

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR CORPORATION
FOR PUBLIC BENEFIT TO ADMINISTER
THE NEVADA YOUTH LEGISLATURE
(NRS 219A.300)**

JULY 31, 2017



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MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR CORPORATION FOR PUBLIC
BENEFIT TO ADMINISTER THE NEVADA YOUTH
LEGISLATURE (NRS 219A.300)

Date and Time of Meeting: Monday, July 31, 2017 – 2:00 p.m.

Place of Meeting: Grant Sawyer State Office Building, Room 4412
555 East Washington Avenue
Las Vegas, Nevada

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item may be removed from this agenda or discussion relating to an
item on this agenda may be delayed at any time.**

I. ROLL CALL.

II. PUBLIC COMMENT

(Because of time considerations, speakers are urged to avoid repetition of
comments made by previous speakers. A person may also have comments
added to the minutes of the meeting by submitting them in writing either in
addition to testifying or in lieu of testifying. Written comments may be
submitted in person or by e-mail, facsimile, or mail before, during, or after
the meeting.)

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III. ELECTION OF OFFICERS

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IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF THE JUNE 8, 2016, MEETING –
Senator Valerie Wiener (Retired), Chair, 2016-17

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Action*

V. REVIEW OF NEVADA YOUTH LEGISLATURE REVENUES AND
EXPENDITURES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016-17 AND APPROVAL OF BUDGET
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2017-18 – Rick Combs, Director Legislative Counsel
Bureau

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VI. REVIEW OF NEVADA YOUTH LEGISLATURE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM –
Senator Valerie Wiener (Retired), Chair, 2016-17

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VII. CHAIR'S REPORT REGARDING ACTIVITIES OF THE NEVADA YOUTH
LEGISLATURE DURING THE CURRENT YEAR – Senator Valerie Wiener
(Retired), Chair, 2016-17

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VIII. DISCUSSION OF FUTURE PLANS FOR THE NEVADA YOUTH LEGISLATURE –
Senator Valerie Wiener (Retired), Chair, 2016-17

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IX. DISCUSSION OF FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS AND DATES FOR FUTURE
MEETINGS – Senator Valerie Wiener (Retired), Chair, 2016-17

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IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF THE
JUNE 8, 2016, MEETING



NEVADA LEGISLATURE BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR CORPORATION FOR PUBLIC BENEFIT FOR NEVADA YOUTH LEGISLATURE

(Nevada Revised Statutes 219A.300)

SUMMARY MINUTES AND ACTION REPORT

The first meeting of the Nevada Legislature's Board of Directors for Corporation for Public Benefit for Nevada Youth Legislature of the 2015–2016 Interim was held on Wednesday, June 8, 2016, at 3 p.m. in Room 4401 of the Grant Sawyer State Office Building, 555 East Washington Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada. The meeting was videoconferenced to Room 3137 of the Legislative Building, 401 South Carson Street, Carson City, Nevada. The "Summary Minutes and Action Report," the "Meeting Notice and Agenda," and other meeting materials are available on the Nevada Legislature's website at <http://www.leg.state.nv.us/interim/78th2015/committee/>. In addition, copies of the audio or video record are available through the Legislative Counsel Bureau's Publications Office (e-mail: publications@lcb.state.nv.us; telephone: 775/684-6835) and may be available online at <http://www.leg.state.nv.us/Granicus/>.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT IN LAS VEGAS:

Senator Valerie Wiener (Retired), Chair
Assemblyman Lynn D. Stewart, Vice Chair
Victoria Carreon
Zhan Okuda-Lim

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT IN CARSON CITY:

Assemblywoman Amber Joiner
Alex Bybee

COMMITTEE MEMBER ABSENT:

Senator Becky Harris

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL BUREAU STAFF PRESENT:

Rick Combs, Director

Jann Stinnesbeck, Research Analyst, Constituent Services Unit, Research Division

Janet Coons, Principal Administrative Assistant, Research Division

Maria Aguayo, Receptionist/Research Secretary, Research Division

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Items taken out of sequence during the meeting have been placed in agenda order.

AGENDA ITEM I—ROLL CALL

Chair Wiener called the meeting of the Board of Directors for Corporation for Public Benefit for Nevada Youth Legislature (NYL) to order.

AGENDA ITEM II—PUBLIC COMMENT

Chair Wiener called for public comment; however, no testimony was presented.

AGENDA ITEM III—APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF THE AUGUST 14, 2015, MEETING

MOTION: Mr. Okuda-Lim moved to approve the minutes of the August 14, 2015, meeting held in Carson City, Nevada. The motion was seconded by Vice Chair Stewart and passed unanimously.

AGENDA ITEM IV—REVIEW OF NEVADA YOUTH LEGISLATURE REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2015–2016 AND APPROVAL OF BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016–2017

Rick Combs, previously identified, reviewed the budget for Fiscal Year (FY) 2015–2016, presented the proposed budget for FY 2016–2017 (Agenda Item IV), and outlined the differences between them.

MOTION: Vice Chair Stewart moved to approve the proposed budget for FY 2016–2017. The motion was seconded by Ms. Carreón and passed unanimously.

AGENDA ITEM V—REVIEW OF NEVADA YOUTH LEGISLATURE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Senator Wiener outlined the scholarships awarded in 2016, which were:

- NYL Scholarship, \$500, awarded to Tierra Patmavanu, attending Claremont McKenna College;
- Assemblyman Stewart NYL Scholarship, \$500, awarded to Katherine Krolicki, attending Harvard University;
- Senator Valerie Wiener (Ret.) NYL Scholarship, \$500, awarded to Mitchell Ragan, attending Rice University; and
- Senator Valerie Wiener (Ret.) NYL Scholarship, \$500, awarded to Kaitlin Tucci, attending Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Discussion ensued regarding: (1) feedback from previous scholarship winners; (2) adjusting the application timeframe; and (3) outreach to students still in high school.

