### STUDENT COUNCIL

### SDHSAA REGIONAL STUDENT COUNCIL LEADERSHIP WORKSHOPS & SDSCA MEETINGS

The 2015-16 SDHSAA Regional Student Council Workshops were scheduled in six sites during the Fall season.

The Workshops were designed to give students and advisors instruction in leadership techniques. The 2015-16 Workshops were organized around the theme "America the Beautiful". 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.

#### 2015-16 REGIONAL STUDENT COUNCIL WORKSHOPS

### Big Sioux Region Workshop (Brookings)

October 21, 2015
# of Students - 202 # of Advisors - 17
# of Schools Represented - 14
Schools Included - Baltic, Brookings, Dell Rapids,
Dell Rapids St. Mary, Elkton, Flandreau,
Flandreau Indian School, Lennox, Sioux Falls Christian,
Sioux Falls O'Gorman, Sioux Falls Roosevelt, Tri-Valley,
West Central, Wolsey-Wessington

#### **Capitol Region Workshop**

No workshop held

# James River Region Workshop (Salem)

October 21, 2015
# of Students - 153 # of Advisors - 14
# of Schools Represented - 13
Schools Included — Bon Homme, Bridgewater-Emery,
Canistota, Ethan, Howard, Huron, Kimball,
McCook Central, Menno, Mitchell, Montrose, Plankinton,
Wessington Springs

## Northern Lakes Region Workshop (Tiospa Zina)

October 16, 2015
# of Students - 182 # of Advisors - 17
# of Schools Represented - 16
Schools Included — Aberdeen Central, Britton-Hecla,
Deuel, Doland, Estelline, Grant-Deuel, Groton, Henry,
Langford Area, Milbank, Summit, Tiospa Zina, Watertown,
Waverly-South Shore, Webster, Wilmot

### Rushmore Region Workshop (Sturgis)

October 28, 2015
# of Students - 335 # of Advisors - 20
# of Schools Represented - 18
Schools Included — Belle Fourche, Bennett County,
Custer, Douglas, Edgemont, Harding County, Hill
City, Hot Springs, Jones County, Lead-Deadwood,
Little Wound, Lyman County, New Underwood,
Philip, Rapid City Central, Rapid City Stevens,
Sturgis, Wall

### Spirit Point Region Workshop (Harrisburg)

October 13, 2015
# of Students - 196 # of Advisors - 12
# of Schools Represented - 11
Schools Included - Canton, Dakota Valley,
Elk Point-Jefferson, Harrisburg, Irene-Wakonda,
Sioux Falls Lincoln, Sioux Falls Washington,
Tea Area, Vermillion, Viborg-Hurley, Yankton

## **Upper Missouri Region Workshop** (Mobridge)

October 28, 2015
# of Students - 146 # of Advisors - 14
# of Schools Represented - 13
Schools Included - Bison, Bowdle, Eureka, Faith,
Gettysburg, Herreid, Lemmon, McIntosh,
McLaughlin, Mobridge-Pollock, Sully Buttes,
Timber Lake, 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 2015-16 school year was the twenty-sixth year of providing recognition to those student councils deemed to be "Outstanding" in the State.

#### 2015-16 OUTSTANDING STUDENT COUNCILS

**Aberdeen Central High School** 

Advisor: Kevin Rook

Bennett County High School

Advisor: Mandi Smokov

**Bowdle High School** 

Advisor: Jason Bishop

**Canton High School** 

Advisor: Nicole Nelson **Dakota Valley High School** 

Advisor James Schmit & Kim Bacon

Dell Rapids St. Mary's High School

Advisor: Cami Bacon
Edgemont High School
Advisor: Scott Corbett
Estelline High School

Advisor: Morgan Hanenberger

**Faith High School** 

Advisor: Deanna Fischbach

**Henry High School** 

Advisor: Philip Schonebaum

Herreid High School

Advisor: Janelle Rossow

**Huron High School** 

Advisor: Becca Briggs

Lead-Deadwood High School

Advisor: Gary Linn **Lemmon High School** 

Advisor: Linda O'Donnell

**Lennox High School** 

Advisor: Madeline Kroger

Lyman High School

Advisor: Carol Birgen

McCook Central High School

Advisor: Tracy Chase Milbank High School

Advisor: Kathy Sussex & Nancy Paulson

Mitchell High School Advisor: Nancy Leach

**Philip High School** 

Advisor: Pamela DeJong Pierre T.F. Riggs High School

Advisor: Brittany Green & Bob Gill

Sioux Falls Lincoln High School Advisor: Jennifer DuBois

Sioux Falls Roosevelt High School

Advisor: Michele Jensen & Kari Bultje 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.

