

2022 American Legion of Iowa Boys State Orientation Schedule

Delegates are encouraged to attend the orientation in their District, however, they may attend ANY orientation that is closer to their home or being held at a more convenient date. www.ialegion.org/boysstate

1st District April 16, 2022 (Saturday)
2:30 PM Crawfordsville American Legion Post #593
113 E Vine Street
Crawfordsville, IA 52621

Point of Contact: Dr. Dan McClure
(319) 653-3413

2nd District April 23, 2022 (Saturday)
2:00 PM Dubuque American Legion Post #6
1306 Delhi Street
Dubuque, IA 52001

May 1, 2022 (Sunday)
2:00 PM Marion American Legion Post #298
625 31st St.
Marion, IA 52302

May 14, 2022 (Saturday)
2:00 PM DeWitt American Legion Post #238
704 9th Street
DeWitt, IA 52742

Point of Contact: Jim Crowley
(414) 630-5689
jimmycrowl588@yahoo.com

3rd District April 24, 2022 (Sunday)
3:00 PM Dike American Legion #471
540 Main St
Dike, IA 50624

May 1, 2022 (Sunday)
3:00 PM Iowa Falls American Legion Post #188
709 South Oak
Iowa Falls, IA 50126

Point of Contact: Jim Zacharias
(641) 640-7872
jjzacharias1946@gmail.com

4th District May 1, 2022 (Sunday)
2:00 PM West Union American Legion Post #15
103 E Main Street
West Union, IA 52175

Point of Contact: Jake Blitsch
(319) 240-0592
jakpeg@msn.com

5th District May 15, 2022 (Sunday)
2:00 PM Oskaloosa American Legion Post #34
302 High Ave E
Oskaloosa, IA 52577

Point of Contact: Don Lane
(641) 790-0041
greentrak4@hotmail.com

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6th District	April 24, 2022 (Sunday) 1:00 PM	Baldwin-Patterson American Legion Post #274 2211 E 42 nd Street Des Moines, IA 50317
Point of Contact:	Ron Foster (515) 262-1763 rrrdfrtf@prodigy.net	
7th District	April 10, 2022 (Sunday) 1:00 PM	Virtually via Zoom Information will be emailed to confirmed delegates
	April 24, 2022 (Sunday)	Virtually via Zoom Information will be emailed to confirmed delegates
Point of Contact:	Brian Ring (402) 670-2168 brianring.legion@outlook.com	
8th District	April 27, 2022 (Wednesday) 7:00 PM	Dedham American Legion Post #20 301 Main St. Dedham, IA 51440
	May 2, 2022 (Monday) 7:00 PM	Forest City American Legion Post #121 113 S Clark St. Forest City, IA 50436
Point of Contact:	Al Tigges (712) 790-7053 ptigges@hotmail.com	
9th District	April 24, 2022 (Sunday) 1:00 PM	Spencer American Legion Post #1 Hwy 71 North Spencer Spencer, IA 51301
	May 1, 2022 (Sunday) 3:00 PM	Le Mars American Legion Post #241 110 Plymouth St W Le Mars, IA 51031
Point of Contact:	Scott Koedem (712) 470-7037 skoedam@hopehaven.org	
Virtual Orientation	May 15, 2022 (Sunday) 3:00 PM	Via Zoom Details available on www.ialegion.org/boysstate
Point of Contact:	Christopher Arp arpch01@gmail.com	

A face-to-face orientation offers the benefits of meeting other delegates from the same region, meeting some Boys State Counselors or Staff, familiarization of The American Legion through the local post, and asking questions with someone to answer. The Q&A portion benefits the parents in most cases more so than the delegates. We understand that scheduling conflicts are a constant in the life of a family, especially during the school year. If a delegate and/or their parent(s) is/are unable to attend any of the Orientations, either in their district or not, they may access the materials online.