MOTION: Vice Chair Stewart moved to open the application process from February 1 through April 1. The motion was seconded by Mr. Okuda-Lim and passed unanimously.

AGENDA ITEM VI—CHAIR’S REPORT REGARDING ACTIVITIES OF THE NEVADA YOUTH LEGISLATURE DURING THE CURRENT YEAR

Chair Wiener went over the NYL’s annual report for 2015–2016 (Agenda Item VI).

She reviewed the requirements of Youth Legislators and elaborated on the attendance rules. She explained that due to absences, two Youth Legislators were removed.

Chair Wiener also listed awards the NYL earned in 2014–2015, which were:

- Hermes Creative Awards—Platinum Award;
- MarCom Awards—Platinum Award;
- The Communicator Awards—Award of Distinction; and
- Communitas Awards—Community Service and Award of Excellence.

In 2015–2016, the NYL earned:

- Hermes Creative Awards—Platinum Award (Pro Bono/Training Manual);
- The Communicator Awards—Award of Distinction; and
- Communitas Awards—Community Service and Award of Excellence.

MOTION: Assemblywoman Joiner moved to approve the NYL’s annual report for 2015–2016. The motion was seconded by Ms. Carreón and passed unanimously.

AGENDA ITEM VII—DISCUSSION OF FUTURE PLANS FOR THE NEVADA YOUTH LEGISLATURE

Chair Wiener reviewed: (1) the September 10 training for the Youth Legislators in Las Vegas, Nevada, and stressed the importance of having all the Youth Legislators together at least once a year; (2) the bill drafting process and how the Youth Legislators have improved; (3) the annual reunion scheduled for January 2017; (4) celebrating the 10th anniversary of the NYL; and (5) the details of the NYL vacancies.

Discussion ensued regarding travel and sponsorships. Mr. Bybee suggested a NYL day program committee for planning.

MOTION: Ms. Carreón moved to accept the proposed future plans of the NYL. The motion was seconded by Vice Chair Stewart and passed unanimously.

AGENDA ITEM VIII—DISCUSSION OF FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS AND DATES FOR FUTURE MEETINGS

Chair Wiener discussed the annual meeting, required by statute, typically held in August.

Rick Combs, previously identified, noted it is more beneficial to have the meeting before August in order to approve the budget before the fiscal year is over.

MOTION: Mr. Okuda-Lim moved to have the next Board meeting in June 2017 on a specific date to be determined by the Chair. The motion was seconded by Ms. Carreón and passed unanimously.

AGENDA ITEM IX—ELECTION OF OFFICERS

MOTION: Assemblyman Stewart moved to nominate Senator Wiener as Chair of the Board. The motion was seconded by Mr. Okuda-Lim and passed unanimously.

Ms. Carreón moved to nominate Assemblyman Stewart for Vice Chair. The motion was seconded by Mr. Okuda-Lim; however, Assemblyman Stewart suggested having a sitting legislator as Vice Chair. He recommended Senator Harris for Vice Chair.

Discussion ensued regarding the protocol for nominating a member who is not present. Ms. Carreón withdrew her nomination, which was seconded by Mr. Okuda-Lim.

Ms. Carreón asked Assemblywoman Joiner if she would be interested in serving as Vice Chair. Assemblywoman Joiner answered she would be interested; however, she suggested Senator Harris might be a better candidate, given the fact she is in Las Vegas.

MOTION: Mr. Okuda-Lim moved to postpone the election for Vice Chair. The motion was seconded by Ms. Carreón and passed unanimously.

MOTION: Mr. Bybee moved to nominate Ms. Carreón for Secretary. The motion was seconded by Mr. Okuda-Lim and passed unanimously.

MOTION: Assemblywoman Joiner moved to nominate Mr. Bybee for Treasurer. The motion was seconded by Ms. Carreón and passed unanimously.

AGENDA ITEM X—PUBLIC COMMENT

Grant Gabriel, former NYL Chair, shared his experience with the NYL and how it has benefitted him. He stated he is currently interning at the Nevada Supreme Court and thanked Chair Wiener and Mr. Bybee for their help.

Chair Wiener shared that because of Mr. Gabriel's affiliation with the NYL, he has helped create a similar program in Connecticut.

Mr. Okuda-Lim expressed his gratitude for the NYL. He stated it has allowed Youth Legislators to stay connected with each other and use what they learned to inspire work outside of the program.

AGENDA ITEM XI—ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Committee, the meeting was adjourned at 4:03 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Maria Aguayo
Receptionist/Research Secretary

APPROVED BY:

Senator Valerie Wiener (Retired), Chair

Date: _____

MEETING MATERIALS

AGENDA ITEM	WITNESS/ENTITY	DESCRIPTION
Agenda Item IV	Rick Combs, Director, Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB)	Proposed budget for Fiscal Year 2015–2016 and 2016–2017
Agenda Item VI	Jann Stinnesbeck, Research Analyst, Constituent Services Unit, Research Division, LCB	Nevada Youth Legislature's Annual Report for 2015–2016

This set of “Summary Minutes and Action Report” is an informational service. Exhibits in electronic format may not be complete. Copies of the complete exhibits are on file in the Director’s Office of the Legislative Counsel Bureau, Carson City, Nevada.

