

STUDENT COUNCIL

SDHSAA REGIONAL STUDENT COUNCIL LEADERSHIP WORKSHOPS & SDSA MEETINGS

The 2014-15 SDHSAA Regional Student Council Workshops were scheduled in seven sites during the Fall season.

The Workshops were designed to give students and advisors instruction in leadership techniques. The 2014-15 Workshops were organized around the theme "*Welcome to the Jungle*". The Workshops provided an opportunity for students to meet other student leaders from area schools to exchange leadership ideas and share information about student council operation and projects. The schedule for each Workshop also included time to update the schools about region activities in the South Dakota Student Council Association (SDSCA) region in which the workshop was held.

2014-15 REGIONAL STUDENT COUNCIL WORKSHOPS

Big Sioux Region Workshop (Brookings)

October 22, 2014

of Students -162 *# of Advisors* - 15

of Schools Represented - 10

Schools Included – Baltic, Brookings, Dell Rapids St. Mary, Elkton, Flandreau Indian School, Lennox, S.F. Christian, S.F. O’Gorman, S.F. Roosevelt, Tri-Valley

Capitol Region Workshop (Presho)

Information not available at time of printing

James River Region Workshop (Salem)

October 22, 2014

of Students - 188 *# of Advisors* - 16

of Schools Represented - 13

Schools Included – Bon Homme, Bridgewater-Emery, Canistota, Ethan, Hudson, Huron, Kimball, McCook, Menno, Mitchell, Montrose, Plankinton, Wessington Springs

Northern Lakes Region Workshop (Webster)

October 22, 2014

of Students - 166 *# of Advisors* - 14

of Schools Represented – 14

Schools Included – Aberdeen Central, Britton-Hecla, Deuel, Doland, Estelline, Henry, Langford Area, Milbank, Summit, Tiospa Zina, Watertown, Waverly-South Shore, Webster, Wilmot

Rushmore Region Workshop (Sturgis)

October 22, 2014

of Students - 235 *# of Advisors* – 18

of Schools Represented - 16

Schools Included – Bennett County, Custer, Douglas, Edgemont, Harding County, Hill City, Hot Springs, Lead-Deadwood, New Underwood, Newell, Oelrichs, Philip, Rapid City Central, Rapid City Stevens, Sturgis, Wall

Spirit Point Region Workshop (Dakota Valley)

Information not available at time of printing

Upper Missouri Region Workshop (Mobridge)

October 22, 2014

of Students - 138 *# of Advisors* - 15

of Schools Represented - 11

Schools Included – Bison, Bowdle, Faith, Gettysburg, Herreid, Hoven, Lemmon, McIntosh, Mobridge-Pollock, Sully Buttes, Wakpala

OUTSTANDING STUDENT COUNCIL RECOGNITION AWARDS

The SDHSAA "Outstanding Student Council Recognition Program" was created during the 1990-91 school year as a means of recognizing those student councils that meet the program's specified criteria. Those schools receiving the "Outstanding Student Council" designation have met standards of having well rounded programs that benefit their school, their community and the state. The "Outstanding" program consists of a self-evaluation of the activities and involvement by each participating student council. The 2014-15 school year was the twenty-fifth year of providing recognition to those student councils deemed to be "Outstanding" in the State.

2014-15 OUTSTANDING STUDENT COUNCILS

Aberdeen Central High School

Advisor Kevin Rook

Custer High School

Advisor Jean Diedtrich

Dakota Valley High School

Advisor James Schmit

Dell Rapids St. Mary's High School

Advisor Joni Smith & Cami Bacon

Edgemont High School

Advisor: Scott Corbett

Faith High School

Advisor: Deanna Fischbach

Harrisburg High School

Advisor: Michael Amolins

Huron High School

Advisor: Becca Briggs

Irene-Wakonda High School

Advisor: Landra Knodel

Lemmon High School

Advisor: Linda O'Donnell

Lennox High School

Advisor: Mary Stack

Lyman High School

Advisor: Carol Birgen

McCook Central High School

Advisor: Tracy Chase

Mitchell High School

Advisor: Nancy Leach

Pierre T.F. Riggs High School

Advisor: Brittany Green

Rapid City Central High School

Advisor: Cassie Furchner

Rapid City Stevens High School

Advisor: Courtney Pool

Sioux Falls Lincoln High School

Advisor: Jennifer DuBois

Sioux Falls Roosevelt High School

Advisor: Michele Jensen

Sioux Falls Washington High School

Advisor: Sandy Hoff & Kristy VanMeerteren

Sully Buttes High School

Advisor: Wanda Meyer

Summit High School

Advisor: Nicole Hoffman

Vermillion High School

Advisor: Paige Chapman

Wall High School

Advisor: Ronda Wilson

Winner High School

Advisor: Mona LaCompte & Lorna Phillips

Yankton High School

Advisor: Becky Tasa

OUTSTANDING STUDENT COUNCILS: 1991 – PRESENT

The following is a listing of the schools that have received the “Outstanding Student Council” Award and the years the school received the award.

