

Our Structure

The organization will be a legal non-profit 503(c) 1 corporation managed by an Executive Committee. This committee will consist of an elected President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. The Executive Committee will meet every other month with additional meetings as needed.

There will be a Board of Directors consisting of nine members, four Executive Committee members, one member from the special needs community and four elected at large. The Board of Directors will meet in the first and third quarter of each year with additional meetings as needed.

The Organization meeting will be held on Wednesday, 09/25/2013 at St. Camillus Church at 7:30 pm. At this meeting, Executive Committee and the Board of Directors will be elected. The information is available on our website www.asnapinc.org.

The new constitution and bylaws will be reviewed, discussed and voted upon at the 09/25/2013 meeting. These documents are available on the website too. If you would like to be a member of the Executive Board please fill out the nomination section on the web page or send a letter with the office you would like to be considered for to:

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C/O Bill Hayner
19 Putnam Road
Arlington, MA 02474

All nominations must be received no later than 9/16/2013, so that a written ballot can be prepared

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Association for Special Needs Activities and Programs



Mission Statement

To provide the special needs community with a safe and welcoming environment that offers social, athletic, and employment-oriented experiences.

Vision Statement

ASNAP is an organization founded by parents, guardians and service providers of special needs children and adults. The goal is to provide an expanding array of programs and services that will be driven by the needs of our communities.

We will initially focus on programs for the communities of Arlington, Cambridge, Everett, Lexington, Medford, Somerville, and Winchester, though individuals from other communities will also be welcome to participate. We will begin by offering a small program of social and sporting events. We hope that this conservative beginning can grow to provide year round social and sporting events as well as life and career support services.

We will work with the local school systems, religious, youth service programs, and non-profit organizations to foster a cooperative and comprehensive approach to address the needs of the our community.

Athletic Programs

Swimming
Basketball
Boating
Gymnastics
Track
Volleyball
Tennis
Weightlifting
Golf
Fishing
Softball
Bocce
Floor Hockey
Flag Football
Soccer
Bowling
Basketball



This is by no means a complete list and we will not have all of these programs available immediately. Our goal is to offer these programs to anyone and everyone who wishes to participate.

Social Programs

ASNAP's social schedule will be expansive. At this time we wish to highlight our first scheduled event on Sunday, 09/29/2013 (weather permitting). This will be a cook out / field day located at the Summer Street field next to the Ed Burns Arena (formerly Veterans Memorial Rink) located at 422 Summer Street, Arlington, MA. The event will be run from 10:30 AM to 1:30 PM. This is a chance to welcome back our current participants and to allow new participants a chance to "meet and greet". To attend please RSVP to admin@asnainc.org no later than 9/25/2013.

