

MISSOURI ASSOCIATION OF STUDENT COUNCILS

Inspire Greatness. Serve Others. Be More. Lead.



70TH ANNUAL
Convention Registration
and Brochure

Conference Registration
Deadline:

February 9, 2018

\$75 per delegate

Convention Host:
Lebanon High School,
Lebanon, MO

1st Vice President
Seckman High School

2nd Vice President
Carthage Junior High
School

Secretary
Jefferson R-7
High School

LEADERSHIP ON TOUR

**MASC is taking Leadership on Tour this year.
Lebanon HS gym will be the venue of
this incredible show!**

**Our officer schools have planned an event that will
rock your world! The convention will include large
and small group sessions, focus discussion groups,
nationally recognized speakers and a service project
to benefit those in need.**

**The schedule includes a special session for
advisors, time to meet with your students to discuss
ideas you are hearing and a chance to network with
other schools.**

**Don't miss this opportunity to bring up to 6 of
your students to the largest event our Association
holds each year.**

**Registration is open. Use the online registration
form found on our website to get signed up.
Credit cards will be accepted.**

**If you have questions, or need additional
information - contact Terri by email or phone!**

**masc@masc1.org
816-261-7079**

TENTATIVE CONVENTION SCHEDULE

THURSDAY, March 8, 2018

- 3:00 Officer School Candidates Meeting
- 4:00 Registration Opens **DO NOT** arrive earlier. You will be greeted by a “guide” who will guide you to the various check in stations
 - *Verify your registration
 - *Eat—Pre-order your meal on the registration form
 - *Take photos, visit Exhibit Hall and Campaign Booths, Create your school school guitar emblem!
 - *Attend meetings if needed:
- 4:30 Scholarship Interviews - MS and HS (by application only)
- 4:45 Discussion Group Leaders Meeting
- 5:30 All Advisors - All Advisors attend, please
- 6:00 New Advisors - For Advisors new to Convention
- 7:00 General Session Opening Act
- 9:00 Return to hotels

FRIDAY, March 9, 2018

Breakfast provided in Hotels

- 8:30 Opening Session/Welcome
- 10:15 Large and Small Group Workshops, JH Rotation, Advisor Workshop
- 11:30 Lunch Rotations/Small Groups
 - **Advisor luncheon**
- 1:00 Discussion Groups
- 2:30 Service project
- 3:30 Home school networking time
- 4:30 Honor Council Recognition
- 5:15 Dinner Rotations
- 6:30 Leaders Take the Stage Event
- 8:30 Closing Session - Marquita Thomas, Speaker

SATURDAY, March 11, 2018

- 8:00—Closing Session
 - *Advisor and Administrator of the Year Awards
 - *Distinguished Student Leader Awards
 - *Closing Speaker - Kevin Wanzer, Speaker
 - *Recognition of Officer Schools

Leaders Take the Stage!

HOTEL INFORMATION

There will be 7 hotel properties available for this convention. All the rates, phone numbers and addresses can be found on our website. All hotels include breakfast.

Hotel Deadline - February 9

Lebanon Hotels:
Holiday Inn Express & Suites
Super 8
Hampton Inn
 (all located in town)

Camdenton Hotel:
Old Kinderhook Lodge
 (30 miles north on Highway 5)

St. Robert Hotels:
Hampton Inn
Comfort Inn
Fairfield Inn
 (32 miles east on I-44)

FIND A ROOMMATE!

Each MASC District will have a google doc available for you to connect and to share rooms.

Please tell the hotel you are with the MASC Student Council Convention to get rate and breakfast.

Call for: Discussion Group Leaders

The convention offers fantastic opportunities for student learning - but only with your help!:

Forms to sign up to be a discussion group leader will be on the website.

Schools who assist with workshop earn points on their HONOR COUNCIL application.

The schools below are in charge of Discussion Groups.

