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Boys State is a program developed and sponsored by the American Legion. Boys State is a program in government, Americanism, and citizenship. Students will participate in mock political activities on the city, county, and state levels of government. Selection of these young men is done at the local level and is based on individual interviews. The Jesse C. Lynch Memorial Post #71 will select 10 juniors from North Augusta High School and 1 junior from Fox Creek High School to represent their individual schools. This year Boys State will be held at the University of South Carolina from June 8 – 14. Each citizen will pay a registration fee of \$25.00 and a room deposit of \$40.00. The fees cover the cost of 2 boys state t-shirts and 1 athletic t-shirt and political campaign materials. The \$40.00 room deposit will be returned to the citizen when he turns in his key on departure.

Fox Creek High School will send 3 junior boys to the interview portion of the selection process; the interview will determine the 1 student from Fox Creek High School that is chosen. To be considered as one of three finalists from Fox Creek High School you must meet these minimum requirements:

1. You must have taken Government Honors and Economic Honors and earned at least a 'B' in both classes.
2. You must be currently enrolled in US History Honors or AP US History; your first semester grade must have been at least a 'B' in US History Honors and at least a 'C' in AP US History.
3. You must have at least a 3.5 GPA.
4. You must have a good attendance and discipline record.

If you meet these minimum requirements and would like to be considered, please see Ms. Key and have your name placed on the nomination sheet. Deadline for nominations is March 28, 2008.