



DAC VOA Meeting Minutes
Thursday January 12, 2016
Hamilton Scout Headquarters - Dobbins Room
7:00pm

- Call to order
- Roll Call
- Introductions
- [Meeting Agenda](#)
- December minutes Approved
- Venturing Committee Meeting
 - Youth and adult applications for the next VOA term were reviewed
 - Need to compile emails from snow snake attendance
 - Have received the most updated roster from Jolynne
- [VOA Facebook Page](#)
 - VOA cabinet has contributor privileges
 - Forward post to Dave Whittner to have posts posted to the DAC facebook page
 - Will look into a Hootsuite account for the DAC VOA social media
- [Venturing Website](#)
 - Contact Becky Elzas about adding content
- Denver Area Council Venturing Officers Association [Bylaws](#) were approved for adoption at 7:30pm on Thursday January 12, 2017 at 7:30pm!
- Snowsnake Review
 - Snowsnake survey (will go out next week)
 - Put together a google survey and forward it to JoLynne Conrad to be sent out
 - Crew number
 - Scale 1-10
 - How was the food?
 - Overall experience?
 - Sleeping Accommodations?
 - Enter Activity
 - Favorite Activity?
 - Least Favorite Activity?
 - Favorite VOA cabinet member?
 - Who is your crew president?
 - Ideas for future snowsnake activities?
 - Do we need to provide program for adults/what would you like to see as adult program?
 - What was your favorite firearm to shoot?
 - What would you like to see as future VOA events?





- Would you come to DAC VOA meetings to the 2nd thursday of the month each month to participate in council venturing?
- Link to the VOA cabinet application
- Had a good discussion following snowsnake at PV about the future of venturing
- Look into how to cap participant because PV has a limit for indoor sleeping arrangements.
- Training
 - LSC (Leadership Skills for Crews)
 - Potentially scheduled for March
 - Need to contact people to lead trainings
 - Charge \$5 per person to be able to do lunch
 - Send Dave an email about 18th or 25th for the training at the scouting headquarters
- Absurdly Formal Venturing Ball
 - Friday April 7, 2016
 - Need to reprint flyer
 - Put VOA application info on the new flier
 - Need to transfer the [AFVB registration](#) from to the CAP registration system to the doubleknot registration site.
 - Need to confirm staph for the activities
 - Carl Joyce will confirm climbing staph
 - The Stephens' will confirm shooting sports staph
 - Need to figure out welding staph requirements
- Tahosa Weekend
 - Need to begin putting together the flyer
 - Save the date September 15-17 at Tahosa
 - Need to get the date to Jolynne
 - Need to hike Audubon because "we need to"
- Scout Show
 - Need to register the VOA for a scout show
 - Carl Joyce will be representing venturing for scout show
 - Need to put together a design for a banner to get printed
 - Need to get our fliers printed before scout show
- Adviser Moment
 - "I have advised" -Dave Whitner
- Closing: 8:45pm





Next VOA Meeting will be Thursday February 9th, 2017 at 7pm in the Dobbins Room at the Hamilton Scout Headquarters.

Action Items

- All VOA cabinet members need to friend Shawn Connelly on Facebook to they can become contributors on the DAC Venturing Facebook page
- Set up a DAC VOA HootSuite Account
- Email Dave Whitner to confirm a March date (18th or 15th) for a training day at the council office
- Within the next week send out a survey to snowsnake participants
- Need to update and add VOA cabinet application to the AFVB flier for reprinting and get them in roundtable for February on
- Need to register for a booth for Venturing Officers Association
- Need to put together a design for a DAC VOA banner to have by Scout Show

Attendance

- Carl J.
- Sarah L. - VOA V.P. of Program
- Max P. - VOA V.P. of Communications
- Colton S. - VOA President
- Dean S. - VOA Adviser
- Delaine S.
- Jan S.
- Dave W. - VOA Staff Adviser

