Hello Venturing Leaders!!

The mission of the Venturing Officers Association is to promote and support the Venturing program, utilizing a standard organizational structure that enables local councils to grow membership by advancing leadership opportunities through communication, program, and administration.

The Greater Yosemite Council Venturing Officers Association (VOA) fulfills the mission above by working to provide fun and exciting activities for all Venturers throughout the council on an annual basis. The term of office for an officer in the VOA is one year and lasts from May 1 until April 30 of the following year. Each member of the VOA must be a registered member of a Venturing Crew and must be under the age of 21 for his or her entire term of office.

Each Venturing Crew President is a voting member of the Council Venturing Officer's Association. We want to encourage EVERY Crew President to join us at VOA Meetings to help set the course for Venturing activities in the Greater Yosemite Council. It's your program; provide your input to make the events you want to see happen actually come to happen.

We have been trying to restore our council's VOA for quite some time. Currently we have 2 of 4 positions filled and are still looking for a president and a VP of Administration.
If you have someone on your crew that would be remotely interested please share this email with them and invite them to the meeting this Wednesday.
Once we establish a FULL VOA, I will be looking for adult leaders to support each youth on the cabinet. The VOA is structured just like your crew is in a sense that each youth has a supporting advisor for guidance and support.

**The VOA is currently working on two council activities. A cardboard boat race and Broomball at the Stockton Ice Arena.

Do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions!

Scouting Forever and Venturing On!

Yours in Venturing,

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