



WZ

Diversity and Inclusion Insider

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Camp News

THAT'S A WRAP!!

The 2016 WZ Diversity and Inclusion camp was a success!! We had 38 athletes attend and they were AWESOME!!

Some highlights of the camp were the service project at the Rescue Mission, skits at Lindsay Gardens, and listening to Sabir Muhammad in the mountains.

Thank you to all of the WZ D&I Committee and the USA Swimming staff who helped make the camp a great experience!

"Let your dreams be bigger than your fears and your actions be louder than your words."

-Unknown-

LSC Spotlight

Pacific Swimming has introduced a new Meet Entry Fee Assistance Program (MEFAP) to help swimmers cover the costs of entering swim meets. The swimmer would pay for the splash fee associated with each meet and Pacific Swimming will cover the individual swims' entry fees.

Meeting Minute

The 2016 Western Zone Diversity and Inclusion Summit, hosted by Utah Swimming, was held June 16-19 at the University of Utah. 35 representatives from 12 different LSCs and USA Swimming participated. At the summit, discussions were shared to help each LSC move progress forward with camps, outreach, committee participation and other things D&I. The summit facilitated passionate and real conversations about the hurdles still standing in front of underrepresented populations in our sport, and lead to identifying real ways USA Swimming and the Western Zone can help. The summit forged a solid foundation for the Western Zone D&I Committee to move into the next quadrennial with education, governance, programs and cooperation.

-Dane Wolfrom

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NEXT MEETING:

**Thursday July 7th
@ 12:00pm (Pacific Time)
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