

Buckeye Girls State 2010

Program Highlights

The 64th annual session of The American Legion Auxiliary Buckeye Girls State will be held at Ashland University, Ashland, Ohio. Over nine hundred girls from 88 Ohio counties will descend upon this campus for a hands-on experience with a working government. Each girl is assigned a political party, city and county. Their cities are named after famous Ohio women and their counties are named after Past Department Presidents of the Ohio American Legion Auxiliary.

Sunday, June 13

1:00 – 3:00pm	Delegate Registration	Campus Gym
3:00 – 4:30pm	City Mixer and Campus Exploration	In Each City
8:00pm	Official Opening Keynote Speaker: Nandini Srinivasan, 2009 BGS Governor	Upper Convocation Center

Monday, June 14

9:00am – 2:15pm	Workshops in Government	Various Campus Locations
2:30pm	County Government Party Caucuses	Various Campus Locations
6:45pm	State Government Party Caucuses	Upper Convocation Center

Tuesday, June 15

9:00 – 11:00am	County Government Party Caucuses	Various Campus Locations
2:30pm	State Government Party Caucuses	Upper Convocation Center
7:30pm	City Rallies	In Each City

Wednesday, June 16

7:30 – 9:00am	City General Elections	In Each City
9:15am	State Rallies	Upper Convocation Center
11:00am – 12:30pm	County and State Primary Elections	Campus Gym
2:15pm	County Rallies	Various Campus Locations
3:30 – 5:00pm	Debate and Party Demonstrations	Upper Convocation Center
6:00 – 7:30pm	County and State General Elections	Campus Gym
8:00pm	City Government Celebration Keynote Speaker: TBD	Upper Convocation Center

Thursday, June 17

9:00 – 10:15am	Government Setup, Orientation and Functioning	Various Campus Locations
10:30 – 11:45am	State Patrol Graduation	Upper Convocation Center
1:30 – 4:45pm	All Levels of Government Functioning	Various Campus Locations
8:00pm	County and State Government Celebration BGS Governor's Inaugural Address	Upper Convocation Center

Friday, June 18

9:00 – 11:45am	All Levels of Government Functioning	Various Campus Locations
9:00 – 11:00am	Red Cross Blood Drive (BGS Delegates only)	Upper Convocation Center
1:00 – 3:00pm	Red Cross Blood Drive Resumes (BGS Delegates only)	Upper Convocation Center
1:30 – 4:45pm	All Levels of Government Functioning and BGS Government Tour	Various Campus Locations
7:30 – 10:00pm	All Levels of Government Functioning	Various Campus Locations

Saturday, June 19

9:00 – 10:30am	Government Shutting Down	Various Campus Locations
11:00am – 12:00pm	Joint Session of the BGS House and Senate with the BGS Governor's State of the State Address	Upper Convocation Center
12:15pm	Citizens of BGS are free to leave	