

Students participate in Youth Leadership Day in Jefferson City

Seven students from Maries R-I High School participated in the annual statewide American Legion Youth Leadership Day activities in Jefferson City on Wednesday, May 3.

The students from Vienna will be attendees of Girls State, Boys State or the Missouri Highway Patrol Academy. The students, along with other students throughout Missouri, toured the State Capitol, the Missouri State Supreme Court building, and were treated to lunch at the American Legion Post. They also heard a presentation by a member of Secretary of State Robin Carnahan's staff.

Vienna students also visited the offices of our State Representative, Tom Loehner, and our State Senator, Frank Barnitz.

Participating from Vienna were Tyler Jones, Megan Dates, James Head, Sam Hale, Danielle Verschueren, Seth Nelson and Nathan Swyers.

Accompanying the Vienna students were Richard James, Mickey James, Ellie James and government teacher Mick Byrd. The students and school appreciate our local American Legion Post for their sponsorship of this event.