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Aberdeen Central – 2000, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006,
                                                        Lennox – 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013,
   2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014,
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   2015, 2016
                                                        Lyman - 1991, 1993, 1995, 1996, 2003, 2004, 2005,
Belle Fourche – 1994
                                                            2006, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014,
Bennett County—2016
                                                            2015, 2016
Bowdle—2016
                                                        Madison - 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000,
Britton-Hecla – 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2006,
                                                            2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2007
   2007, 2008, 2009
                                                        McCook Central - 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000,
Brookings - 1994, 1995, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002,
                                                            2001, 2002, 2003, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2011,
   2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2009, 2011
                                                            2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016
                                                        Milbank—2014, 2016
Canton—2016
Conde - 1997, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2004, 2005, 2006,
                                                        Mitchell - 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997,
   2007, 2008
                                                            1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005,
Corsica - 1991, 1992, 1993
                                                            2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013,
Custer - 1994, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010,
                                                            2014, 2015, 2016
   2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
                                                        Philip – 1995, 2001, 2005, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011,
Dakota Valley - 2006, 2014, 2015, 2016
                                                            2012, 2013, 2014, 2016
Dell Rapids St. Mary – 2003, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016
                                                        Pierre – 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010,
                                                            2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016
Edgemont - 1991, 1994, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003,
                                                        Plankinton – 2010, 2011
   2004, 2005, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014,
                                                        Rapid City Central - 1991, 1998, 1999, 2013, 2015
                                                        Rapid City Stevens - 1996, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
   2015, 2016
Estelline – 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006,
                                                        Rosholt - 1991
   2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014,
                                                        Sioux Falls Lincoln – 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015,
   2016
                                                        2016
Faith – 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015,
                                                        Sioux Falls Roosevelt-2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016
   2016
                                                        Sioux Falls Washington – 2010, 2011, 2013, 2014,
Harding County - 2011, 2012, 2013
                                                        2015, 2016
Harrisburg - 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003,
                                                        Sturgis - 1994, 2001, 2013, 2014
                                                        Sully Buttes – 1993, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006,
   2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011,
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   2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
Henry—2016
                                                            2015, 2016
Herreid – 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010,
                                                        Summit—2015, 2016
   2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016
                                                        Tri-Valley - 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2002
Hoven -2011, 2012
                                                        Vermillion – 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2013,
                                                            2014, 2015, 2016
Hurley - 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997,
   1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005,
                                                        Wagner – 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009
   2006, 2007, 2008, 2010
                                                        Wall -2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016
Huron - 1993, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005,
                                                        Watertown - 1995, 1997, 1998
                                                        Wessington Springs - 2013
   2006, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016
Irene-Wakonda - 2013, 2014, 2015
                                                        Winner – 2009, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016
Jones County - 1997, 2000, 2002
                                                        Yankton – 2004, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011,
Lead-Deadwood - 1993, 1994, 1995, 1998, 1999, 2000,
                                                            2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016
   2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008, 2009,
   2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016
Lemmon - 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997,
   1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005,
   2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013,
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2014, 2015, 2016

#### SDSCA ANNUAL STATE CONVENTION

The South Dakota Student Council Association's 29<sup>th</sup> Annual State Convention was held at the Premier Center in Sioux Falls, April 3rd – 5th. A record 968 students and advisors attended from 73 high schools across the state.

Focusing on the theme "U.S.A. (Unlimited Student Achievement)", the SDSCA Convention utilized a combination of breakout sessions and large group instructional presentations. Guest speaker for the convention was Mayor Mike Huether of Sioux Falls. The keynote speaker was Amy Gallimore, Creative Director and CEO of Four16 Training Solutions and a Leadership Fellow at TRI Leadership.

The convention also featured a state-wide community service project, which made 72 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.

Convention activities included the annual business meeting of the SDSCA and the election of the Association's 2016-2017 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 Awarded
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	2015-16 - Amber Fluth, Tri-Valley