

## What is the Unit Leader's Role?

The Unit Leader must:

1. Approve the youth's application.
2. Ensure that each youth leader has completed Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops/Crew training.
3. Work with the youth leader to help him/her complete his/her personal vision, goals & plans that they will write during NYLT that will help your unit improve or make him/her a better leader.

## How is the NYLT Conference set up?

NYLT is a six-day course. The six-day course schedule parallels the program month of a typical Scouting unit. The patrol method is used extensively throughout the training. Patrols are on their own to set up campsites, cook meals, and carry out other activities without direct adult supervision. A Troop Guide is assigned to each patrol to advise and be a resource to the participants throughout the learning process. The Troop setting provides an opportunity for youth to practice the newly learned skills providing the home unit with improved effectiveness and enthusiasm from the youth leaders. Troop instructors will help guide their learning. The training guidelines and rules are the same for those found in the Scout Oath & Law, the Outdoor Code, and other national and council practices and procedures.



## NYLT at Camp Woodland

**Early Bird Cost \$325**

**\$375 after March 31**

**Course is limited to 48 participants**

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## Lifetime Opportunity!

## National Youth Leadership Training



**Longhouse & Leatherstocking Councils present NYLT 2025**

**Camp Woodland,**

**Constantia, NY**

**August 3 - 8, 2025**

**This Leadership Program is for all male and female BSA Scout youth 13 - 17 who have earned at a minimum the rank of First Class. Male and female Venture or Sea Scout youth must be between 14 and 20 years old.**

# National Youth Leadership Training

**IS...**NYLT is an exciting, action-packed program designed to provide all First Class and above BSA Scouts and Venturing/Sea Scouts with leadership skills and experience they can use in their home unit and in other situations demanding leadership of self and others. NYLT is a week-long outdoor experience for current and future Troop, Crew, and Ship leaders. It utilizes the patrol method which is easily applied to Crews and Ships. It presents leadership skills in multiple formats providing the opportunity for participants to live and practice these leadership skills. Nearly all of the training is conducted by the youth staff. The course follows Scouting America's National Youth Leadership Training Curriculum.

## Why should Youth attend?

- You'll have fun!!
- The leadership skills you master will help you within Scouting, in school, and later in life.
- Your regular Troop/Crew/Ship position will become more fun.
- You'll make new friends.
- You will have fun!!

## Why should leaders send Youth?

- We provide intensive leadership training in a controlled environment that would be difficult for you to reproduce.
- Trained leader made Scouting fun for the rest of your Troop/Crew/Ship members.
- You'll take pride watching your Youth Leaders lead the Troop, Crew, or Ship.

# Who can attend?

- Must be a registered member of a Scouting Unit.
- Must have a current BSA Health and Medical Record form Parts A, B, and C
- Have a Unit Leader recommendation
- **Scouts BSA Members** (male and female) must be at least 13 years old.
- Must have completed Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops
- Must be First Class rank before attending NYLT.
- **Venturers and Sea Scouts** (male and female) age 14 -20 with parent & Leader recommendations
- **OR** age 13 **and** have completed 8th grade with parent & Leader recommendations
- Must have completed Introduction to Leadership Skills for Crews or Ships.
- It is *recommended* that they have had at least one year of camping experience. While NYLT is not an outdoor skills course, it is important that each participant have basic camping and outdoor cooking experience.

