

What is your vision?

NYLT 2016



Great Rivers Council National Youth Leadership Training

Open to Venturers (male and female) and Boy Scouts!

More information at www.crew3343.org

- “**What is your vision?**” is just one of the questions for you when you attend the Great Rivers Council National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT) course. You will learn leadership skills and concepts that are based on the very best of modern leadership theory and practices. The course will help you become a better leader, a better scout, and a better individual. You will learn skills that will help you at home, at school, at church, in a job, and for a career.
- This course could change your life.** You will get to work with others to learn that a vision is a picture of success. You will acquire a toolbox of leadership skills. You will practice, with your patrol, to put plans into action. You will make new friends and learn how to make your own scout and crew activities more fun and exciting. You will learn about the stages of leadership, and how to effectively serve others.
- Leading yourself and others.** You will learn what you must **BE** (your character and what you are as a person), what you must **KNOW** (your knowledge and skills), and what you must **DO** (your actions) to be an effective leader.
- FUN activities and campfires.** You will participate in model planning, activity, and outing meetings that you can take home to your own troop or crew. The course is like a model month in the life of a Unit. You will participate in outdoor cooking, a geocaching and GPS activity, team games, and an overnight backpacking trip. You will learn ways to make scouting exciting at every meeting. You will learn new games, contests, songs, and ways to make campfires sparkle. You will eat ice cream almost every day.
- This course is the best of Scouting.** You will gain the skills and confidence to lead well. You will camp, work, play, and learn as part of a patrol in a model Unit. Your patrol will be assisted by a staff member who will help you succeed.
- Get ready for NAYLE, the advanced opportunity at Philmont.** This course is required to attend the National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience (NAYLE) at Philmont Scout Ranch in New Mexico.

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When Is It?

The conference will begin at **10:30 a.m. Monday, Aug. 1, 2016** and end at 8:30 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 6, 2016.

Where Is It?

The course will be held at Lake of the Ozarks Scout Reservation (Camp Hohn) near Laurie, Missouri.

Who Can Attend?

Scouts/venturers who want to participate: To learn, to have fun, to camp, to lead, to do your best! Scouts/venturers who understand the importance of leading- themselves and their unit- but need to learn how to be a leader.

Boy Scouts must be at least 13 years old, or have completed the seventh grade, be First Class rank, and have two years of Boy Scout summer camp experience. **Venturers** must be at least 14 years of age.

What Is The Cost?

The course fee is **\$210 if the total is paid by July 1, 2016**. This covers training materials, program supplies, meals, camp fees, troop and patrol equipment, three T-shirts, hat, patch, Silver Bars recognition beads, and a certificate. Most Units help pay all or part of the fee as an investment in their scout leaders.

There is a non-refundable \$50 deposit due in the Council Office to register. The balance of \$160 is due by July 1, 2016 to avoid the late fee. **The late fee is \$50.00.** A total fee of \$260 is due if paid after July 1, 2016. **There will be no refunds for cancellations after July 1, 2016.**

How Do I Sign Up?

Complete the registration form and send it with your deposit to the Council Office.

Your scoutmaster or crew advisor must sign the form. The scout must commit to the entire week. Forms are at www.crew3343.org

Uniforms and Equipment

Scouts will use the full **uniform of their home troop or crew** as well as activity uniforms (Scouting-related T-shirts and solid colored blue, green or khaki shorts or pants. No loud colored shorts or pants and no non-scout shirts will be permitted). **Three NYLT T-shirts and a hat will be provided for wear at the conference.**

For equipment, you should provide your own personal camping gear plus a lightweight backpacking-type tent. An equipment list will be sent after the deposit is received.

Role of Your Scoutmaster/Crew Advisor

The conference is designed to strengthen the relationship between you and your unit leader. **Your scoutmaster, assistant scoutmasters, parents, crew advisor, and crew president are encouraged to attend the closing feast and final ceremony on Saturday, August 6, 2016.** The feast begins at 5:30 p.m. at the Show and Do+shelter at Camp Hohn. The closing ceremony begins at 7:30 p.m. at the Finland Shelter. Scouts will be ready to depart at 8:30 p.m.

Please Note!

The NYLT conference is a highly structured training experience. Scouts/venturers will work on leadership skills, not rank advancement or merit badges.

Where Can I Get More Information?

Go to www.crew3343.org for information.

Or talk to your scoutmaster or crew advisor.

The Council Office will have registration forms and information fact sheets at 800-726-8852.

Call or email Council NYLT Coordinator Cheryl Cobb at cherylcobb3343@gmail.com or at (573) 680-6198.

Great Rivers Council NYLT

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National Youth Leadership Training

Application Form for the 2016 Conference

10:30 a.m. Mon., Aug. 1, 2016, to 8:30 p.m. Sat., Aug. 6, 2016
Lake of the Ozarks Scout Reservation, Laurie, MO

I nominate the following Scout or Venturer:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ E-mail: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Current Unit Position _____ Male-D Female-D Date of Birth: _____

Other leadership positions held: _____

Current rank: First Class-D Star-D Life-D Eagle-D Venturing _____ Order
of the Arrow Member? Yes -D No-D

Camping Merit Badge? Yes-D No-D Cooking Merit Badge? Yes-D No-D

Number of years in: Cub Scouts _____ Boy Scouts _____ Venturing _____

Weeks spent at summer camp: _____ Grade in School (for 2015-2016): _____

T-shirt Size (three included with fee): (Adult Sizes) M-D L-D XL-D XXL-D

Extra shirt(s) at \$10.00 each--Number of extra shirts and size _____ @ \$10.00 each

Awards and Accomplishments: _____

What do you hope this scout will gain from attending Great Rivers Council National Youth Leader Training?

Do you have any food allergies? If yes, please list them _____

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I nominate the individual listed above for the NYLT Course. If a Boy Scout, they will be 13 years of age by Aug. 1, 2016, or will have completed the seventh grade, will be at least First Class rank, and will have had two Boy Scout summer camp experiences. If a venturer, they will be 14 years of age by Aug. 1, 2016. I have discussed this program with the scout and parents, and verified their interest in it.

Unit Leader's Name: _____ District: _____ Unit No.: _____

Address: _____ E-mail: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please enclose a \$50 deposit for each Scout nominated (checks payable to The Great Rivers Council). For registrations after July 1, please enclose the entire \$260. **Send nomination and deposit to:**

NYLT Conference, Great Rivers Council, 1203 Fay Street, Columbia, Missouri 65201. For more information please call Cheryl Cobb at 573-680-6198 or email cherylcobb3343@gmail.com