

Young Statesmen Society

An Achievement Program for Boys

STATESMEN MEDALLIONS

Benito Juarez Lamp of Learning Medallion

- Presentation on Benito Juarez
- Plan, receive approval* for, and do a project/goal set in each of the following:
 - Music
 - Science
 - Mathematics
 - History
 - Spelling
 - Penmanship
 - Literature
 - Poetry
 - Art
 - Writing
 - Alternate/optional

George Washington Outstanding Citizen Medallion

- Prepare a presentation on George Washington
- Plan, receive approval* for, and do a project/goal set in each of the following:
 - Local History
 - Local Government
 - Local Media
 - State History
 - State Government
 - Declaration of Independence
 - The Constitution of the United States
 - The Bill of Rights
 - National Government
 - Alternate/optional

Gandhi Georgic Freedom Medallion

- Prepare a report on Gandhi
- Plan, receive approval* for, and complete a project/goal set in each of the following:
 - Physical Fitness
 - Savings and Investment
 - Home Business
 - Health
 - Cooking
 - Handwork
 - Survival
 - Food Storage
 - Gardening
 - Animal Care
 - Automotive and Household Maintenance
 - Alternate/optional

Casper ten Boom Family & Spiritual Values Medallion

- Presentation on Casper ten Boom
- Plan, receive approval* for, and complete a project/goal set in each of the following:
 - Family Finance
 - Child Care
 - Emergency Planning
 - Family Government
 - Personal History
 - Family History
 - Genealogy
 - Conflict Resolution
 - Courting Etiquette
 - Scripture Study
 - Family and Religion
 - Alternate/optional

Winston Churchill Leadership Excellence Medallion

- Presentation on Winston Churchill
- Plan, receive approval* for, and complete a project/goals set in each of the following:
 - Public Speaking
 - U.S. History
 - World Geography
 - Foreign Language
 - World Religions
 - World Civilizations
 - History of a Specific Nation
 - Current Events
 - Etiquette and Protocol
 - Diplomacy
 - National Media
 - Alternate/optional

Father Damien Hands in Service Medallion

- Presentation on Father Damien
- Make a list of at least ten local organizations that do community service based on donations of time and funds.
- Plan and complete ten separate service projects requiring at least five hours each.

THE CINCINNATUS YOUNG STATESMAN AWARD

This award is given by the parents of boys who complete all six Medallions by the sixteenth birthday. Ideas might include a special trip, a cash gift to help him continue his education, a special event, an upgraded musical instrument, a piece of fine art, a meaningful collectible, a starter library for when he leaves home, a family heirloom, etc.

Medallions

With active participation and paid enrollment in the club, members will be awarded a special thematic pendant for completion of all the requirements in a given Medallion Area. No additional cost is associated with these awards.

Requirements

Medallion Areas are led by a boy as the Committee Chairman and his parent or other mentor as the Committee Advisor. They organize one to four activities per month that help others progress toward earning the committee's medallion. Club members attend as many or as few committee events as they desire, or they may simply work independently on their own projects. The entire club meets monthly at a meeting called the Club Assembly. In this meeting, members share their progress on their projects and committees rotate monthly to offer an activity pertaining to their Medallion Area.

Fees

The tuition is [TBD] for first semester enrollment, and includes the binder insert; tuition thereafter is [TBD] per semester. Tuition is waived for Committee Chairmen and their immediate family.

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A Service and Achievement Organization for Young Men

Young Statesmen Society Creed:

1. I am a man of integrity, strength, humility, compassion and leadership.
2. My body is sacred and important and I make wise choices to keep it sound, strong and pure.
3. I consistently improve my education and my mind so I can better fulfill my important mission in life.
4. I am moral and upright in my private decisions and in my behavior toward others.
5. I impact the world around me and make a difference for the better.

YSS Mission Statement:

*To build Young Men
of virtue, integrity, strength and ingenuity
who strive for personal excellence
to serve in their family and community
and prepare for their personal mission.*

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