**Boys State Info**

**THE AMERICAN LEGION ALASKA BOYS STATE**

TO: ALL HIGH SCHOOL JUNIORS:

The 57th Annual American Legion Alaska Boys State Program will be held **starting at 5:30 p.m. on Sunday June 09, 2024 through Saturday June 15, 2024.** This year’s program will be held at **Alaska’s Healing Hearts Warrior Family Camp (formally known as Alaska State Elks Camp)** near Sutton.

The Tuition remains $300 per student which is paid by the sponsoring American Legion Post/Squadron/Unit. The Alaska Boys State Program is open to High School Juniors **(those who will be seniors during the 2024-2025 school year.)** and are at least 16 years of age and not over 18 years of age.

American Legion Boys State is an objective citizenship training program which includes individual responsibility to the community, state and nation. It is our goal that each young man attending American Legion Boys State sessions will return to his community a better citizen.

Our goal is that this experience will have stimulated in each student a desire to become an active citizen and leader to make contributions which will help to make his community a better place.

American Legion Alaska Boys State is not a recreational camp but a leadership training camp. The American Legion Boys State Program is for qualified male High School Juniors only.

Our American Legion plays a very important role in the development of the future leaders of this state and nation. Our history is proven by the following list of [prominent Boys State graduates](http://www.legion.org/documents/legion/pdf/american_legion_boys_state_prominent_grads.pdf). We take great pride in offering this program to the young men of Alaska.

**THE APPLICATION PAGE IS FILLABLE; IT AND THE NOTICE PAGE HAVE TO BE PRINTED, SIGNED AND TURNED IN TO THE AMERICAN LEGION POST NEAREST YOUR SCHOOL. The web site is**[**www.alaskalegion.org/**](http://www.alaskalegion.org/)**Boys\_State\_Application**

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If you cannot decide which American Legion Post is your local Post or for ***any other questions*** feel free to contact the **American Legion Boys State** Director ***Kevin Collier at 1-(907)317-8029 or email kcollier@alaska.net***