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OASC STATE CONVENTION – JENKS HIGH SCHOOL

Jenks High School is processing state convention forms and mailing out confirmations at this time. Housing assignments will follow in the next few weeks. Convention information is available at www.jenksstuco.org. We are still in need of housing from District 7 and 6 delegates. Housing forms are available at our website as well (click on the State Convention page at the top). Please have all of your housing forms ASAP.

Don't forget to send in video of your students in action, working on community service projects, for the Spirit of Service award. Also we have teamed up with *Make-A-Wish Foundation of Oklahoma*® for the state community service project, so be sure to send in your contributions to help grant a child's wish. Questions? Please contact us at jenksstuco@gmail.com. We can't wait to see you this November, where Leadership- It's Out of this World!

Sallena Samuel
2008 OASC State Secretary

OASC OFFICER CANDIDATE SCHOOLS

Schools running for OASC office & the NASC National Convention Delegates are listed below.

President

Thomas Edison School

Bartlesville High School

Vice-President

Boise City High School

Claremore High School

Fairview High School

DELEGATE SCHOOLS TO THE NASC CONVENTION – JUNE 2009

Cleveland

Newkirk

Boise City

Ponca City

Union

Marlow

PC North

Chisholm

Noble

Edmond North

Elgin

Canadian

Bartlesville

Mason

Fairview

Putnam City

Yukon

Alva

Westmoore

Bishop Kelly

Moore

Ardmore

Claremore

Jenks

Oolagah

2008 Gold Chapter Schools

Gold chapter schools will be awarded the OASC Award of Excellence at the OASC State Convention. Any corrections, contact your District Advisor or Gary Oberste.

District 1

Vinita
Pryor
Quapaw
Miami

District 2

Chisholm
Cashion
Fairview
Kingfisher
Piedmont

District 3

Ardmore
Dickson
Elgin
Fletcher
Lindsay
MacArthur
Marlow

District 4

Ada
Seminole
Broken Bow

District 5

Bartlesville
Blackwell
Cleveland
Cushing
Newkirk
Perry
Ponca City
Shidler
Stillwater

District 6

Claremore
Owasso
Skiatook
Oologah
Booker T Washington
Inola

Nathan Hale

District 7

Berryhill
Bishop
Edison
Broken Arrow
Jenks
Union
BA South Intermediate
Union Intermediate
Bixby
Metro Christian
Sapulpa

District 8

Dibble
Mustang
Moore
Noble
Norman
Norman North
Northwest Classen
Purcell
U.S. Grant
Washington
Western Heights
Westmoore
Yukon

District 9

Bishop McGuinness
Bethany
Putnam City
Putnam City North
Putnam City West
Shawnee
Tecumseh
Tuttle

District 10

ASTECC Charter

Choctaw

Edmond Memorial
Edmond North
Edmond Santa Fe
Mid-West City Carl
Albert

District 11

Alva
Boise City
Laverne

District 12

Anadarko
Elk City
Weatherford
Clinton
Burns Flat-Dill City

District 13

Mason
Porter
Gore

District 14

Poteau

SPIRIT OF SERVICE S.O.S. AWARD INFORMATION

Application and information on the Spirit of Service S.O.S Award is available on the state convention website at www.jenksstuco.org The OASC continues the tradition of recognizing outstanding service by student leaders across the state. **Please send your project to Jenks high School by October 3rd, 2008.**

STATE CONVENTION ADULT COMMITTEES

If you would like to serve on one of the following Adult Committees at State Convention, please contact Robin Davis, OASC 3rd Year Advisor at rdavis@claremore.k12.ok.us. Adults committees are: Advisor of the Year, Basic Workshop (must have been on staff), Advanced Workshop (must have been on staff), Budgeting, Auditing, and Elections (cannot be a candidate school).

OASC ADVISOR OF THE YEAR

Attached is the 2008 Advisor of the Year form. Oklahoma has a lot of awesome advisors that are dedicated to helping provide the very best in leadership development. If you would like to make a nomination, please complete the attached form as directed. Thanks for all you do for your school! You make the difference!!



2008 Advisor of the
Year.doc

NEW STUDENT COUNCIL ADVISORS FOR 2007-08

Please notify Gary Oberste at goberste@bkellyhs.org if your Student Council has a new advisor for the 2007-08 school year.

NASC LEADERSHIP STORE

The NASC Leadership store is now online at www.nasc/store. A great resource for Student Council merchandise, publications, supplies, and clothing. Questions, call 866-647-7253.

