

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8

7:00 am Breakfast buffet
Grand Ballroom of The Mayflower Hotel

8:00 am Speaker: GENERAL PAUL J. SELVA, USAF
Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff
U.S. Department of Defense

9:30 am Board coaches for ANDERSON HOUSE

10:00 am Visit to ANDERSON HOUSE
Speaker: JACK WARREN
Executive Director Society of the Cincinnati

12:00 noon Board coaches for The Mayflower Hotel

12:30 pm Lunch
Grand Ballroom of The Mayflower Hotel
Speaker: AMBASSADOR RON DERMER
Ambassador of Israel to the United States

3:00 pm Board coaches for visit to the LINCOLN MEMORIAL
and THE NATIONAL VIETNAM
VETERANS MEMORIAL

4:00 pm Board Coaches for Peace Circle

5:00 pm Annual Reception for Senators and Delegates
Hosts:
SENATOR ROGER F. WICKER of Mississippi
SENATOR HEIDI HEITKAMP of North Dakota
Co-Chairs for the 55th annual
United States Senate Youth Program

7:15 pm Coaches return to The Mayflower Hotel
*[During return trip to hotel, coaches drive along
National Mall for view of the monuments at night]*

8:00 pm Informal dinner and dancing in the District Ballroom
of The Mayflower Hotel *(casual attire, please)*

THURSDAY, MARCH 9

7:00 am Breakfast buffet
Grand Ballroom of The Mayflower Hotel

8:00 am Speakers: NICK RASMUSSEN
Director, National Counterterrorism Center

9:30 am MARK SHRIVER
President, Save the Children Action
Network

10:45 am Board coaches for Peace Circle

11:30 am Visit to the GALLERY OF THE
UNITED STATES SENATE

12:15 pm Group walks to the SENATE HART BUILDING

12:30 pm Lunch in the Senate Hart Building, Room 902
Speaker: SENATOR CORY BOOKER
of New Jersey

2:30 pm Board coaches for THE WHITE HOUSE

3:00 pm Enter White House Security

4:00 pm MEETING WITH THE PRESIDENT
OF THE UNITED STATES

4:45 pm Board coaches for the JOHN F. KENNEDY CENTER
FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

5:00 pm Dinner at the Kennedy Center Roof Terrace Restaurant

7:00 pm Concert: THE NATIONAL SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

9:30 pm Board Coaches for The Mayflower Hotel

FRIDAY, MARCH 10

7:00 am Breakfast buffet
Grand Ballroom of The Mayflower Hotel

8:00 am Nationally Televised Student Town Hall
Speaker: BRIAN LAMB
Founder and Executive Chairman C-SPAN

10:15 am Board coaches for
ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY

11:15 am Wreath Laying Ceremony at
THE TOMB OF THE UNKNOWN

12:00 noon Board coaches for The Mayflower Hotel

12:30 pm Lunch in the Grand Ballroom of the Mayflower Hotel
Speaker: JOHN W. FRANKLIN
Director of Partnerships and
International Programs
Smithsonian National Museum of African
American History and Culture

2:30 pm Board coaches for visit to
SMITHSONIAN NATIONAL MUSEUM OF AFRICAN
AMERICAN HISTORY AND CULTURE

4:45 pm Coaches return to The Mayflower Hotel

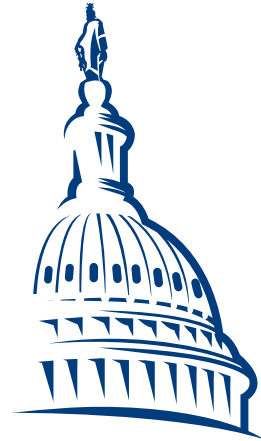
6:00 pm Presentation of Colors and Dinner
Grand Ballroom of The Mayflower Hotel
JOINT ARMED FORCES COLOR GUARD
THE UNITED STATES ARMY BAND
BRASS QUINTET

7:30 pm Student farewell speeches
Flag folding ceremony and farewell slideshow

9:00 pm -
Midnight Dancing and Refreshments
District Ballroom of The Mayflower Hotel

SATURDAY, MARCH 11

5:00 am -
11:00 am Departure of delegates
Palm Court Ballroom of The Mayflower Hotel



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* RESOLUTION 324 *

On April 3, 1962, Senate Resolution 324, submitted by Senator KUCHEL (for himself and Senators MANSFIELD, DIRKSEN, and HUMPHREY), was referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration, and, subsequently, unanimously approved by the United State Senate as follows;

WHEREAS the continued vitality of our Republic depends, in part, on the intelligent understanding of our political processes and the functions of our National Government by the citizens of the United States; and

WHEREAS the durability of a constitutional democracy is dependent upon alert, talented, vigorous competition for political leadership; and

WHEREAS individual Senators have cooperated with various private and university undergraduate and graduate fellowship and internship programs relating to the work of Congress; and

WHEREAS in the high schools of the United States, there exists among students who have been elected to student body offices in their junior or senior year a potential reservoir of young citizens who are experiencing their first responsibilities of service to a constituency and who should be encouraged to deepen their interest in and understanding of their country's political process:

Now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate hereby expresses its willingness to cooperate in a nationwide competitive high school Senate youth program which would give several representative high school students from each State a short indoctrination into the operation of the United States Senate and the Federal Government generally, if such a program can be satisfactorily arranged and completely supported by private funds with no expense to the Federal Government.

