

## WHAT is NYLT?

National Youth Leadership Training is an exciting, action-packed program designed to provide youth members of the Boy Scouts of America with leadership skills and experiences they can use in their home unit and in other situations demanding leadership of self and others. This outdoor experience is set up to represent a month in the life of a typical scout unit. Scouts will develop an understanding of group formation and development. They will also have hands-on leadership experiences.

The NYLT course centers on the concepts of:

- What a leader must BE
- What a leader must KNOW, and
- What a leader must DO.

These are taught with a clear focus on how to put these concepts into action. The course will also focus on the EDGE leadership style and SMART goal setting methods.

## What Is Its Purpose?

Scouting recognizes that unit leaders have the responsibility of training their own youth leaders. The purpose of National Youth Leadership Training is not to assume that role, but to support it. The objectives of the conference are:

- To enhance the relationship between the participant and their leader.
- To give participants a toolbox of leadership skills and help them relate these skills to their unit responsibilities.
- To give participants the opportunity to share ideas and experience with scouts from other units.
- To give participants the confidence and knowledge to run the unit program.
- To create an atmosphere where scouts will experience Scouting at its best.

## Is the Home Unit Leader Involved?

YES! NYLT is intended to strengthen the relationship between the Youth Leader and their Unit leader.

## Who May Attend?

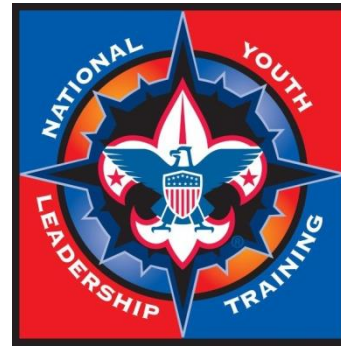
**Registered Scouts BSA:** At least First-Class rank, must be at least 13 years of age at the start of the course, must have completed ILST within their troop, who have held a position of leadership, and have their parent's and Scoutmaster's approval.

**Registered Venturers:** At least age 14 but not more than 20, who have Venture Officer Training (Crew Officer Orientation or equivalent), who have completed ILSC within their crew, and have their parent's and advisor's approval.

**Scouts will need to provide a current Health Form at or before the Parent Orientation on June 2nd, 2023.**

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## National Youth Leadership Training

June 26 – July 1, 2023

Camp Verdugo Oaks

Castaic, California

National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT) will provide your youth leaders with leadership and team building skills to manage the troop/crew program. The course is organized to teach skills based on:

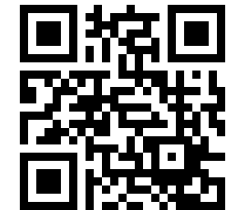
- A month in the life of a troop/crew, including patrol, unit, and team meetings; program, and an outpost trip.
- Patrols/teams experiencing and observing the stages of team development.
- A toolbox of leadership skills including planning, conflict resolution, and evaluation.

Our objective is for the participants to return to their troops/crews with enthusiasm and ideas that will help make their job easier, more fun, and improve the unit's program and progress.

- Scouts BSA must be 13 years of age and earned First Class Rank
- Venturers must be 14 years of age and completed Officer Training by June 1<sup>st</sup>.
- Must be competent in Scout skills
- Must have participated in Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops (ILST) or Introduction to Leadership Skills for Crews (ILSC).

## Important Dates and Course Fee

- By April 30th: Early Bird \$295
- May 1<sup>st</sup>—May 31st: Regular Price \$325
- June 1<sup>st</sup>—15th: Late Fee \$350
- June 2nd – Parent Orientation – 6:30 PM**
- June 26th— Report by 12 PM**
- July 1st- Graduation & BBQ – 1:00 PM
- July 1st - Participants depart –3:00 PM



Course fee covers meals, program binder, course T-shirt and program supplies. All registration is online at - <https://www.scoutingevent.com/030-NYLT23>.

Information will be provided to participants/parents prior to course start via the parent orientation meeting. Questions may be referred to: Course Director: Jeremy Brown (661) 912-1261

**National Youth Leadership Training**  
**Southern Sierra Council, Boy Scouts of America**  
2417 M Street, Bakersfield, Ca.93301 (661)325-9036

## NYLT Application – Use to gather information for online input.

- ☐ Scouts are currently registered and serving in a unit leadership position or will serve in one in the near future.
- ☐ Scout is 13 years of age at start of the course and was born on or before June 26, 2010.
- ☐ Scout is First Class Rank or will be before June 26, 2023.
- ☐ Scout has completed Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops

For Venturers – he/she has completed Introduction to Leadership Skills for Crews. It is expected that youth will have camping, cooking, and hiking skills.

### **SCOUT INFORMATION:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: (M / F )

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age on first day of course: \_\_\_\_\_

Youth Leadership Position(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Circle One: Troop/Crew No: \_\_\_\_\_ Rank: \_\_\_\_\_

Council: \_\_\_\_\_ District: \_\_\_\_\_

Adult T-Shirt Size: S M L XL 2XL

Food Allergies: No Yes If yes: \_\_\_\_\_

I understand this is a week-long course and that I must complete the course in its entirety. I agree to conduct myself in accordance with the Scout Oath and Law and/or Venturing Oath.

Required Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Scout

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Explain why you want to participate in NYLT and what you expect to gain from it: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Describe a time when you showed leadership in your unit: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Define leadership: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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## How much does NYLT Cost?

- \$295 Registration if paid in full on or before April 30, 2023
- \$325 Registration if paid in full on or before May 31, 2023
- \$350 Late Registration. Must be paid in full June 15, 2023

This course fee covers meals, program binder/materials, course T-shirt, program supplies and insurance.

**A deposit of \$50 is due at the time the registration.**

**Space is limited so reserve your spot now. The deposit of \$50 is non-refundable but is transferrable to a replacement youth's deposit. A written refund request must be submitted at least 30 days before the first day of the course.**

### **PARENT/GUARDIAN:**

Mothers Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Fathers Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

We understand that the deposit of \$50.00 is non-refundable but is transferrable to a replacement youth's deposit. A written refund request must be submitted at least 30 days before the first day of the course.

Required Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/ Guardian

Date \_\_\_\_\_

### **SCOUTMASTER OR CREW ADVISOR:** (to be uploaded to registration system)

Scoutmaster or Crew Advisor \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I confirm this participant has completed the required Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops/Crews, which is provided by the home unit.

Date Completed: \_\_\_\_\_

I approve the application for this youth to attend NYLT and state that he/she is qualified to participate in this training experience. I agree to support the youth upon their return to the unit and to allow the methods learned during NYLT to be put to use at the home unit.

Required Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Scoutmaster or Crew Advisor

Date \_\_\_\_\_