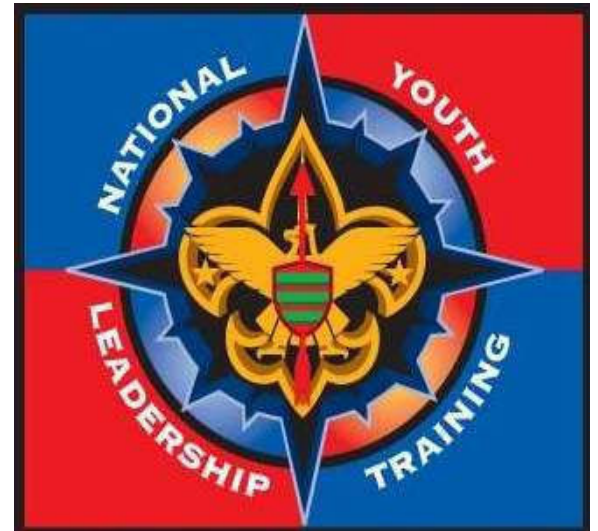


National Youth Leadership Training

AT PICO BLANCO

what is nylt?

nylt is the premier youth leader training in the boy scouts of america. the course is an intense interactive experience in outdoor living and leadership skills development.



how is leadership developed?

we focus on the three core concepts of leadership: what a leader must be, what a leader must know, and what a leader must do.



this sounds awesome; who can attend?

nylt is open to all boy scouts who are at least 13 and have earned the first class rank and any venture scouts.



wait - any venture scouts can attend?

yes, nylt is open to both young men and women.

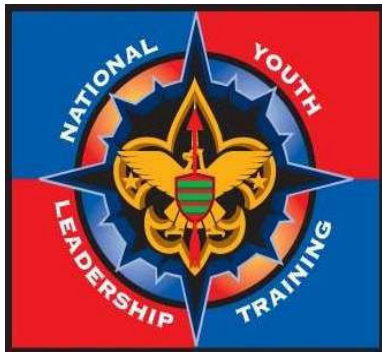
i know nylt is at pico blanco, but when is the course?

nylt is sunday, june 19 to saturday, june 25.

how do i get more information on nylt?

see the reverse of this flyer for more information or visit mbacbsa.org/training

Are You Scout Enough?



National Youth Leadership Training

Sunday, June 19 to Saturday, June 25, 2011
Hosted by Monterey Bay Area Council, BSA at
Pico Blanco Scout Reservation

Your Invitation to Leadership Development
NYLT is the official youth leadership development
training program of the Boy Scouts of America

National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT) is open to all Boy Scouts from 13 to 17 years old and Venturers to age 20. The course consists of an intensive interactive experience in outdoor living and leadership skills development. Youth staff members who have been working throughout the year to develop the plan for the training week conduct the training. Experienced trained adult Scout leaders closely and continually monitor all elements of the program.

NYLT is an opportunity for Scouts to develop leadership skills that will help them better serve their own units. The training week is an exciting, action-packed program designed for councils to provide youth members with leadership skills and experiences they can use in their home units and in other situations demanding leadership of self and others. We invite you to be part of this growth experience.

The Structure of the NYLT Program

National Youth Leadership Training is a six-day course that centers on the concepts of what a leader must BE, what he must KNOW, and what he must DO. The key elements are then taught with a clear focus on HOW TO.

Content is delivered in a troop and patrol outdoor setting with an emphasis on immediate application of learning in a fun environment. Interconnecting concepts and work processes are introduced early, built upon and reinforced by the use of memory aids, which allow participants to understand and employ the leadership skills much faster.

Through activities, presentations, challenges, discussions, audio-visual support and games such as a Geocaching and realistic first aid, NYLT participants will be engaged in a unified approach to leadership that will give them the skill and confidence to lead well. Through the wide range of activities participants will work and play together as they put into action the best Scouting has to offer.

Each patrol is also given a challenge to create a shared vision of success. They use this shared vision throughout the course to help achieve all they can as a patrol. Each patrol works on the quest for the meaning of leadership and, at the end of the course, presents their understanding of this and other concepts they have learned throughout the week as a skit, song, or something they build—the possibilities are endless.

Who should attend?

To be eligible for National Youth Leadership Training, Scouts should be interested in developing their leadership skills, have attained First Class rank, and be at least age 13 by the start of the NYLT course or be a Venture Scout. Each Scout must have their unit leader approval on their application before submitting it to the council service center.

