

## **October Volunteer Meeting Summary**

- As of Monday October 13<sup>th</sup>, our membership numbers are as follows:
  - 3,879 Girl Members
  - 1,436 Adult Members
  - 1,660 Lifetime Members
  - Overall retention rate – 65.2%
  - Girl retention rate – 59.4%
  - Adult and Lifetime retention rate – 73.6%

## **Council news:**

- October 1<sup>st</sup> started the new membership year
- We're moving from transactional to a relational model
- We have started using Rallyhood to better communication between Council and troops

## **Membership & Volunteer Support news:**

- We have split our Service Unit Map into 8 districts. Our Volunteer Support Team covering the new districts are as follows:
  - Amanda Powell – District 501 Southeast Region
  - Anne Marie Yorio – District 502 Monadnock Region
  - Amanda Cordero – District 503 Seacoast Region
  - Denee Woods – District 506 North Region
- Double check rosters to make sure your troop members have renewed
- Don't forget to check the SignUp Genius for volunteering opportunities
- We are here to support you with whatever you need
- Have parents/guardians fill out permission slips and health forms
- Troop packet is updated and, on the website
- Bank forms are due by October 31<sup>st</sup>
- If you're having any problems, contact Customer Care

## **Girl Experience news:**

- Our staff is changing
  - Paula is stepping down from the Girl Experience Coordinator Role
  - Ashley Jerome and Cassandra Jillson's new titles are Senior Program Delivery Specialists

- We have an opening for our Delivery Specialists, who will also cover as the Camp Farnsworth Director
- If you are looking to supplement your troop experience, we have:
  - On-demand programming
    - Both focused on badges and focused on fun stuff
  - STEM Month where the STEM Van will come to you
    - Keep an eye out for open dates
  - 3-D Printing Program
    - Self-led program with 4 levels
- Outdoor Adventure Workshop is now available on GSLearn
- We have some First Aid and CPR courses coming up
- BOLS training will be announced soon for spring
- Registration for camp starts on December 18<sup>th</sup>, with some changes across all our camps:
  - We have new themed weeks
  - More and new program descriptions
  - More programs for older girls
  - 3 and 4-day experiences at Farnsworth
    - On top of our regular 1- or 2-week experience
  - We will be doing 2 weeks of Twin Hills and Seawood
  - Added some volunteer service hours for some of our PA's and CIT's
    - This will be discounted
- Check out all of our programs coming up in the next few months

## Product Program news

- Our website has all the info you will need for Fall Product and Cookies