V. REVIEW OF NEVADA YOUTH LEGISLATURE
REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR FISCAL
YEAR 2016-17 AND APPROVAL OF BUDGET FOR
FISCAL YEAR 2017-18

Nevada Youth Legislature
Account 440
Proposed Budget
FY 2016-17

	Approved Budget		Actual		Difference
Revenues					
Funds Balanced Forward from FY 2015-16	\$	38,295.00	\$	36,181.60	\$ (2,113.40)
Gifts, Grants and Donations	\$	1,000.00	\$	1,510.00	\$ 510.00
Other Income/Reimbursements	\$	-	\$	50.00	\$ 50.00
Total	\$	39,295.00	\$	37,741.60	\$ (1,553.40)
Expenditures					
In-State Travel	\$	2,000.00	\$	2,191.68	\$ 191.68
Contract Services			\$	-	\$ -
Postage	\$	50.00	\$	33.08	\$ (16.92)
Scholarships	\$	2,000.00	\$	2,000.00	\$ -
Supplies-Operating	\$	900.00	\$	955.38	\$ 55.38
Printing & Copying	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -
Teleconferencing	\$	75.00	\$	63.06	\$ (11.94)
Intrafund Transfers to LCB	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -
Total	\$	5,025.00	\$	5,243.20	\$ 218.20
Reserved Funding	\$	34,270.00	\$	32,498.40	\$ (1,771.60)

Nevada Youth Legislature
Account 440
Proposed Budget
FY 2017-18

	FY 2015-16 Actual		FY 2017-18 Proposed	
Revenues				
Funds Balanced Forward	\$	46,719.02	\$	32,498.40
Gifts, Grants and Donations	\$	5,030.00	\$	2,000.00
Total	\$	51,749.02	\$	34,498.40
Expenditures				
In-State Travel	\$	5,286.37	\$	7,000.00
Contract Services	\$	31.50	\$	-
Postage	\$	45.75	\$	50.00
Scholarships	\$	4,800.00	\$	2,000.00
Supplies-Operating	\$	3,991.00	\$	5,100.00
Printing & Copying	\$	-	\$	-
Teleconferencing	\$	59.88	\$	65.00
Intrafund Transfers to LCB	\$	1,352.89	\$	-
Total	\$	15,567.39	\$	14,215.00
Reserved Funding			\$	20,283.40

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YOUTH LEGISLATURE

NYL Foundation Board
Annual Meeting—July 31, 2017
Senator Valerie Wiener (Ret.), Chair

Agenda Item VI: NYL Scholarships, 2017-2018

- \$500 NYL Scholarship: Skyler Bradley (Claremont McKenna College)
- \$500 Assemblyman Lynn Stewart NYL Scholarship: Kaitlin Tucci (Massachusetts Institute of Technology)
- \$500 Assemblyman Lynn Stewart NYL Scholarship: Savanna Strott (American University)
- \$500 Senator Valerie Wiener NYL Scholarship: Evan Gong (UC/Berkeley)
- \$500 Senator Valerie Wiener NYL Scholarship: Scott Harrison (UC/Berkeley—deferred)

Ten extraordinary applicants for five available scholarships.

To learn who has received these scholarships through the years, see Attachment: “NYL Scholarship History.”

Based on feedback from prior recipients, we will accept applications earlier in the academic year. If anyone on the Board would like to establish a scholarship, we would welcome this. We could also consider increasing the annual amount from \$500 to \$750.

Agenda Item VII: Chair’s Report—NYL Activities, 2016-2017

1) NYL 2016-2017 Annual Report

Written by NYL Chair Spencer Lang, the NYL 2016-2017 Annual Report was submitted to the Governor, Legislators on the Education Committees, and the NYL Foundation Board, as prescribed by NRS. The report contains details about the second year of the 2015-2017 term, including: the one-day training in Las Vegas on September 12, 2016, monthly meetings/trainings related to the BDR process, and activities surrounding presentation and advocacy of the NYL bill. Throughout all of the trainings, we had great success involving legislators from each caucus, sitting as training panels, as well as two NYL Alumni (in person or via telephone), for each training.

The report also highlights NYL Day at the Legislature on April 11, 2017, when the NYL Program was recognized with proclamations by both the Senate and the Assembly to celebrate the 10-year history of the NYL Program. Youth Legislators attended committee meetings in both houses and sat with their members on the floor in each house. They also had the opportunity to attend the Senate Education Committee work session on SB 108 and were thrilled to witness the passage of the bill out of committee.

2) 2016-2017 NYL Year

During the first year of this 2015-2017 term, we expanded the required “outside activities” to include submitting a plan for their town hall and DYAC meetings. We also allocated “half-unexcused absences” to any of the five outside activities that Youth Legislators do not report to the NYL Foundation Board Chair. Each report had to be submitted electronically to the NYL Foundation Board Chair within 10 days following the deadline for the activity. NOTE: Each half-day training/meeting is assigned a “full-unexcused absence” if the Youth Legislator does not notify the NYL Foundation Board Chair within 24 hours preceding a training/meeting or within seven days following that training/meeting about missing the required meeting/training. NRS states that a Youth Legislator cannot have two unexcused absences during his/her two-year term.

Consistently, Youth Legislators engaged substantially in both trainings/meetings and their outside activities. Reports were enlightening for the Youth Legislators and the NYL Foundation Board Chair.

At the end of the first year of the 2015-2017 term, only two Youth Legislators did not fulfill their requirements and were released from the program. During 2016-2017, four Youth Legislators were released, and Youth Legislators were appointed to fill three of these vacancies. The fourth seat was not filled, because all program requirements, including meetings and outside activities, had been completed, and the only optional activities remaining were the annual reunion, NYL Day at the Legislature, and a conference call.

