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Many still hope for fair elections

BY BRENDEN COOLEY
convention. among a fair, rightful
Times are looking up for Each city will be able to election. Campaign,
those who still play fairly. introduce its own governor compromise, and do your
Despite attempts to derail into the race at the best to claim those votes to
the elections by certain convention, and should increase your chances, as
cities, aspiring governors take this opportunity as they are becoming
still have a chance. Those seriously as possible. increasingly slimmer with
offended, affronted, or who C.O.O.P. plans to unify their the C.O.O.P.'s sneaky
feel personally cheated by city under one governor, tactics. Remember, those of
the organization known as securing a grand total of 49 you that run as a Federalist
the C.O.O.P. still have the votes, stealing them from candidate have already lost
chance to uphold the ideal the rest of the candidates the Eisenhower vote, which
fairness of this election. who plan to be elected forces you to work
While the efforts of the through honest politicking especially hard to get
C.O.O.P. to rig their position and heartfelt city pride. elected in a fair
into place will be entirely Federalists; while you environment as the
successful within their city, are still subject to losing to governor of Boys' State.
Eisenhower must still prominent Nationalist
secure their governor's frontrunners, this is your
place in the Federalist chance take your place

Eisenhower seeks to restore public image and still win

BY MICHAEL CORDER
not a hidden agenda, but organization. Rather, th
Recently, Eisenhower City the best for everyone. C.O.O.P. was formed on th
was given a terrible name. Second, first day for each group t
The group received a harsh unlike conventional get to know each other.
critique from an unexpected politicians who quarrel was a friendly meet-and
angle. However, was this along party lines in eternal greet to rally the city, foste
treatment acceptable? Was unproductive stalemates, friendship, and help th
it even necessary? In short, the C.O.O.P. breaks free of group bond together fo
the answer is no; in fact, conventional political chains common goals an
Eisenhower deserves to be to establish a true spirit of purposes.
applauded for their efforts. compromise and In
First, camaraderie not unlike the conclusion, the C.O.O.P. i
C.O.O.P., the bipartisan spirit of the second not your enemy. It is
effort in Eisenhower, is no Constitutional Convention, beautiful example of th
horrible conspiracy. It is a the same one that very best values of the Boy
beautiful union between established the document State political partie
two parties to promote and America holds sacred. meshing together for th
push forward the very best Third, the greater good.
candidate The C.O.O.P. C.O.O.P. was not founded

Today's Weather Forecast

High: 97°
Low: 73°

Mostly Sunny

53%
Humidity

Today's Events

Party Conventions

Hon. William
Bolling

Legislation in
Session

Talent Show
Rehearsal

Tomorrow's Events

Swearing in of
Justices

Campaign Rally

State Elections

Hon. Robert
McDonnell

Talent Show

FIFA World Cup Scores

BY TRAVIS TAYLOR

June 22:

- Uruguay v. Mexico (1 – 0)
- France v. S. Africa (1 – 2)
- Nigeria v. S. Korea (2 – 2 TIE)
- Greece v. Argentina (0 - 2)

Upcoming Games (June 23):

- U.S. v. Algeria
- Slovenia v. England
- Australia v. Serbia
- Ghana v. Germany

Letter from the Editor

BY DUNCAN COPEN and graduation.

We are at the Tomorrow we vote for halfway point of the governor. As Editor-In-week and we still have Chief, I would like to much to come. We still encourage you to listen shave a lot of events to the candidates for coming up during the office and choose next three days. We wisely. Men, let's make have the talent show, the next three days the Boys State parade, great ones.

A bad politician only

acknowledges two things: his opinion is "correct" above all other opinions, and those in opposition of him are flat-out wrong. To be a good politician, especially on the local and state levels, one must be willing to consider all options presented to oneself regardless of personal predisposition. One must speak with his constituents to come to positive solutions to problems, and to do this one must listen and consider all options presented by all people. A good leader listens and thinks more than he speaks, but he speaks well and he speaks strongly. I will listen, and I will speak strongly on your behalf. Vote Brian Roy for Lieutenant Governor- the

people's candidate.

KICK it with HAKEEM!

Live your dream



Nominate/Vote
Hakeem 4
Governor

Mayors

Bradley - Jacob Fish
Burke - Jonathan Oakes
Eisenhower - Garret Jefferies
Henry - Sieun Kim
Jackson - Steven Cocke
James - Zachary Snider
Lee - Salam Abu Joudeh
Macarthur - Quang Pham
Marshall - Tyler Greever
Maury - Samuel Thomas III
Nimitz - Omar Winstead
Patton - Tyler Redshaw
Pershing - Leland Hansen
Puller - Daniel Courtney
Stuart - Thomas Calopedis
Washington - Kevin Lauerman

Senators

Bradley - Alexander Bischoff, Robert Boyd
Burke - Samuel Thompson, Andrew Chesley
Eisenhower - Adam King, Page Sears-Faunce
Henry - Hwevin Jeong, Andrew Canady
Jackson - Sergio Escobar, Matthew Hill
James - Michael Armstrong, Jordon Durst
Lee - Breon Jones, Oluwaseun Odutola
Macarthur - Alex So, Evan Lewis
Marshall - Will Claytor, Thelburt Williams
Maury - Christopher Hein, Rusty Thurston
Nimitz - Chris Diorio, Logan Hutchison
Patton - Dakota Sharp, William Andrewes
Pershing - Shaun Taylor, Clark Thornhill
Puller - Thomas Zumot, David Barber
Stuart - Kyle Panas, Sandy Williams
Washington - John Burton, L'Allegro Smith

