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2019 ALA CA Girls State - Directors Information - IMPORTANT

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Congratulations on your selection to Girls State!

I am excited for the coming session and the opportunity to meet you. You will be receiving communications from me leading up to the session. Some of my communications require action on your part.

Check our website regularly for further information and forms. You will find some additional forms and info posted. <http://www.cagirlsstate.org>

You must read this information carefully. There are some forms you will need to fill out, and others you will need to bring with you to the session. Again, read **carefully** as the directions are on the forms.

Please print out the attached Director's Letter to Delegates. There are 2 important parts included in this packet. One is the Transportation Questionnaire. **This needs to be filled out ONLINE by June 5.** We must have this done by every girl attending.

You will also find the Arrival Medical Form. This form is to be filled out by your parents or guardians and **you MUST bring it with you to Girls State. Do not send it prior to the session.** This form is different from your medical info that was part of your application. It states that you are in good health the day you leave for Girls State.

Be sure you have your transportation arranged. For those driving, be sure to take into account traffic getting to and from the Claremont McKenna campus.

If you have questions that are not answered on the website or in the information you have received, please email me. Please know, however, that there are 540 of you and only one of me. If the answer to your questions is found in the information on the website or in your paperwork, I will tell you to read! Over 2,000 emails have been received in past years and 80% of them were with questions that could be answered by reading the information delegates already had.

If at any time, you find you are unable to attend Girls State it is imperative you contact your local American Legion Auxiliary Unit Chairman, the Department Chairman, Tammy Sollazzo CAGSChair@gmail.com, and me. We will then arrange for your alternate to attend. Please try not to wait until the last minute to notify us.

Take some time to learn about the American Legion Auxiliary and what we do. The members of this organization work hard all year to prepare this program for you, along with all the work we do for veterans, active duty military service women and men, their families, and our communities.

You should have received an email last Thursday from our Chief Counselor, Valerie Hardy from ALAcagsChief@gmail.com in regards to the Honor Buttons. Due to so many of you using your school emails, several may not have gotten this email. **I need EACH and EVERY one of you to respond to this email.** Please

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let me know you have received this email. If using a school email, please give us a PERSONAL email account to use for the future.

See you soon!

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 **2019 Director's Information for Delegates.pdf**
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