RESOLUTION 146. To amend S. Res. 324 of the Eighty-seventh Congress to provide for the participation of the Department of Defense education system for dependents in overseas areas in the Senate Youth Program.

Resolved, That S. Res. 324, Eighty-seventh Congress, agreed to May 17, 1963, is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new section:

Section 3. For the purpose of this resolution, the term "State" includes the Department of Defense education system for dependents in overseas areas.



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WASHINGTON WEEK 2017 AGENDA

SATURDAY, MARCH 4

12:30 pm Open hospitality buffet
Grand Ballroom of The Mayflower Hotel

2:30–5:30 pm Welcome Day – Alumni mentoring tables
Grand Ballroom

6:00 pm Dinner buffet
Grand Ballroom
(Announcements and discussion at 7:00 pm)

SUNDAY, MARCH 5

7:00 am Breakfast buffet
Grand Ballroom of The Mayflower Hotel

8:50 am Board coaches for MOUNT VERNON

9:30 am Tour of MOUNT VERNON

12:00 noon Board coaches for the NEWSEUM

12:30 pm Lunch and tour at the NEWSEUM

2:00 pm Speaker: JEFFREY HERBST
President and CEO of the NEWSEUM
Knight Studio A, 3rd Floor

4:45 pm Coaches return to The Mayflower Hotel

6:00 pm Dinner
Grand Ballroom of The Mayflower Hotel
Introduction of Military Mentors

MONDAY, MARCH 6

7:15 am Breakfast buffet
Grand Ballroom of The Mayflower Hotel
Speaker: ROBERT H. HENRY
Former Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals
for the Tenth Circuit
USSYP Alumnus — Oklahoma 1971

9:30 am Board coaches for Kennedy Caucus Room

10:30 am Senate Russell Building, Room 325
Speakers: JULIE ADAMS
Secretary of the Senate
ELIZABETH MACDONOUGH
Parliamentarian of the Senate

12:00 noon Lunch at the Library of Congress
Madison Building Montpelier Room
Speakers: CARLA HAYDEN
Librarian of Congress
BETTY KOED
Senate Historian

2:45 pm Arrival at THE SUPREME COURT
OF THE UNITED STATES

3:00 pm Curated informational session in the Supreme Court

3:30 pm Speaker: JOHN G. ROBERTS, JR.
Chief Justice of the United States

5:00 pm Coaches return to The Mayflower Hotel

6:00 pm Presentation of Colors and Dinner
Grand Ballroom of The Mayflower Hotel

JOINT ARMED FORCES COLOR GUARD
THE OLD GUARD FIFE & DRUM CORPS

Speaker: SENATOR ROGER F. WICKER
of Mississippi
Republican Co-Chair of the 55th annual
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TUESDAY, MARCH 7

7:00 am Breakfast buffet
Grand Ballroom of The Mayflower Hotel

8:00 am Speakers: VADM VIVEK MURTHY
Surgeon General of the United States

9:30 am BOB SCHIEFFER
Journalist, CBS NEWS

11:00 am Board coaches for visit to
THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE

11:30 am Tour of the DIPLOMATIC RECEPTION ROOMS

12:00 noon Lunch in the Benjamin Franklin State Dining Room
Hosts: AMBASSADOR JOE MACMANUS
Executive Secretary of the State Department
and Acting Assistant Secretary of State
for Legislative Affairs
SUSAN STEVENSON
Acting Assistant Secretary of State for
Public Affairs

1:00 pm Speaker: SECRETARY OF STATE REX TILLERSON

2:20 pm Group walks to the UNITED STATES
INSTITUTE OF PEACE

3:00 pm Welcome: NANCY LINDBORG
President of the United States Institute of Peace

5:00 pm Board coaches for the NATIONAL ARCHIVES

5:30 pm National Archives McGowan Theater
Welcome: DEBRA WALL
Deputy Archivist of the United States

6:15 pm Tour of the Public Vault
Viewing founding charters in the Archives Rotunda

7:00 pm Dinner at the National Archives Rotunda
Speaker: SENATOR HEIDI HEITKAMP
of North Dakota
Democratic Co-Chair of the 55th annual
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9:15 pm Coaches return to The Mayflower Hotel