High Schools:
Seckman HS

Middle Schools:
Carthage JH



State Convention Shirt

You can place an order for a souvenir convention shirt right on the registration form. These shirts are optional, but are a great way for your delegation to remember the great times at State, 2018!

These shirts will NOT be sold at convention, pre-order only!

You will pick them up at registration table when you arrive.

Charcoal Grey

Short sleeve

Cost:

S - XL - \$14

2XL - 3XL - \$16

4XL - 5XL - \$18

THURSDAY NIGHT DINNER

Food items will be available on Thursday evening when you arrive at LHS. Slim Chickens, Cornerstone Subs and Mazzio's Pizza are included in the choices. See registration form to order this meal. Each is a different price and will include sides and a drink. This meal is not included in registration cost.

* * Advisors have the option to eat for FREE in the Advisor Hospitality Room. LHS will offer supper for the advisors at no charge. You are welcome to order/pay for one of the above items and eat with your students - but if you choose to eat in the cafeteria with them, you will need to order a meal and pay for it.* *

Please remember, time is limited when you arrive on campus. It is difficult to register, attend meetings, AND eat off campus. The option we offer allows you to feed your students at the high school so they will NOT miss a minute of the action!

Exhibit Hall

Vendor Booths will be set up on Thursday evening for schools to visit. These will include service groups, fundraising opportunities, products and organizations. Hall will be open: 4:00 - 6:00. Don't miss out!

Thanks to Jefferson R-7 High School, MASC Secretary for organizing the Exhibit Hall. If you have ideas or suggestions for booths let our Secretary school know!

Contact: Kristen Wilkey - WilkeyK@jr7.k12.mo.us

Running for MASC State Office:

If your school is interested in running for office for the 2018 - 2019 school year, contact Terri Johnson, masc@masc1.org

Postmarked: Feb 2, 2018

1. Send a letter of candidacy from your Student Council advisor and president announcing your intention and the office you want to hold.
2. Send a letter of support for your candidacy from your school principal.
3. Your school will receive confirmation email.
4. Election guidelines on the MASC website & must be strictly followed.
5. Candidates are required to have an informational booth/table on Thursday evening. Arrive at 2:30 for candidate meeting and time to set up booth and hang posters.
6. Video Technology must be in Terri's office by February 16.
7. Candidate Schools must attend election meeting at 3:00 Thursday, March 8.

**The earlier you declare candidacy,
the more time you have to plan your campaign!**

OFFICER SCHOOL INFORMATION

Please read these carefully and call or email Terri if you have questions regarding state office.

1. **Candidates for President may bring 8 delegates to convention. Other offices may bring ONLY 6 delegates.**
2. **Candidates will be doing presentations from the stage. These will be done on Friday morning at the general session.**
3. **All candidate schools will be expected to have a campaign booth which will be set up Thursday evening in Exhibit Hall.**
4. **Schools who would like to run for office need to send a letter, declaring candidacy by Feb 2, 2018 to Terri. The letter should be signed by the school advisor and council president. A letter from the principal giving permission to run for office should be included.**

Candidate schools should refer to campaign guidelines on the MASC website for additional information.

MAKE TRAVEL PLANS ACCORDINGLY—ALL OFFICER CANDIDATE SCHOOLS MUST BE PRESENT AT THE MEETING AT LEBANON HIGH SCHOOL ON THURSDAY AT 3:00 PM.

Officer Schools will be involved in the planning and arrangements for the State Convention. These schools need to send student representatives to MASC Summer Leadership Workshop in Fulton, MO.

OFFICER SCHOOLS MUST COMMIT TO ATTEND PLANNING MEETINGS THROUGH OUT THE YEAR.

All offices are held by high school level councils EXCEPT for 2nd Vice President.

