



# SCOUTING IN DENVER METRO

2017 Year in Review

CHARACTER



LEADERSHIP



CITIZENSHIP



FITNESS

**143,440**  
SERVICE HOURS



valued at **\$3.73 million**, were contributed by Scouts, leaders, and participants from our Council last year.

**53,200**  
POUNDS OF FOOD



were collected as part of Scouting for Food.

**TUFTS UNIVERSITY CUB SCOUT**

study reported significant increases in character attributes  
TuftsCampStudy.com

**522**

SCOUTS IN OUR COUNCIL EARNED THE RANK OF **EAGLE**.



**91%**  
SCOUTS graduate from High School

Harris Interactive Study

## Scout Oath

On my honor I will do my best  
To do my duty to God and my country  
and to obey the Scout Law;  
To help other people at all times;  
To keep myself physically strong,  
mentally awake, and morally straight.

**31,909**  
YOUTH MEMBERS



**12,024 Cub Scouts**  
**394 Packs**

(5 - 10 years old or Grades K - 5)



**7,809 Boy Scouts**  
**375 Troops**

(11 - 17 years old or Grades 6 - 12)



**754 Venturers**  
**152 Crews**

(Ages 14 - 20)



**1,322 Explorers**  
**62 Posts**

(Ages 14 - 20)



**Learning for Life**  
**10,000 Members**  
**42 Groups**

(Pre-K - High School)



**STEM Scouts**  
**132 Scouts**  
**11 Labs**

(Grades 3 - 12)



**15,944**

**MERIT BADGES**

were earned and 9,628 rank advancements were achieved by Scouts in our council last year.

**11,844**  
YOUTH  
attended a Denver Area Council camp.

DenverBoyScouts.org

Prepared. For Life.™

**DENVER AREA COUNCIL SERVES 10 METRO COUNTIES**

Adams, Arapahoe, Broomfield, Clear Creek, Denver, Douglas, Elbert, Gilpin, Jefferson, and Park.

**COLORADO ADVENTURE POINT**

**5,308 Total Youth Served**

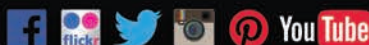
includes camp and after school programs

**8,240**  
ADULT VOLUNTEERS



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## BSA Mission Statement

The mission of the Boy Scouts of America is to prepare young people to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Law.

## Scout Law

A Scout is Trustworthy, Loyal, Helpful, Friendly, Courteous, Kind, Obedient, Cheerful, Thrifty, Brave, Clean, and Reverent.