

# **Youth and Government Meeting Agenda**

## **Monday, August 27, 2018 – 6:00 p.m.**

- I. Call to Order
- II. Sign-up sheet/roles
- III. Commitment to the program
  - See Participation Contract
  - Join Remind: Text to 81010: @whsyg15
  - READ THE BULLETIN!
  - Meeting excuses IN WRITING (email/text/Remind ok) AHEAD OF TIME; parent confirmation needed if it's something other than school; see me the following day to get handouts
  - School events excused.
- IV. Important Dates:
  - Mandatory parent meeting: Wed., Sept. 5, 6:00-7:00 p.m.
  - Next student meeting: Wed., Sept. 12, 6:00-7:00 p.m. (Finalize roles)
  - Registration deadline: September 14, 2018: D-1 online, D-2 to me ASAP! \$200 as soon as you can, but let me know if you need more time or need a scholarship form.
  - Butter Braid/Cookie Dough/Pizza (and maybe Fannie May) Fundraisers: Sales in October, delivery in November
  - Pre-Leg I: Friday, November 2, 5-9 p.m.
  - Pre-Leg II: Saturday December 8, 8:30 a.m.- 2:00 p.m.
  - 70<sup>th</sup> Assembly Weekend: Friday-Sunday, March 15-17, 2019
- V. Campaigns/ candidates? See Ms. Faloon-Sullivan/forms D-3 or D-4 on Y&G website
- VI. Leaders for local group: President, V.P., Secretary-Treasurer
  - Commit resource time
  - Lead by example- come to meetings, help younger students research
  - Nominations accepted until Friday, Sept. 7 at 3:30 p.m.
- VII. Roles/Bill Groups
  - Legislator: Juniors/Seniors only- limit of 24
  - Newspaper Press: Any grade- limit of 10?
  - Lobbyist: Soph-Senior- limit of 11
  - Legislative Assistant: Any grade- limit of 11
  - Attorney: Soph-Senior- no limit, but lots of work!
  - Clerk-Bailiff: Fresh-Junior- no limit (but we should have an attorney team in order to have a C-B)
- VIII. Bill ideas?

**Essay information on reverse!**

**Completing the essay:**

- Join the Youth & Government Google Classroom Group
  - Go to <https://classroom.google.com/h> and login with your school username ([ws####@wvusd15.org](mailto:ws####@wvusd15.org)) and password Click on the + sign at the top of the page and select “Join”
  - Enter the code 8zb2d0 into the box
- Once you are in the class, the essay assignment should be visible to you. Follow directions and turn it in on Classroom no later than 11:59 p.m. on Fri., Aug. 31, 2018.
- If you have any questions or need help, please see Ms. Faloon-Sullivan. I will be glad to help you!