



Updates about the SLCO YG

- Summer Camp
- Building Your Emotional and Social Health event
- Elections for the 2018-2019 school year
- Thank you!



Summer Camp

June 2018

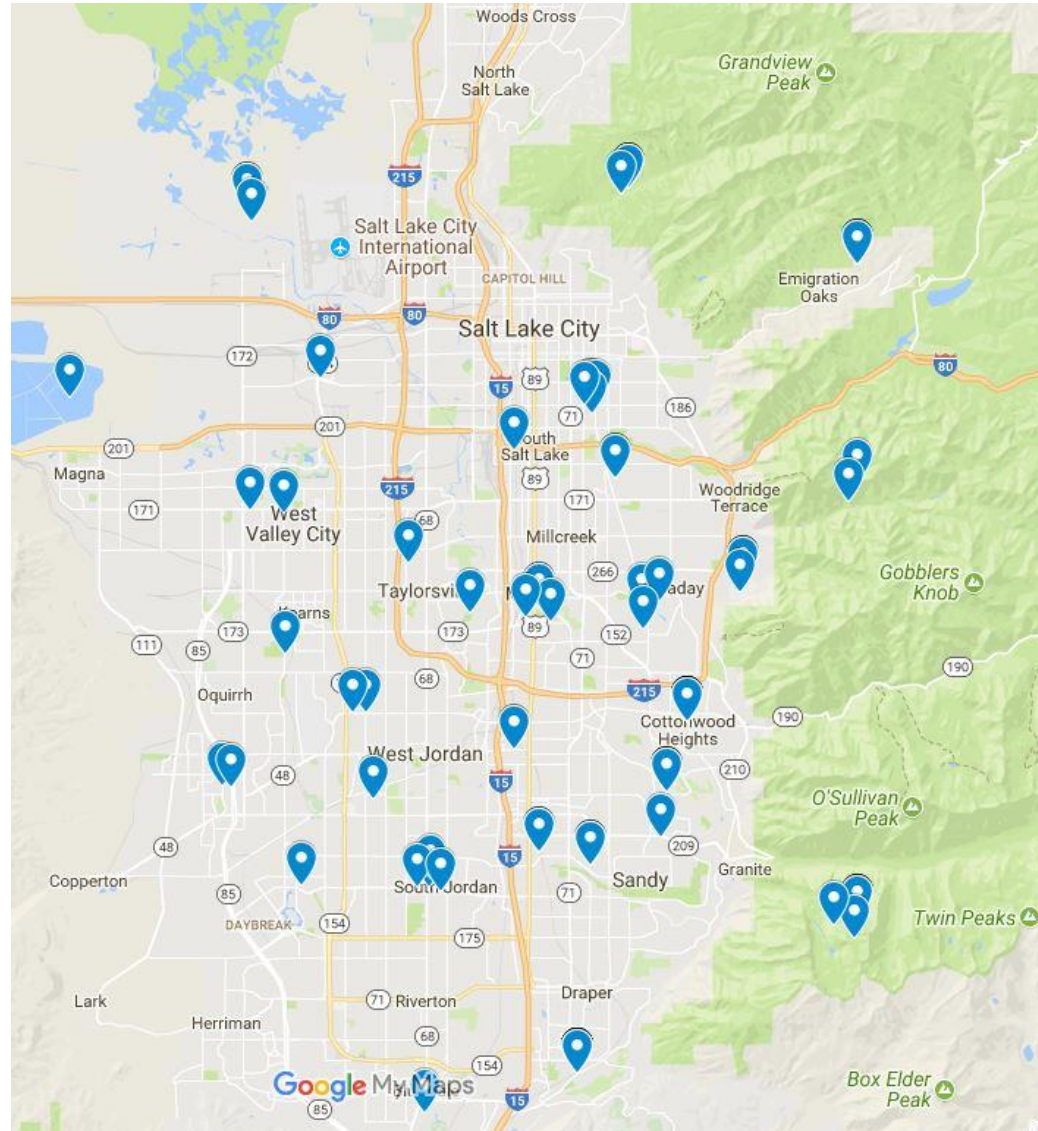
- 3-day camp
- Utah Cultural Celebration Center and the Utah State Capitol
- 124 students registered

6th – 12th graders

Capacity was 45 students, and the rest were on a waiting list

- Students who registered were from 53 different schools
(Public, private, and homeschooled)
- Promoted camp through schools, youth councils, and other community contacts through Salt Lake County

Summer Camp (continued)



Summer Camp (continued)



Activities:

- Tour of the State Capitol
- Mock Committee Hearing

Speakers/presenters :

- Mayor McAdams
- Deputy Mayor Karen Hale
- 2 Utah State Senators and 1 State Representative
- Mike Mower (Deputy Chief of Staff, State of Utah Governor's Office)
- Linda Dunn (former Executive Director of the Lowell Bennion Community Service Center, University of Utah)
- Cameron Diehl (Executive Director of the Utah League of Cities & Towns)
- Steve Hanson (Tobacco Prevention & Cessation Program Manager, SLCO Health Department)
- Emma Houston (Director of Diversity & Inclusion, SLCO Mayor's Office)
- Felecia Maxfield-Barrett (Executive Director of the Utah Council for Citizen Diplomacy)

Summer Camp (continued)

Email from a student's parent:

Thank you so much for putting together this wonderful student government camp. I am so glad my daughter was able to participate. After the first day, she talked about learning about the homeless problem facing our local community and wanting to help. She also mentioned hearing from a speaker who taught them an African word that means to be human, one must have human relationships. And, of course, she discussed different political leanings, such as conservative, liberal, and moderate. That led to some great discussion.

Today, she told me she took part in a mock debate and felt like she really got her points across.

I can't wait to hear what happens tomorrow.

Again, thank you for putting together this engaging camp. I wish every kid could experience this!

This camp has been a transformative experience.

Building Your Emotional and Social Health

July 2018

- Event focused on preventing teen suicide
- Kids and their parents were invited
- Speakers were from SLCO Health Department, Youth Services, Primary Children's Hospital, and Riverton High School's HOPE Squad
- Activity was to write a letter of hope/encouragement to yourself
- Students expressed interest in replicating the event and holding meetings around the County



Elections for the 2018-2019 school year



- Thursday, October 11 in the County Council Chambers
- Leadership structure is the same as the actual SLCO government with a Mayor, Deputy Mayor, and County Council District Representatives
- Sherrie Swenson will be present; Mayor, Deputy Mayors, and County Council members are invited

From the 2017-2018 school year elections/swearing in

Thank you!



If you have questions or would like additional information, please contact me:

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