## **Valley County State Exchange Policies**

- 1. Members must have completed 6th grade to host a member from another state.
- 2. Members must have completed 7th grade to travel to another state.
- 3. Members must have parents or guardians who plan to be home when the state exchange takes place.
- 4. Members must comply with the rules for record books up to date before traveling.
- 5. We originally stated that this trip should not compete with the DC trip for funding and therefore would try to have the trip visit closer states that would not require a large amount of money to participate by the members. Common sense by all participants will be used in deciding where to travel and the \$\$ it will cost for this age of member.
- 6. Priority will be given to younger members who have not, had the chance to travel with this program if numbers need to be limited.
- 7. Each member and volunteer chaperon will be required to fill out the appropriate application form for the trip.
- 8. The chaperons do need to pay leaders' dues and fill out the volunteer leader confidential application form.
- 9. Chaperons will be required to pay anything over what is budgeted by council for the trip.