3) NYL Legislative History

One way to appreciate the value and impact of the NYL Program during its first 10 years is reflected in the legislative history of the measures proposed by the NYL.

NYL’s 2009 bill—SB 77: Providing a program for teen mentoring in public high schools.
Passed

NYL’s 2011 bill—SB 14: Requiring the State Board of Education to develop a model curriculum for English language arts and mathematics.
Passed

NYL’s 2011 bill—SJR 1: Proposing to amend the Nevada Constitution to allow the Legislature to authorize the operation of a state lottery for the support of public education.
Failed

NYL’s 2013 bill—SJR 6: Proposing to amend the Nevada Constitution to create the Governor Guinn Millennium Scholarship Trust Fund.
Failed

NYL's 2015 bill—SB 464: Prohibiting the sale, distribution, purchase, possession, or use of powdered alcohol; exempting a person under 21 years of age from criminal liability for the consumption or possession of alcohol when the person requests emergency medical assistance for himself, herself or another person in certain circumstances; exempting a person for whom such assistance is requested from such criminal liability. Passed

NYL's 2017 bill—SB 108: Requiring the State Board of Education to create a subcommittee to study the manner in which to include certain instruction in criminal law in the required units of credit in social studies and specifies certain crimes which frequently involve persons under the age of 18 years that must be included in the instruction. In addition, this bill requires that such instruction emphasize personal responsibility for understanding and complying with the law and lists specific topics to be included as part of this instruction. In addition, the instruction must include information to assist victims and witnesses of such crimes and lists specific topics for this instruction. This bill requires: (1) the State Board of Education to report the findings of the subcommittee to the Legislative Committee on Education, including any actions it has taken or intends to take to include the instruction in the social studies courses; and (2) the Legislative Committee on Education to consider the report and transmit any recommendations for legislation to ensure the instruction is included in the curriculum for social studies to the 80th Session of the Nevada Legislature. Passed

Collateral NYL Successes:

Senator Valerie Wiener's 2009 resolution (on behalf of former Youth Legislator Kyle Denison)—SCR 13: Urging colleges and universities in this State to establish campus safety programs for the prevention and intervention of violence. Adopted

Senator James Settelmeyer's 2013 bill (at the request of former Youth Legislator Grant Gabriel)—SB 305: Authorizing high school pupils who satisfy certain qualifications to complete a public or private internship and receive credit toward the academic credit requirements for graduation from high school. Passed

Senator Joyce Woodhouse's 2015 bill (at the request of former Youth Legislator Evan Gong)—SB 220: Requiring instruction on financial literacy in public middle schools and junior high schools. Failed

Senator Joyce Woodhouse's 2017 bill (involving former Youth Legislator Evan Gong)—SB 249: Requiring instruction in financial literacy for certain pupils enrolled in public schools; requiring a pupil enrolled in a public high school to receive instruction in economics; creating the Account for Instruction in Financial Literacy in the State General Fund making an appropriation. Passed

4) Awards

Currently, the Legislature's website indicates 23 awards. From 2014 to 2015, the program earned the following awards: Hermes Creative Awards-Platinum Award; MarCom Awards-Platinum Award; Communicator Awards-Award of Distinction; and Communitas Awards-Community Service Award of Excellence.

From 2015 to 2016, the program earned the following awards: Hermes Creative Awards-Platinum Award (Pro Bono); Hermes Creative Awards-Platinum Award (Training Manual); Communicator Awards-Award of Distinction; Communitas Awards-Community Service Award of Excellence.

From 2016 to 2017, the program earned the following awards: Hermes Creative Awards-Platinum Award (Writing); Communicator Awards-Award of Distinction; Communitas Awards-Community Service Award of Excellence.

This brings the NYL to **34** prestigious state, national, and international awards.

Thanks so much to the 10 years of volunteer staff support that made all of this possible. Thanks for the Legislative Staff who have consistently volunteered the highest level of professionalism and dedication to ensure that the Nevada Youth Legislature is one of the premier youth leadership programs in the nation.

Agenda Item VIII: Chair's Report—NYL Activities, 2017-2018

Following the August 3-4, 2017, training in Carson City, the first year of the NYL training will focus on skills development. This will include: constituent outreach, listening, message accountability, negotiation skills, conducting public meetings, and more.

Based on input from the most recent former Youth Legislators and LCB Staff, we have refined the program requirements. This includes expanding outside activities and providing materials to assist Youth Legislators in their roles.

1) Outside Activities: Requirements

Following are the outside activities that the NYL requires during the two-year term. For each of these that a Youth Legislator does not complete or fails to submit a report, that Youth Legislator will receive a one-half unexcused absence. The required reports include: *

- Written plan for a town hall meeting (new)
- Written plan for a District Youth Advisory Council (DYAC) meeting (new)
- Appointment of DYAC members (new)
- Written report of DYAC meeting
- Written report of town hall meeting
- Bill Draft Request (the BDR itself satisfies the “report” requirement)
- Written report of testimony before a public decision-making body
- NYL recruitment letter (new) **

* Youth Legislators have already been participating in seven of these activities; Where “(new)” is indicated, this means that we have added a reporting requirement to allow Youth Legislators to share their experiences with the NYL Foundation Board Chair, the LCB, and their legislators.

** Based on input from former Youth Legislators and LCB staff, we often face challenges in recruiting applicants for the NYL Program. Since we believe that the Youth Legislators themselves are the best recruiters, we have added a requirement for them to write a letter of recommendation for the NYL Program and submit it to at least one organization with which they are affiliated.