- *****PRESIDENT**—
Convention host, 2019
- *****1st VICE PRESIDENT**
—Select topics and discussion leaders for high school delegates
- *****2nd VICE PRESIDENT**—Select topics and discussion leaders for Jr High/Middle Level delegates
- *****SECRETARY**—
Oversee the Exhibit Hall for State Convention and provide advisor gift (revenue from Exhibit Hall pays for this gift)



HONOR COUNCIL

Karen Haak, director of our Honor Council Award has announced the applications are available on the website. **ONLY** those schools who are eligible may apply. Please follow the application guidelines and direct questions to Karen. Remember, for the award, photographs must be included in your application to qualify.

Pictures will be used in the Honor Council presentation at the state convention.

Pictures should be emailed to the MASC Technology Team.

socialmedia@masc1.org

Contact information:

KAREN HAAK

705 Franklin

Moberly, MO 65270

teacherhaak@sbcglobal.net





Several scholarships and award recognitions are available to students and advisors from MASC.

Applications can be downloaded at:

www.masc1.org

Make a commitment to nominate a student for these outstanding opportunities.

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MISSOURI ASSOCIATION OF EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS SCHOLARSHIP

Completed applications must be returned directly to MSAE OFFICE, Jefferson City, MO.
\$1500 scholarship awarded to outstanding student council leader. More info on our website
Each school can nominate one senior— preferably your president or other officer

NONA HYDE – LENORA YOUNGER SCHOLARSHIPS

Completed applications returned by March 1.
Two scholarships to attend MASC Summer Leadership Workshop at William Woods University.
Provides full registration. Any student 9 – 11 in current school year is eligible
Interviews will be conducted at convention on Thursday— the nominee must be one of the regular delegates.

MARVIN FLEMING MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Completed applications returned by March 1.
Letter of recommendation from advisor nominating student and outlining the student’s qualities and experiences
Each school may nominate one student council member
Scholarship to MASC Workshop at William Woods University, Fulton, MO

MEL GUEMMER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Completed applications returned by March 1.
Letter of recommendation from advisor nominating student and outlining the student’s experiences.
Student must be a student council member and varsity letter winner in any sport.
Letter of recommendation from student council advisor Verification of varsity letter from a coach or athletic director.
Scholarship includes full registration to MASC Workshop at William Woods University, Fulton, MO

OUTSTANDING JUNIOR HIGH-MIDDLE SCHOOL AWARD

Completed applications returned by March 1 to: Sarah Adkins, 4500 NW River Park Dr, Riverside, MO 64150
Student must be a registered delegate at MASC Convention
Current Junior High-Middle School student GPA of C or above Actively involved in Student Council
Interviews will take place at convention and winner will be announced Saturday morning

DR. GRACE GARDNER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Completed applications returned by March 1.
Provided to a Middle School – Junior High student to attend MASC Leadership Camp in June at William Woods

DENNIS LOCK AND KEVIN “CUBBY” HOUSKA SCHOLARSHIP

Completed applications returned by March 1
There are two special scholarships available to high school students to attend MASC Summer Leadership Camp in Fulton, MO. One honors former executive director, Dennis Lock, who now lives in Las Vegas, NV and the other is in memory of former camp JC and Mehlville HS graduate, Kevin “Cubby” Houska.
Cubby Scholarship—Application on the website. Due to Terri by March 1.
Dennis Lock Scholarship—Send a letter of nomination, outlining student accomplishments to Terri by March 1.

MISSOURI DISTINGUISHED STUDENT LEADER AWARD

POSTMARK DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION - JANUARY 31, 2018

Please check the MASC website for application, guidelines and information. **No late applications will be accepted.** Awards will be announced at the State Convention. Advisors will be notified about this process after paperwork is received by MASC.

GIVING THE BASICS State Convention Service Project

MASC's Core Values include the words: ***Serve Others***. Each year we include a service project as part of our State Convention.

The officer schools have chosen have delegates participate
Sole Hope and NICU Blankets.

Students will be divided into rotation groups and work together to make a difference in the lives of those who need our support.

Additional information about these service projects will be provided in emails to advisors over the coming weeks.

