# 2018 Membership Growth Planning Day

Friday, February 2, 2018 | 8:30 AM – 4 PM

Firestone Scouting Resource Center, Anthony Wayne Room

### **AGENDA**

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Breakfast		8:30 AM
Opening	<ul><li>Objectives &amp; Deliverables for Today</li><li>What Do You Want to Cover?</li></ul>	9:00 AM
Before We Begin	<ul> <li>Friends of Scouting         <ul> <li>Audits</li> <li>Blackbaud Reports</li> <li>Unit Presentation Schedule</li> <li>Flyers Game: Feb. 8</li> <li>Unit Pacesetter Orientation: Feb. 22</li> </ul> </li> <li>Scouting U &amp; Pow Wow: Feb. 3</li> <li>Year-End Self-Evaluations &amp; Reviews</li> </ul>	9:10 AM
Fundamentals	<ul> <li>What's Our Value Proposition?</li> <li>Who's Our Audience?</li> <li>Growth Plans</li> <li>Council Strategic Plan Focus</li> <li>Chartered Organization Concept</li> </ul>	9:50 AM
History	<ul> <li>Districts and Council Summaries</li> <li>Where Do We Stand Now? (youth &amp; unit "washout")</li> <li>What Are Our Obstacles to Growth?</li> </ul>	10:15 AM
How We Grow	<ul> <li>New Units</li> <li>Youth Recruiting/Additional Enrollments</li> <li>Program Transition</li> <li>Stopping Dropped Units</li> <li>Retention</li> <li>Awareness &amp; Publicity</li> <li>Family Scouting</li> </ul>	10:45 AM
Market Area	<ul> <li>Available Resources</li> <li>Geographical Zones/School Districts</li> <li>Opportunity to Join</li> <li>Market Share/Density</li> <li>Density/Market Share</li> <li>Average Unit Sizes</li> <li>Current Chartered Organization Inventory</li> <li>Comparison of School Enrollment with Membership by Geographical Area</li> <li>Linkages         <ul> <li>Packs &amp; Troops</li> <li>Schools Not Served/Underserved</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	11:00 AM
Lunch		12:00 PM

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Market Area (cont'd)		12:45 PM
Goal Setting	<ul> <li>June 30 and December 31</li> <li>Total Youth &amp; Units</li> <li>Youth to Recruit</li> <li>Units to Start</li> </ul>	1:15 PM
Prospecting	<ul><li>Volunteers</li><li>Community Partners</li></ul>	2:00 PM
Discussions & Reports	<ol> <li>Encouraging Unit Engagement</li> <li>Webelos-to-Scout Transition</li> <li>Spring Recruitment</li> <li>New-Unit Development</li> <li>School Access</li> </ol>	2:45 PM
Closing Comments		3:55 PM

#### Resources:

- Google Drive: COL Drive/Field Service/Membership
- COL Membership Landing Page: <u>https://colbsa.org/recruit/</u>
- Marketing & Membership Hub: <u>http://scoutingwire.org/marketing</u>
- BSA Brand Center: <u>http://scoutingwire.org/bsa-brand-center/</u>
- Pennsylvania Department of Education: <u>http://www.education.pa.gov</u>

#### 2018 Council Membership Committee Meetings (4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays, 7:00 PM):

- February 27
- March 27
- April 24
- May 22
- June 26
- July no meeting
- August 28
- September 25
- October 23
- November 27
- December no meeting