Scouts must be experienced campers with good camping, hiking, and outdoor skills. They should be familiar with the Patrol Leaders' Handbook prior to arriving at camp, and have held a leadership position in their unit. They must also agree to spend the entire scheduled week actively participating in the National Youth Leadership Training Course, and agree to live by the Scout Oath and Law. Adults are welcome to schedule time to observe the program in action.

A formal graduation will be held in camp on Saturday morning at 9:00 AM. Unit leaders and parents are

strongly encouraged to attend to recognize their Scout's achievements. Scouts will need to depart from camp immediately following the graduation.

Space is available on a first-come, first-served basis – an application accompanied by the early-bird fee of \$190.00 or a minimum deposit of \$90.00 will hold a space in the upcoming course.

Special Reminders to Parents

Each participant must attend the course in its entirety -- he or she may not arrive late or leave early. If the participant is asked to leave camp early, no refund will be granted. **Special arrangements may be made to arrive at camp on Saturday afternoon for Scouts with Sunday travel restrictions.** A complete list of suggested equipment will be mailed in the spring to confirmed participants.

Fees:

\$190.00 if fully paid by May 1, 2011 (Early-bird fee).

\$230.00 if paid after May 1, assuming space is available.

Deposit of \$90.00 paid now with balance due of \$100.00 (or \$140.00 after May 1) will hold a space in NYLT 2011 course.

Fees are transferable between applicants in the same troop with troop approval

Refunds: All requests for refunds must be made in writing. Cancellations 21 days prior to first day of arrival, will receive 70% of the paid fee. Cancellations 14 days prior to the first day of arrival, will receive 50% of the paid fee.

No Refund for any cancellations less than two weeks prior to arrival, unless a medical condition (verified in writing by a physician) or death in the immediate family (verified by a parent in writing). In both of these cases, 70% of the paid fee will be refunded.

For additional applications, a presentation to your unit or further information please contact David Rigmaiden at (831)-236-5206 or e-mail drigmaiden@redshift.com

2011 National Youth Leadership Training Registration

Sunday, June 19 to Saturday, June 25, 2011

To the NYLT applicant: Please clearly print all information requested below and return the completed form with your deposit of \$90.00 (or full payment) to hold your place. Early-bird pricing expires May 1, 2011 but the course may fill up before then, so don't delay.

Scout Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Mailing Address: _____
(Street or P.O. Box) (City) (State) (Zip)

Birthdate: _____ Age: _____ Grade: _____ E-mail: _____ @ _____

Gender (circle one): F | M Adult T-Shirt size (circle one): Small – Medium – Large – X-Large – 2X-Large

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Home Phone (____) _____ Work Phone(____) _____

BSA Council Name: _____ Unit # _____ Current Rank Earned: _____

Previous leadership training or experience (for example: Den Chief, Troop TLT, etc.):

BSA leadership positions past or present (for example: Patrol Leader, Senior Patrol Leader, etc.):

I can do the following (indicate by number, 1 = well enough to teach; 2 = well enough to enjoy; 3 = not at all):

Backpacking _____ Lashings _____ Swimming _____ First Aid _____ Cooking _____
 Knots _____ Splicing _____ Fire Building _____ Map Reading _____

Answer the following questions:

Number of nights overnight camping? _____ Longest overnight hike? _____ Longest day hike? _____
 Do you run? _____ Miles per day _____

I agree that if accepted to participate in National Youth Leadership Training, I promise on my honor as a Scout to abide by the Scout Oath and Law, and to actively engage in the learning process of NYLT.

Scout's Signature: _____ Parent signature _____

Note to Unit Leader: NYLT is a valuable, but challenging, program of education. Only those participants who are truly dedicated to learning advanced leadership skills can expect to pass the course on their first attempt. You should not approve for participation Scouts (a) who have behavioral issues that would be disruptive to others or (b) lack sufficient maturity to allow them to be successful in this experience. Your endorsement of the applicant Scout is a prerequisite to his or her admission to the NYLT course.

I approve of this Scout applicant's participation in National Youth Leadership Training

Unit Leader Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____ Signature: _____

Mail application and deposit or payment in full (on or before May 1, 2011 to benefit from early-bird pricing) to:
 National Youth Leadership Training, Monterey Bay Area Council BSA, 55 East San Joaquin Street, Salinas, CA 93901

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