NOTE: Former Youth Legislators also expressed their concerns about not being able to connect with their Senators and suggested that we create ways for them to communicate with them. We listened. So, in addition to submitting their required reports to the NYL Foundation Board Chair, Youth Legislators will be submitting reports of these eight outside activities to their appointing Senators, as well as their Assembly members. To kick-start these communications, Youth Legislators will be sending an email to their legislators at the completion of their August training. This email will serve as a re-introduction, description of the training, and request for a meeting with their legislators.

We have provided Youth Legislators with detailed templates for each of these outside activities to help them maximize their experiences, from planning to engaging to reporting.

2) Reunion

On the festive side, in January 2018, we will celebrate the Eleventh Anniversary of the Nevada Youth Legislature at our annual reunion events in both Carson City and Las Vegas.

3) Expanding NYL Connections

Several years ago, we created an NYL Facebook Group Page. However, this has been inactive for a few years. At about that same time, former Youth Legislator Laurel Cavallo offered to establish and manage an NYL Linked-In connection. This is progressing, and we anticipate that this opportunity to create a meaningful connection for NYL Alumni will be inaugurated very soon.

NYL SCHOLARSHIP HISTORY

July 2017

Year	RECIPIENT	SCHOOL	Amount
2013-14	ZHAN OKUDA-LIM	PRINCETON UNIVERSITY	\$ 500.00
	DANIEL WAQAR	NV BOARD OF REGENTS	\$ 300.00
	JUAN GONZALEZ	NV BOARD OF REGENTS	\$ 300.00
	DIANA LIN JIA	UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO	\$ 500.00
	HANNAH DEY	NV BOARD OF REGENTS	\$ 500.00
	ALEX BYBEE	NV BOARD OF REGENTS	\$ 500.00
2014-15	JUAN GONZALEZ	NV BOARD OF REGENTS	\$ 500.00
	TIERRA PATMAVANU	2066 - CLAREMONT McKENNA COLLEGE	\$ 500.00
	HANNAH DEY	BOARD OF REGENTS	\$ 500.00
	PHALGUNI VETRICHELVAN	GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY	\$ 500.00
	GRANT GABRIEL	YALE UNIVERSITY	\$ 500.00
2015-16	JUAN GONZALEZ	NV BOARD OF REGENTS	\$ 500.00
	DANIEL WAQAR	NV BOARD OF REGENTS	\$ 500.00
	LORENZO PINON	COLLEGE OF SOUTHERN NEVADA	\$ 500.00
	TIERRA PATMAVANU	CLAREMONT McKENNA COLLEGE	\$ 500.00
	GRANT GABRIEL	YALE UNIVERSITY	\$ 500.00
	JONATHAN OGLESBY	WEBER STATE	\$ 300.00
2016-17	KATHERINE KROLICKI	PRESIDENT AND FELLOWS OF HARVARD COLLEGE	\$ 500.00
	TIERRA PATMAVANU	CLAREMONT McKENNA COLLEGE	\$ 500.00
	MITCHELL RAGAN	WILLIAM MARSH RICE UNIVERSITY	\$ 500.00
	KAITLIN TUCCI	MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY	\$ 500.00
2017-18	SKYLER DRAW BRADLEY	CLAREMONT McKENNA COLLEGE	\$ 500.00
	EVAN GONG	REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA	\$ 500.00
	SAVANNA STROTT	AMERICAN UNIVERSITY	\$ 500.00
	KAITLIN TUCCI	MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY	\$ 500.00

\$ 11,900.00

NEVADA YOUTH LEGISLATURE
ANNUAL REPORT TO
GOVERNOR
2016-2017

Nevada Youth Legislature: Annual Report 2016-2017



Submitted by:

Spencer Lang, Chair
Nevada Youth Legislature

OVERVIEW

The 2016-2017 year of the Nevada Youth Legislature (NYL) marked the second year of service for Youth Legislators appointed in 2015. During the first year of their terms (2015-2016), Youth Legislators learned skills, processes, and responsibilities of their appointed public service. These included, but were not limited to: constituent outreach, listening, speaking, negotiating, and message accountability, along with organizing and presenting town hall meetings, District Youth Advisory Council (DYAC) meetings, public testimonies, and more. During this second year, Youth Legislators took an active role in the processes they had learned so much about the year before. Through various forms of constituent outreach, including their DYACs and town hall meetings, Youth Legislators gained insight about issues that were important to the youth in their districts, which allowed their youth constituents to have a voice and Youth Legislators to represent their ideas in State policy-making.

The NYL took an active role in the legislative process through its opportunity to submit one bill for consideration to the Nevada Legislature. This measure, Senate Bill 108, would create a subcommittee to study the details of a required curriculum about criminal laws that affect under-18-year-olds, which would be taught in social studies classes in grades 9 to 12.

Overall, the 2016-2017 year enabled Youth Legislators to actively apply all the skills they cultivated during the first year of their term. Most important, Youth Legislators had the opportunity to represent the youth of their districts by taking an active role in the legislative process through the life of the bill that they were statutorily authorized to present to the Legislature.

TRAINING

September 12, 2016

On September 12, 2016, the NYL conducted an off-year, one-day training for all members of the NYL. (The full two-day training is held in August of legislative session years.) The day comprised an overview of the bill draft request (BDR) process, which included input from legislators representing the four legislative caucuses. Following this, Youth Legislators learned how a bill becomes a law, which was followed by a briefing on the history of NYL legislative proposals to the Nevada Legislature, as well as those measures that were carried by Senators at the request of their Youth Legislators. To enrich this experience, Youth Legislators divided into four work groups and met, as smaller groups via Skype, with NYL Alumni Mentors/Trainers, who had key roles in past NYL legislative efforts. Participating NYL Alumni and their locations were: Grant Gabriel (Yale University), Haley Johnson (Carson City), Evan Gong (University of California Berkeley), and Rose Asaf (New York University). During these work sessions, Youth Legislators had the opportunity to discuss the logistics of the legislative process from the perspective of former Youth Legislators who could discuss details and their own experiences during their terms.

