CHSAA AND DURANGO HIGH SCHOOL PRESENTS



LEADERSHIP SUMMIT 2026

We are excited to welcome high schools from all over Colorado to the beautiful southwest town of Durango, where they can exchange ideas, learn from leaders in our community, and experience the town's natural beauty.

REGISTRATION

- Learn from local leaders' insights and experiences
- Hear from a renowned keynote speaker and have the chance for a one-on-one conversation
- Connect and gain insight from other high schoolers from around the state
- Registration fee includes 2 lunches, 2 dinner, t-shirt, and all summit materials

KEYNOTE SPEAKER DALE GARLAND!



Dale Garland is a CHSAA Hall of Fame Student Leadership advisor who dedicated 30 years to teaching and student development at Durango High School, fostering 11 Gold Council of Excellence winners. His leadership principles are forged in diverse, high-stakes environments—from being a US Army Veteran and former Mayor of Durango to serving as the longtime Director of the Hardrock Hundred Endurance Run. He translates these experiences of commitment, endurance, and community building into practical, actionable advice for advancing students into success.

APRIL 10TH - 12TH 2026

DURANGO HIGH SCHOOL
2390 MAIN AVE, DURANGO, CO 81301

WHAT WE HAVE TO OFFER

CATERED LOCAL RESTAURANTS | TRAIN RIDE | FORT LEWIS COLLEGE TOUR | LOCAL LEADER LESSONS