Delegates

Bradley - Kovey Coles, Akwasi Asante
 Brett Romig, Robert Rada, Ryan Cascio
Burke - Stephen Boch, Brian Costelloe, William Synder, Matt Crooks, John Meade
Eisenhower - Aaron Bousquet, James Underwood, William Loftus, Charlie Rosas, Mark Rowley
Henry - James Mitcham, Eric Moseley
 John Nye, Cody Weaver, Michael Dong
Jackson - Samuel Brecker, James Saunders, Scott Brooks, Clint Thompson, Tyler Watkins
James - Thomas Beaver, Jay Chan, Matt Crush, Marquis Randolph, William Swanson
Lee - Leo Del Rio Gutierrez, Eric El-Dada, Justin Blalock, David Jeck, Nathan Williams
Macarthur - Ezra Awumey, Zachary Barlow, William Johns, Sean Long, Samuel Nelson
Marshall - Ronnie Mongold, Tevin Wallace, Joey Yusician, Phillip Figueroa, Iksu Oh
Maury - Sid Taylor, Luke Cruthamel, Andrew Becker, Wesley Wright, Alex Burkard
Nimitz - Robert Huges, Jacob Carver, Zachary Jennings, Keith Lanahauser, Michael McGrath
Patton - Phillip Grudier, Wynton Johnson, Xavier Chance, Gaige Parolisi
 Parker Steenburgh
Pershing - Charles Clouse, Josh Milot, Russell Callahan, Nick Turner, Matthew Elgin
Puller - Jack Baule, Kendell Davis, Samuel Vicroy, Jean-Paul Francois, Taylor Jaszewski
Stuart - James Hassett, Sean Hopkins, Hamza Ijaz, Brady Tierny, Jason Dolinger
Washington - Darius Mings, Travis Ferrick, Fletcher Grow, Travis Taylor,



Correction Section

We, *The Statesman* staff, would like to apologize for the following mistakes made in Tuesday's issue.

The admiral mentioned in "Admiral's Advice" should have been Admiral Cobb. Brigadier General Young spoke to us on Monday.

Rich Anderson does not represent Roanoke, as mentioned in "Roanoke Delegate Anderson speaks to Boys State." He represents Prince William County.

We also apologize for misspelling the names of the following City Sheriffs:

Austin Pajda-Bradley

Matthew Lansford-Jackson

William Thompson-James

Rory Karl DurnWirth-MacArthur

We would also like to commend the all of the guest speakers of Boys State thus far:

Sen. John Edwards , Del. Rich Anderson , Del. Benjamin Cline , Del. T. Scott Garrett , Del. Jim LeMunyon, Del.

Paula Miller , Dr. Stephen Farmsworth, Vice Mayor Bert Dodson, Mayor Randy Foley, Vice Mayor David Metz, and Judge R. Edwin Burnette

ALBS of Virginia General Assembly

House of Delegates	Name/Party	City
Speaker	Taylor Jaszewski (F)	Puller
Majority Leader	Sam Nelson (F)	MacArthur
Minority Leader	James Mitcham (N)	Henry
Clerk	Sean Long (F)	MacArthur
Sgt-at-Arms	Kendall Davis (N)	Puller
Chaplain	John Nye (N)	Henry

Senate	Name/Party	City
President Pro-tem	David Barber (F)	Puller
Majority Leader	L'Allegro Smith (F)	Washingt
Minority Leader	John Burton (N)	Washingt
Clerk	Oluwaseun Odutola (F)	Lee
Sgt-at-Arms	Thelburt Williams (N)	Marshall
Chaplain	Christopher Hein (N)	Maury

Tennis:

Taylor Pond (Burke)	7-5
Roberto Rada (Bradley)	6-1
David Hoge (Maury)	6-0
Ryan Byrd (Washington)	6-2
Sam Brecker (Jackson)	6-2
Matthew Perez (James)	forfeit
Reid Yager (Patton)	6-3

Ping Pong:**Winners Bracket**

Ethan Brickford (Jackson)	def.(forfeit)
Dakota Sharp (Patton)	def.
Sieun Kim (Henry)	def.
Jean Paul Francois (Puller)	def
Brian Watkins (Nimitz)	BYE
Jullian Stewart (Burke)	def.
Wynton Johnson (Patton)	def.
Chris Lee (Pershing)	def.

Dylan Scott (Jackson)
Alex So (MacArthur)
Connor Buzzeo (Patton)
Stephen Gorelick (Puller)
Sieun Kim (Henry)
Zach Hardy (MacArthur)
Jesse Horton (Maury)

Matthew Skinner (Pershing)
Jesse Horton (Maury)
Jay Chan (James)
David Scurry (Burke)
Will Robinson (James)
Robert Kidby (Washington)
Westly Litton (Jackson)

Volleyball:

James	2	Pershing	0
Bradley	2	Lee	1
Maury	2	Jackson	1
Washington	2	Nimitz	0

Basketball:

Henry	44	MacArthur	7
Stuart	28	Burke	20
Puller	25	Jackson	20
Marshall	34	Eisenhower	17
James	29	Pershing	27

Football:

Nimitz	14	Washington	6
Eisenhower	12	Marshall	0
Jackson	34	Puller	14
MacArthur	13	Stuart	6
Brackley	27	Lee	6

Soccer:

Jackson	9	Patton	0
Puller	5	Maury	0
Nimitz	4	Washington	3
Lee	4	James	2
Barker	5	Henry	3

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- Fight for more time to sleep.
- 12:00 lights out.
- Will work to get your voices heard.

**Wes Bartell**
for**Lieutenant Governor**
"Wes on Wheels"

• I Will support what is best for VA Boys