After closing remarks by Senator Valerie Wiener (Retired), Chair, NYL Foundation Board, Youth Legislators celebrated with the traditional carrot cake.

October 26, 2016

During this meeting, Youth Legislators elected Spencer Lang as NYL Chair and Brooklyn Darmody as NYL Vice Chair for the 2016-2017 portion of their two-year appointment period.

Prior to this meeting, Youth Legislators had submitted their ideas for a BDR, along with the need the BDR addresses and how the BDR resolves this need. During this meeting, Youth Legislators presented their BDRs to the entire NYL, and Youth Legislators discussed, deliberated, and debated these measures. In the first round of consideration, Youth Legislators narrowed the consideration to seven possible BDRs. Additional debate and deliberation continued, with sponsors responding to questions from their NYL colleagues. By the end of the meeting, the NYL selected two BDRs as finalists to be considered at the November meeting when each BDR would receive full legislative hearings. One of the two measures, proposed by Youth Legislator Tricia Pomeroy, would require internships in high school; the other measure, proposed by Youth Legislator Olivia Yamamoto, would require instruction around sexual consent in high school health classes.

November 15, 2016

During this meeting, the NYL was tasked with deciding between the two BDRs that were selected during the October meeting. The NYL heard extended presentations of each BDR.

Youth Legislator Pomeroy's BDR hearing involved several education professionals from both the Clark County School District and the Office of Workforce Innovation, as well as the nonprofit sector. She also detailed her own personal experience with internships to present the benefits of requiring an internship program in high schools.

Youth Legislator Yamamoto's BDR included representatives from the Clark County School District, the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department (LVMPD), and the American Civil Liberties Union of Nevada.

After significant interaction with witnesses, the bill sponsors, and other Youth Legislators, the NYL voted to support Youth Legislator Yamamoto's BDR. At the suggestion of A.J. Delap, LVMPD's representative at the hearing, Youth Legislators decided to require the instruction in government classes and, possibly, focus on the responsibilities and consequences involved with behaviors that are already addressed in statute.

January 5, 2017

This meeting began with a special and historic experience for Youth Legislators. Governor Brian Sandoval's representative, Rosa Mendez, Southern Nevada Outreach Coordinator, presented the NYL with a proclamation, honoring the NYL for its ten-year history in the Legislature and the State. In addition, Governor Sandoval proclaimed January 5, 2017, as "A Day in Honor of the Nevada Youth Legislature."

Following this ceremony, Youth Legislators engaged in a highly interactive conversation with a panel of legislators, representing both houses and both caucuses, as well as NYL alumni/trainers, about how to present, advocate for, and secure support for their legislative measure in the 2017 Legislative Session. This panel discussion was facilitated by Senator Valerie Wiener (Retired).

With these suggestions in mind, Youth Legislators then worked with Karly O'Krent, NYL Legal Counsel, on refining the language for the BDR to be submitted for introduction. Youth Legislators were able to glean answers to their concerns about a possible fiscal note and voted to approve the final bill language.

ANNUAL REUNION

January 7, 2017

As is the tradition of the NYL, reunions are hosted each January in both Las Vegas and Carson City. Senator Valerie Wiener (Retired), NYL Foundation Chair, and Zhan Okuda-Lim, NYL Foundation Board Member (also a former NYL Chair), attended the southern Nevada reunion at the Grant Sawyer State Office Building, from 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., in Las Vegas, and the northern Nevada reunion at the Legislative Building, from

3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., in Carson City. During these reunions, both current Youth Legislators and NYL Alumni gathered to share their experiences with the program and the positive effect it has had on their lives and engagement in policy-making and public service. Just as important, they had the opportunity to socialize and initiate or renew their networking connections. Of course, this included celebrating with the traditional carrot cake.

ADDITIONAL OFFICIAL REPRESENTATION

March 2017

Though the NYL had no official activities this month, Youth Legislators demonstrated their commitment to the NYL by representing the program in various forums.

As required by law, the NYL participates in the selection of the youth member on the State Board of Education. To contribute to this conversation, Youth Legislators Megan Adamson, Kenadee Bailey, Francesca Bergeret-Simpson, Skyler Bradley, and Caroline Graham participated in the evaluation process.

In addition, in March, NYL Chair Spencer Lang and NYL Alumnus Haley Johnson visited Carson City Middle School to make a presentation about the NYL Program.

On March 28, Youth Legislators Katie Hardung and Spencer Lang, along with NYL Program Facilitator, Tina Ashdown, welcomed a delegation of Mongolian Parliamentarians to the Nevada Legislature.

NYL'S SPECIAL DAY AT THE LEGISLATURE

April 11, 2017

Youth Legislators Skyler Bradley, Brooklyn Darmody, Samantha Ostrovsky, Nadia Christiane-Ozone, and Olivia Yamamoto traveled from Las Vegas with Senator Valerie Wiener (Retired) to participate in the NYL Special Day at the Legislature. Joining them in Carson City were Youth Legislators Emily Espinosa, Katie Hardung, Scott Harrison, Spencer Lang, and Josie Merritt.

