19 Feb Council Commissioner-District Commissioners monthly Zoom call

The two main areas of focus were the New Commissioner Tools/ "The Future of Unit Service" and recharter/renewal issues.

**New Commissioner Tools**:

* The metrics are suspect at this time as we believe the data bases are still being populated
  + For example: Advancement is supposed to be a 12 month rolling metric, but it doesn’t appear to be populated with a year’s worth of data yet
* **Units MUST** enter their outdoor activity
  + For Packs this = campouts
  + For Troops this = summer camp/long term camp
  + For Ships & Crews this = major events
  + Note: The Unit dashboard has info buttons which explain what information is necessary for all categories
* Commissioner Corps is looking into data entry specifics and will develop and offer training
  + Plan is to offer training at 15 March Commissioners’ Conference
    - Note: ALL unit leaders are invited. Please register at: <https://scoutingevent.com/089-93529>

**Recharter/renewal issues**:

* Software issues continue to plague us
  + Council/Lilliam have 18 open trouble tickets
  + Unit Commissioners “stay on it”
    - Stay in touch with your units and check on their recharter status in the tools
  + Unit leaders please use your Commissioner to request updates
* Biggest concern is that we do **NOT** want recharter/renewal issues to adversely impact scouts and unit programs.
  + Communication is key
  + Units, please keep your Commissioner “in the loop”

**15 March Commissioners Conference**:

* ALL unit leaders are invited. Please register at: <https://scoutingevent.com/089-93529>
* 3 main areas of discussion:
  + New Commissioner Tools/"The Future of Unit Service"
  + Council Operations
  + End Cap
    - Don’t know what this is…come and become informed
      * Hint: deals with safety
* Also, Special needs scouting information
  + How to be a Unit Commissioner for a special needs unit and/or a unit that has a special needs scout(s)

**Information from Travis (Director of Field Service/COO) via Matt C**:

* Expediting a new form for new scout scholarships
  + Currently registered scouts on scholarship will continue to use current form for scholarships
  + New form will be for newly recruited scouts in need of a scholarship
* Renewal/recharter system work still in progress
* Keep working with professional staff regarding renewals/recharter
* DE’s now more focused on units & program vice fundraising
  + Fund raising being handled by another group
  + DE still supports, but no longer a primary focus (as in the past)
* Recruiting
  + Focusing on Middle Schools
    - Goal of exposing more kids to WEBLOS/AOLs & Troops

**College of Commissioner Science**:

* 15 Nov at Flaming Arrow
* This is a combined GTBAC & Territory 16 College of Commissioner Science
* ALL unit leaders are invited
* More information will be promulgated as it solidifies