

Status Report for OC GAPS

For the Year of 2018

Accomplishments- GAPS successfully achieved 7 of 10 YEAR ONE goals

- **Conducted OC needs assessment:** Supports focused efforts on identified areas of greatest need for 2019.
- **Organize council wide Disability Awareness Merit Badge Counselor Training:** Successful training of 7 Disability Awareness MB counselors.
- **Provided focused training within OC:** Lead Ability Awareness Roundtable and Pack Aware & Care Programs. Have scheduled for 2019.
- **Provide leader training at University of Scouting on Disability Awareness:** Provided 5 courses at UoS. Recruited Scouts from out of state.
- **Build a presence on the OC website to provide available resources to units:** Functional site www.ocscouts.org/GAPS
- **Build a community network:** Growing network and participation within GAPS committee and OC. FB website active and engaging 2k+ per month.
- **Identify and maintain representatives of each District within OC to be active members of GAPS:** PARTIALLY MET Growing participation within GAPS committee. 7 of 10 districts represented, several with co-reps. Vice chair and professional advisors recruited.

Trainings

- 2 District Roundtables
- 2 Pack Aware & Care Events
- 5 UoS courses
- 3 Viral FB training videos

For 2019

Objectives

- **Identify and maintain representatives of each District within OC to be active members of GAPS:** Will continue to recruit in hopes of having all districts represented by Spring 2019.
- **Organize council wide Disability Awareness Merit Badge Expo**
- **Provide support to OC Committees**
- **Complete Disability Awareness Facility Evaluation for OC Camp Grounds:** Provide plan of action to Council Camping Committee on facility improvements.

Training

- Committee Meetings: 2 March 2019, 1 June 2019, 7 September 2019
- Disability Awareness MB Expo TBA
- UoS 2019 2 Nov
- District Roundtables (2 currently scheduled)
- Pack Aware & Care Program (As requested)