Youth Legislators gathered for breakfast at Comma Coffee before attending the Assembly Committee on Government Affairs. In the committee meeting, Youth Legislators heard a bill to honor Sarah Winnemucca and experienced the committee passage of the bill. From there, Youth Legislators went to the Senate floor, where they sat with their appointing Senators during floor session and participated in the presentation of a Senate proclamation, honoring the tenth anniversary of the Nevada Youth Legislature program.

As is tradition, Youth Legislators enjoyed lunch at Red's Old 395 Grill, which was attended by a special guest, Rick Combs, Director, Legislative Counsel Bureau. Youth Legislators then walked back to the Legislative Building to attend the Assembly Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections. Following this, Youth Legislators attended the Senate Committee on Education to experience the work session process on their bill, S. B. 108.

Once S.B. 108 was passed, as amended, Youth Legislators went to the floor of the Assembly, where they sat with their Assembly Members and participated in the presentation of an Assembly proclamation, which honored the tenth anniversary of the Nevada Youth Legislature program. Immediately following this presentation, Youth Legislators had the special opportunity to hear a presentation by United States Congressman Ruben J. Kihuen, a former Nevada Assemblyman and State Senator, to a Joint Session of the Legislature.

This very busy day concluded with a celebration with carrot cake and the presentation of legislative pins, which were gifted to Youth Legislators by Rick Combs.

OPTIONAL CONFERENCE CALL

May 18, 2017

Youth Legislators Skyler Bradley, Scott Harrison, Spencer Lang, Savannah Strott, and Olivia Yamamoto participated in an optional, though very important, telephone conference call on May 18. During this call they provided substantial input about the value of the NYL in their lives, including highlights and suggestions for the program going forward. This invaluable input will be included in program development for the 2017-2019 term.

SIGNING OF S.B. 108


May 24, 2017

Governor Brian Sandoval signed S.B. 108 into law. This is the fourth NYL bill to become law since 2009.

NEVADA YOUTH LEGISLATURE
2017-2019
Monthly Calendar

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August

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6	7 WCSD 1st Day	8	9	10	11	12
13	14 CCSD 1st Day	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26 SAT Test 
27	28	29	30	31		

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September

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
					1 DYAC Application Period Opens	2
3	4 LABOR DAY	5	6	7	8	9 ACT Test 
10	11	12 Training “Constituent Outreach.” -Elect Officers. -Plan DYAC & Town Hall Meetings.	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30 Deadline DYAC Written Plan to Senator Wiener and Legislators.

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October

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
1	2  WCSD Break	3  WCSD Break	4  WCSD Break	5  WCSD Break	6  WCSD Break	7 SAT Test 
8	9	10	11 PSAT Test 	12 Training “Message Accountability Skills” with Role Playing & Legislator-Led Work Groups.	13	14 PSAT Test  DYAC Application Period Closes
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25 PSAT alt. 	26	27 NEVADA DAY (Observed)	28 ACT Test 
29	30 Deadline Appoint DYAC Members and Notify LCB, Senator Wiener, and Legislators.	31	 Mandatory Event  Deadline  Optional Event  Term-Related			

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November

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
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5	6	7	8	9	10 VETERANS DAY (Observed)	11
12	13	14 Training “Effective Listening Skills” with Role Playing a Legislator-Led Work Groups.	15	16	17	18 Deadline Conduct DYAC and Submit Report to Senator Wiener and Legislators.
19	20 ▶ CCSD Break	21 ▶ CCSD Break	22 ▶ WCSD Break ▶ CCSD Break	23 THANKSGIVING DAY ▶ WCSD ▶ CCSD Break	24 FAMILY DAY ▶ WCSD ▶ CCSD Break	25
26	27	28	29	30		

2017

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December

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
<div>  Mandatory Event  Deadline  Optional Event  Term-Related </div>					1	2 SAT Test 
3	4	5	6	7	8	9 ACT Test 
10	11	12 CHANUKAH	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22  WCSD Teacher Work Day	23
24	25 CHRISTMAS  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	26  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	27  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	28  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	29  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	30
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2017

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January

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
	1 NEW YEARS DAY  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	2  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	3  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	4  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	5  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	6
7	8  WCSD Break	9  WCSD Break	10  WCSD Break	11 Training “Power Presentations” with Mock Speeches & Legislator-Led Work Groups.  WCSD Break	12  WCSD Break	13 11th Anniversary NYL Reunion
14	15 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31	<div>  Mandatory Event  Deadline  Optional Event  Term-Related </div>		

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February

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<div> <div></div> Mandatory Event <div></div> Deadline <div></div> Optional Event <div></div> Term-Related </div>				1 NYL Scholarship Applications Open	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10 ACT Test 
11	12	13 Training “Conducting a Town Hall Meeting” with Mock Town Hall Meetings and Legislator-Led Work Groups.	14	15  CCSD Break	16  CCSD Break	17 Deadline Town Hall meeting written plan to Senator Wiener and Legislators
18	19 PRESIDENTS’ DAY (Observed)	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28			

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March

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<div>  Mandatory Event  Deadline  Optional Event  Term-Related </div>				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10 SAT Test 
11	12	13	14 Conference Call at 3 p.m. Re: Town Hall and DYAC Experiences 	15	16	17 Deadline Conduct Town Hall Meeting and Submit Report to Senator Wiener & Legislators.
18	19	20	21	22	23 NYL NASC Input Due	24
25	26  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	27  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	28  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	29  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	30 PASSOVER BEGINS NASC Decision Due  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	31

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April

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
1 EASTER NYL Scholarship Application Period Closes	2  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	3  WCSD Break	4  WCSD Break	5  WCSD Break	6  WCSD Break	7
8	9	10	11	12 Training “Negotiation Skills” & Legislator-Led Work Groups. - Elect Chair & Vice Chair for 2nd Year. - Discuss Annual Report. - Program Evaluation.	13	14 ACT Test 
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28 NYL Board Scholarship Decision
29	30	 Mandatory Event  Deadline  Optional Event  Term-Related				

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May

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
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6	7	8	9	10 NYL Annual Report Draft to Senator Wiener.	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24 CCSD Last Day	25	26
27	28 MEMORIAL DAY	29	30 Deadline NYL Annual Report to Governor.	31 NASC Student BOEducation Member Term Expires.		