Aberdeen Central – 2000, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Belle Fourche – 1994
Britton-Hecla – 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009
Brookings - 1994, 1995, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2009, 2011
Conde - 1997, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008
Corsica - 1991, 1992, 1993
Custer – 1994, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Dakota Valley - 2006, 2014, 2015
Dell Rapids St. Mary – 2003, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Edgemont - 1991, 1994, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Estelline – 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014
Faith – 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Harding County – 2011, 2012, 2013
Harrisburg - 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Herreid – 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014
Hoven – 2011, 2012
Hurley - 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2010
Huron - 1993, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Irene-Wakonda - 2013, 2014, 2015
Jones County - 1997, 2000, 2002
Lead-Deadwood - 1993, 1994, 1995, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014
Lemmon - 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Lennox – 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Lyman - 1991, 1993, 1995, 1996, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Madison - 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2007
McCook Central - 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Milbank—2014
Mitchell - 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Philip – 1995, 2001, 2005, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014
Pierre – 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Plankinton – 2010, 2011
Rapid City Central - 1991, 1998, 1999, 2013, 2015
Rapid City Stevens - 1996, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Rosholt – 1991
Sioux Falls Lincoln – 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Sioux Falls Roosevelt– 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Sioux Falls Washington – 2010, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2015
Sturgis – 1994, 2001, 2013, 2014
Sully Buttes – 1993, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Summit—2015
Tri-Valley - 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2002
Vermillion – 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2013, 2014, 2015
Wagner – 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009
Wall –2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Watertown - 1995, 1997, 1998
Wessington Springs - 2013
Winner – 2009, 2013, 2014, 2015
Yankton – 2004, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015

SDSCA ANNUAL STATE CONVENTION

The South Dakota Student Council Association's 28th Annual State Convention was held at the Ramkota RiverCentre in Pierre, March 29th – 31st. A record 911 students and advisors attended from 63 high schools across the state.

Focusing on the theme "Welcome to the Jungle", the SDSCA Convention utilized a combination of breakout sessions and large group instructional presentations. The keynote speakers for the convention were Mr. Jeremy Brech of Sioux Falls and Mike Schlappi, one of the top youth, college, and corporate motivational speakers and trainers in the world.

The convention also featured a state-wide community service project, which made 85 fleece blankets to disperse among communities throughout the state. The goal of the project is for the blankets to be given to women/children shelters, hospitals, and nursing homes to aid those who need some help. In 2015 a majority of the blankets were sent to Delmont, SD to assist the tornado victims.

Convention activities included the annual business meeting of the SDSCA and the election of the Association's 2015-2016 state officers, as well as the election of the officers for each of the Association's seven regions.

"SOUTH DAKOTA WARREN E. SHULL STUDENT COUNCIL ADVISOR OF THE YEAR"

The "Warren E. Shull Student Council Advisor of The Year Award" is named after Warren E. Shull, who founded the National Association of Student Councils (NASC) while he was a high school student council president. NASC is the nation's only national organization providing leadership development training for high school and middle level students and activity advisors.

The following is the honor roll of South Dakota Warren E. Shull Advisors of the Year:

1988-89 - Ivan Dixon, Lyman	2002-03 – Tom Authier, Lyman
1989-90 - Marcia West, Philip	2003-04 – Marcia Forrester, Britton-Hecla
1990-91 - Doug Hoisington, Bon Homme	2004-05 – Judy Thiesse, Mitchell
1991-92 - Sherry Ellwanger, Edgemont	2005-06 – Carol Gaikowski, Roslyn
1992-93 - Karen Odenbach, Lemmon	2006-07 – Chad Schiernbeck, Deuel
1993-94 - Gene Brownell, Aberdeen Central	2007-08 – Barb Goodfellow, Brookings
1994-95 - Bette Gerberding, Brookings	2008-09 – None
1995-96 - None Awarded	2009-10 – Jay Mickelson, Pierre T.F. Riggs
1996-97 - Lorretta Trenerry, Hurley	2010-11 – Michele Jensen, Sioux Falls, Roosevelt
1997-98 - Marta Hoffman, Tri-Valley	2011-12 – Renee Rebnord, Harrisburg
1998-88 - Renee Rebnord, Harrisburg	2012-13 – Laura Johnson, Harding County
1999-00 - Gary Linn, Lead-Deadwood	2013-14 - Deanna Fischbach, Faith
2000-01 - Susan Lee, Sioux Falls Washington	2014-15 - Rhonda Rider, Wall
2001-02 - Marcia West, Philip	