

YMCA Youth in Government 2020/2021 Leadership

Elected Officials

Governor – Ishan Lal, St. Joseph’s Catholic School

Lt. Governor – Cooper Holbrook – Porter-Gaud School

Speaker of the House – Jay Bhatia – Riverside High School

Secretary of State – Anna Hickey – Riverside High School

Attorney General – Mackenzie Kronimus – May River High School

Comptroller General – Ryan Sorrell – JL Mann High School

Superintendent of Education – Merritt Brazell – Hammond School

Upper Chamber Presiders

Andrew Abramson – Cardinal Newman

Keegan Bittner – Bishop England

Dani Campos – Bluffton High School

Will Funderburk – Mauldin High School

Shana Gilstrap – Easley High School

Hamilton Sprawls – South Florence High School

Veronica Vogt – Hammond School

Annamarie Wynne – May River High School

Premier Presiders

Erin Albers – Mauldin High School

Mitra Haj-Hariri – Cardinal Newman High School

D’Andre Hicks – Colleton County High School

Ellie Joye – Eastside High School

Karine Nguyen – Spartanburg Day School

Zill Patel – Southside High School

Patrick Reese – St. Joseph’s Catholic School

Charlie Sanderson – Wade Hampton High School

Maurena Supra – St. Joseph’s Catholic School

Lillian Weikle – Greenville High School

Ellis Welborn – Southside High School

Upper Chamber Party Leaders

Avril Adams – Easley High School
Ananya Bakre – JL Mann High School
Hannah Ballantyne – Easley High School
Will Brooks – Easley High School
Will Byrd – Easley High School
Jacqui Desmangles – Riverside High School
Jack Hovart – Christ Church Episcopal School
Kathleen Hunter – Mauldin High School
Rachel Knoblauch – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Eryn Mangrum – Greenville Senior High School
Madeline Manning – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Elisa Payan – Brashier Middle College Charter
Nick Sanchelli – Mauldin High School
Luke Willis – Easley High School

Premier Floor Leader

Adom Appiah – Spartanburg Day School
Sarah Boteler – JL Mann High School
Morgan Chapman – JL Mann High School
Elli Edgar – Mauldin High School
Abbey Elliott – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Felisha Foster – Next High School
Merritt Foster – Easley High School
Katy Johnson – Easley High School
Mary Kate Pear – JL Mann High School
Brendan Perfattr – Easley High School
Catherine Roach – Easley High School
Kshiraj Talati – JL Mann High School
Ainsley Woodbrown – Greenville Senior High School

Committee Chairs

Lily Aldrich – Mauldin High School
Margaret Bay – Greenville Senior High School
Sanders Bethea – Hammond School
Jaden Brewer – Easley High School
Sophie Chambella – Bluffton High School
Angelina Dennison – Easley High School
Allie Dunlap – Wade Hamton High School
Lara Gonzalez – Bluffton High School
Eleanor McMakin – Greenville Senior High School
Carter Montgomery – Hammond School

Caroline Mueckler – Hammond School
Katy Patrick – Brashier Middle College Charter
Abigail Schubert – Easley High School
Sarah Sellers – Greenville Senior High School
Olivia Spencer – Southside High School
Elizabeth Whelehan – Greenville Senior High School

Co-Chairs

Brigid Alvis – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Hannah Brooks – Mauldin High School
Andrea Candanoza – Greenville Technical Charter High School
Evelyn Conran – Greenville Technical Charter High School
Addie-Grace Cook – Heathwood Hall
Emma Cumby – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Anish Ghana – JL Mann High School
Abigale Gillies – JL Mann High School
Anna Pearce Hinsdale – Christ Church Episcopal School
Mina Hardison – Easley High School
Grace Holland – Riverside High School
Adyson Jeffrey – May River High School
Will Jennings – Christ Church Episcopal School
Macenzie Lewis – Easley High School
Watts Liddle – Easley High School
Avery Lomax – Mauldin High School
Steven Morrison – Hammond School
Preston Norwood – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Blessed Posey – Pickens County Career & Technology Center
Shwetha Rajmohan – JL Mann High School
Margo Schellinger – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Karen Shenouda – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Claire Smith – Greenville Senior High School
Meghan Spikings – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Brian Williams II – Greenville Technical Charter High School

Clerks

Chief Clerk – Caroline LeCroy – Easley High School
Chief Clerk – Rachel Marlar – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Chief Clerk – Jacklyn O’Riordan – May River High School
Madison Anders – Easley High School
Ginny Chapman – Riverside High School
Emily Cobourn – Spartanburg Day School
Ella Cooper – Clinton High School

Sierra Harmon – Easley High School
Jonna Harper – Easley High School
Aanem Hasnie – Riverside High School
Amber Hefner – Easley High School
Michelle Holanda – Bluffton High School
Hannah Ison – Easley High School
Cameron Johnston – Riverside High School
Gracie Keel – Spartanburg Day School
Katie Kirk – Riverside High School
Riley Kopchinski – Spartanburg Day School
Lauren Lever – Spartanburg Day School
Anna Grace Loftis – JL Mann High School
Andrew Mahaffey – Christ Church Episcopal School
Saanvi Merchant – JL Mann High School
Emily Mulholland – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Helen Penninger – Riverside High School
Margaret Roney – Heathwood Hall
Caroline Russell – First Presbyterian Academy
Preston Saad – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Ellie Singerling – Heathwood Hall
Meadow Tallpn – Riverside High School
Jade Thurman – Brashier Middle College Charter School
Kitty Tran – Easley High School
Aurora Turner – Easley High School
Carys Waddington – Easley High School
Raleigh Williams – Easley High School

Deputy Secretary of State

Sydney Dunlap – Wade Hampton High School
Camille Ferguson – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Mahika Jammula – JL Mann High School
Dami Olatosi – Hammond School
Kritika Sethi – Riverside High School

Governor’s Staff

Katherine Anderson – Bluffton High School
Aditya Bhatt – JL Mann High School
Adrianna Delacruz – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Sam Estramadoiro - May River High School
Lucina Frank – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Aditya Krovi – JL Mann High School
Isabella Miller – May River High School

Tristan Noel – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Abigail Seidel – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Saif Siddiqui – Riverside High School
Courtney Smith – Easley High School
Davis Taylor – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Olivia Waycott – Mauldin High School
Chuck Webb – JL Mann High School
Matthew Wilson – St. Joseph’s Catholic School

Justices

Chief Justice – Jessica Gerac – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Sr. Associate Justice – Wilkes Cramer – Porter-Gaud School
Elizabeth Anderson – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Peter Beck – Porter-Gaud School
Van Clarke – Heathwood Hall Episcopal School
Emma Curran – St. Joseph’s Catholic School
Zoe Paulmeier – Bluffton High School
Lucy Raisch – May River High School
Jack Steyer – Porter-Gaud School
Catherine Willm – Dreher High School