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June

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
<div> <div></div> Mandatory Event <div></div> Deadline <div></div> Optional Event <div></div> Term-Related </div>					1 New NYL Chair and VC Begin	2 SAT Test 
3	4	5	6	7	8 WCSD Last Day	9 ACT Test 
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

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July

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1	2	3	4 INDEPENDENCE DAY	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14 ACT Test 
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	<div> <div>Mandatory Event</div> <div>Deadline</div> <div>Optional Event</div> <div>Term-Related</div> </div>			

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August

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5	6 WCSD 1st Day	7	8	9	10	11
12	13 CCSD 1st Day	14	15	16	17	18
19	20 Full-Day BDR Training - All Youth Legislators Attend in Las Vegas.	21	22	23	24	25 SAT Test 
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September

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
<div> <div></div> Mandatory Event <div></div> Deadline <div></div> Optional Event <div></div> Term-Related </div>						1 Deadline BDR Drafts Due to LCB, Senator Wiener and Legislators.
2	3 LABOR DAY	4	5	6	7	8 ACT Test 
9	10	11 Training - Youth Legislators Present and Discuss 21 BDRs and Narrow Them to Top 7.	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30 DYAC Application closes						

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October

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
	1  WCSD Break	2  WCSD Break	3  WCSD Break	4  WCSD Break	5  WCSD Break	6 SAT Test 
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16 Training - Discuss Top 7 BDRs & Vote to Select Top 2. - Testimony Before Public Decision Making Body with Legislator-Led Work Groups.	17 PSAT Test 	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26 NEVADA DAY (Observed)	27 ACT Test 
28	29	30	31	 Mandatory Event  Deadline  Optional Event  Term-Related		

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November

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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12 VETERANS DAY (Observed)	13	14 Training - Hearings on Top 2 BDRs to Select NYL's BDR for 2019.	15	16	17 Deadline Testimony Before a Public Body with Report to Senator Wiener & Legislators.
18	19 CCSD Break	20 CCSD Break	21 WCSD Break CCSD Break	22 THANKSGIVING DAY WCSD Break CCSD Break	23 FAMILY DAY WCSD Break CCSD Break	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

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December

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<div>  Mandatory Event  Deadline  Optional Event  Term-Related </div>						1 CHANUKAH SAT Test 
2	3	4	5	6	7	8 ACT Test 
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21  WCSD Teacher Work Day	22
23	24  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	25 CHRISTMAS  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	26  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	27  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	28  WCSD Break  CCSD Break	29
30	31  WCSD Break  CCSD Break					

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6	7 <div></div> WCSD Break	8 <div></div> WCSD Break	9 <div></div> WCSD Break	10 Training -Finalize BDR Language. -Lobbying Plan. -Recruitment Outreach Letter. <div></div> WCSD Break	11 <div></div> WCSD Break	12 12th Anniversary NYL Reunion
13	14	15	16	17	18	19 Deadline Submit Outreach Letter for NYL Recruitment to Senator Wiener, LCB, Legislators, & an Organization.
20	21 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

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<div> <div></div> Mandatory Event <div></div> Deadline <div></div> Optional Event <div></div> Term-Related </div>					1 NYL Membership & Scholarship Applications Open	2
3	4 Session Begins	5	6	7	8	9 ACT Test 
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18 PRESIDENTS DAY	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28		

2019

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
March

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3	4	5	6	7	8  CCSD Break	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18 NYL DAY? Present NYL Bill to Committee.	19 NYL DAY? Present NYL Bill to Committee.	20	21 NYL NASC Input Due	22  CCSD Break	23
24	25  WCSD Break	26  WCSD Break	27  WCSD Break	28  WCSD Break	29 NASC Decision Due  WCSD Break	30
31 NYL Member Applications Due						

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April

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
	1 NYL Scholarship Applications Due  WCSD Break	2  WCSD Break	3  WCSD Break	4  WCSD Break	5  WCSD Break	6
7	8	9	10	11	12 1st Committee Passage	13 SAT Test 
14	15  CCSD Break	16  CCSD Break	17  CCSD Break	18  CCSD Break	19 PASSOVER BEGINS  CCSD Break	20
21 EASTER	22  CCSD Break	23 1st House Passage	24	25 Conference Call at 3 p.m. to reflect on 2019 Session. 	26 NYL Apps Decision from Senators.	27 NYLF Board Scholarship Decision.
28	29	30	 Mandatory Event  Deadline  Optional Event  Term-Related			

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May

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<div> <div></div> Mandatory Event <div></div> Deadline <div></div> Optional Event <div></div> Term-Related </div>			1 2nd house NYL bill hearing? TBD	2	3	4 SAT Test 
5	6	7	8	9	10 NYL Annual Report Draft to Senator Wiener.	11
12	13	14	15	16	17 2nd Committee Passage	18
19	20	21	22	23 CCSD Last Day	24 2nd House Passage	25
26	27 MEMORIAL DAY	28	29	30 Deadline NYL Annual Report to Governor.	31 NYL End of Term	

2019

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June

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Mandatory Event
Deadline
Optional Event
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1 NYL New
Term Begins

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WCSD Last Day

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