OASC MEMBERSHIPS AVAILABLE

The OASC encourages school to join our organization. Student Councils who are not members of the OASC can join by completing the OASC Dues form found on the OASC website and mailing it with their \$50 annual dues. If you know of a school that should be contacted about joining the OASC, please contact Gary Oberste at goberste@bkellyhs.org

NASC CERTIFIED STUDENT LEADERS

Take your leadership to the next level as you work to earn national recognition as an NASC Certified Student Leader (CSL). To apply, you'll complete a variety of tasks focused on building your leadership knowledge and improving your skills. You'll also keep record of your activities and show you've met the award criteria by creating a personal leadership portfolio.

In addition to being the key to earning the CSL award, the portfolio will serve as a valuable record of your achievements and commitment as a leader, something you may refer to often when you're applying to college and for scholarships.

Ready? Get started today!

- [Materials for Students](#)
Everything students need to learn about and apply to become a Certified Student Leader.
- [Application and Related Materials](#)
Includes the application packet, detailed instructions for completing it, a guide to building your portfolio, and a step-by-step application checklist.
- [Materials for Advisers and Principals](#)
Information and materials specifically for advisers and principals about the Certified Student Leader program.
- [Leadership Library](#)
Here you'll find information related to the criteria and tasks in each section of the application.



October 15

Advisor of the year nomination forms due

October 31

BASIC 2009 J.C. Applications due to Workshop Director

November 8-10

68th OASC State Convention at Jenks High School

2008 OASC EXECUTIVE BOARD

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OASC SPONSORS RSVP TRAINING SESSIONS

Raising Student Voice & Participation:

The OASC will sponsor training sessions for high schools interested in initiating the RSVP program in their school. Dates are TBA. Contact Darryl Andrews at darryl.andrews@yukonps.com for information.

What is RSVP?

- Student engagement program sponsored by the National Association of Secondary School Principals (NAASSP) and the National Association of Student Councils (NASC). Visit www.nasc.us
- It is easily integrated into existing student council programs. Student council leaders plan and facilitate a series of summits that engage the student body in dialogues and assemble student action teams to carry out plans for resolving concerns identified in the summits.
- RSVP asks students what they care about, what proposals they have for community and school improvement, and what actions can be taken, in cooperation with adults, to implement their ideas for positive change.

Challenges Addressed by RSVP

- Provides principals with a way to utilize the leadership of their student councils to engage students more and personalize their school experience.
- Involves *all* students and student populations—specifically giving those students who are typically not involved an opportunity to share their voices and participate in civic-based activities. Establishes a process and framework for developing and implementing student-directed projects.
- Brings abstract learning to life: “Students who learn about democracy in social studies courses but who fail to see it practiced in the classroom or school are given the message that democracy is a lofty ideal, but it is not for the real world. What is needed then is an approach to citizenship education that will not only prepare students for democratic participation but help them to appreciate the value of democratic institutions”. Visit www.nasc.us to learn how RSVP can be tied to state content standards; also find on the site creative curriculum activities.
- Extends opportunities for leadership and involvement to non-elected students



2008 MEMBERSHIP INVOICE/RECEIPT

The Oklahoma Association of Student Councils (OASC) provides leadership development and training opportunities for both students and advisors throughout the year. Participation by member schools in any and all OASC Events and Activities is voluntary. Membership in the OASC is open to secondary schools. Please complete the form below and mail it along with \$50 annual dues payment to the address indicated below. OASC dues run January 1 to December 31. Thank You!

Name of School _____ City _____ Okla.

Mailing Address _____ Zip Code _____

Principal _____ OSSAA Classification _____ (6A, 5A, 4A, etc.)

Student Council District ____ School Ph. Number (405/580/918) _____

Advisor Name: Miss Ms Mrs. Mr. _____

Advisor email _____ Fax _____

Advisor Home Address _____

City _____ Zip _____ No. years as an advisor _____

Advisor Home Phone Number (405/580/918) _____

Advisor Cell Number (405/580/918) _____

Co-Advisor Name: Miss Ms Mrs. Mr. _____

Co-Advisor email: _____

Co-Advisor Cell Number:(405/580/918) _____ No. years as advisor _____

What information would be helpful to you as a student council advisor?

____ Constitution ____ Elections ____ Spirit Ideas ____ Community Service Ideas

____ Fundraising ____ Organization ____ Leadership Class ____ Using Technology

____ Inspiring and Motivating Members ____ Speakers ____ RSVP

Please mail this form and \$50 check payable to the OASC

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