



# **The American Legion**

## **Michigan Boys State**

### **Marching Band Information**

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If you play a musical instrument and would like to play in the Boys State Band please fill out the enclosed form and return it to the below address by June 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Boys State Band**  
**% Deanna Clark**  
**The American Legion**  
**212 N. Verlinden Ave.**  
**Lansing, MI 48915**

If you plan on being in the band, please retain this sheet for informational purposes and bring it with you to Boys State. Please note that:

***!!!WE DO NOT FURNISH INSTRUMENTS!!!***

Those who rent or borrow instruments from your school should make arrangements for them to be at Boys State the day you arrive. We need players of all instruments, ranging from high woodwinds to low brass and percussion. Be sure to bring everything your instruments needs for playing, (straps, reeds, mouthpieces, mallets and sticks, etc...) as there will be none available.

***Percussionists note: We will have a marching snare, concert snare and crash symbols, but if you have these instruments available to you, please bring them with you!***

There is no need to worry about the security of your instrument. They will be kept in a locked room and only the band director will have access. The room will be open only before and after rehearsals and performances.

The first time we meet will be the first time we rehearse together as a group; so be ready the first day. The meeting place for the first rehearsal is listed in the daily schedule of your Boys State handbook, enclosed in this mailing.

