow, Iowa State Patrol	
3:30	Primary Election Returns	<i>Parent Hall</i>
4:00	3rd City Meeting	<i>City Halls</i>
	Party County Convention (same locations as Tuesday)	
4:45	State Central Committee with Governor Candidates	
	<i>Nat Parent Hall Fed Sussman</i>	
5:00	Dinner	<i>Cafeteria</i>
6:15	Flag Lowering	<i>Flag Pole</i>
6:45	Party State Convention	
	<i>Feds Sussman Nats Parent Hall</i>	
9:30	Legislative District Rally at Reflections, immediately following evening meeting	
10:30	Quiet Time-Be on your own Dorm Floors	
11:00	Good Night	

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JUNE 22, 2023 TRIUMPHANT THURSDAY

7:30	Breakfast	<i>Cafeteria</i>
8:00	City Reporter Meeting	<i>Newspaper Office</i>
8:30	Flag Raising	<i>Flag Pole</i>
8:30	Election Official Meeting	<i>Room 310</i>
8:45	Thought for the Day by Governor Parrott	<i>Parent Hall</i>
	“ “ Department President Jayne Soppe	
	Morning Meditation	
9:00	Voting Instructions	
9:15	County Rally	<i>Carr Parent Hall Macrae Sussman</i>
	Whistlestop Campaigns-City Reporters Lead Questions	
10:30	State Rally	<i>Parent Hall</i>
11:30	General Election/Lunch	<i>City Halls/Cafeteria</i>
1:15	Chorus Rehearsal	<i>Parent Hall</i>
2:15	Guest Speaker – Girls State Alumni	
3:00	General Election Returns	
	Swearing In Ceremony: Senators; Representatives; County Officials	
3:30	House and Senate Caucuses	
	<i>House of Representatives Room 312 Senate Room 313</i>	
	State and County Appointment Papers	
	<i>Carr County Room 310 State POM Stage Macrae County Room 311</i>	
5:00	Dinner	<i>Cafeteria</i>
6:15	Flag Lowering	<i>Flag Pole</i>
6:30	Guest Speaker	<i>Parent Hall</i>
	Todd Jacobus, Commandant, Iowa Veterans Home	
	Resume Caucus of House and Senate	
7:45	Instructions – Girls State Staff	<i>Parent Hall</i>
	Slide Show Presentation	
9:00	Candlelight Ceremony	<i>Flag Pole</i>
9:30	Reflections	10:30 Quiet Time-Be on your own Dorm Floors
11:00	Good Night	

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JUNE 23, 2023 FAREWELL FRIDAY

7:30	Breakfast	<i>Cafeteria</i>
8:30	Flag Raising	<i>Flag Pole</i>
8:45	Thought for the Day by Governor Parrott	<i>Parent Hall</i>
	“ “ Department President Jayne Soppe	
	Morning Meditation	
	Announce Girls Nation Senators	
	Governor Appointments	
	Opening of the House and Senate	
	<i>Senate – 312 House – Sussman</i>	
9:30	Service Project Activity	<i>Room 310</i>
10:00	Girls Nation Senators work on Bill	<i>Room 131</i>
	County Board of Supervisors Appointments	
	<i>Carr County – Parent Hall</i>	
	<i>Macrae County – Sussman</i>	
	Flag Practice for State Officials and Honor Guard	<i>Flag Pole</i>
10:30	County Trials	
	<i>Carr County -</i>	<i>TBD</i>
	<i>Macrae County -</i>	
11:15	Lunch	<i>Cafeteria</i>
12:30	Inauguration Practice	<i>Parent Hall</i>
1:15	Inauguration Chorus Rehearsal	<i>Parent Hall</i>
2:00	Alumni Reception	<i>Room 310-313</i>
4:15	Reception	<i>Cafeteria</i>
5:15	Flag Lowering	<i>Flag Pole</i>
5:30	Inauguration	<i>Parent Hall</i>
	Guest Speaker	
	Lt Governor	
7:30	Good Bye!	