

What IS NYLT?

National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT) has replaced the Junior Leader Training Conference (JLTC) as the council level training program for youth leaders. It is a six day outdoor experience that supports the Scoutmaster's responsibility for training his troops youth leaders. The course is set up to represent a month in the life of a typical Scout troop.

Who teaches NYLT?

NYLT is conducted by the council training committee, with selected youth serving as staff. All of the youth staff have participated in the NYLT program previously and have strong dedication to the values of Scouting.

Who can Attend NYLT?

There are 3 requirements that a scout must have to attend the conference:

1. A scout must be 13 years of age
2. A scout must be 1st class rank or Above.
3. A scout must be recommended by his Scoutmaster

NATIONAL YOUTH LEADERSHIP TRAINING FACTS

Why the Change?

For the past 30 years, JLTC has been the national standard for council level youth training. In the 30 years, technology and new training techniques have evolved and changed. A national task force was formed to integrate these new technologies and training techniques with the existing BSA content. The new NYLT program is the result.



What is its purpose

Scouting recognizes that Scoutmasters have the responsibility of training their own youth leaders. The purpose of the new NYLT is not assume that role, but to support it. The objectives of the conference are:

- * To Enhance the relationship between the participant and his scoutmaster.
- * To give participants a toolbox of leadership skills to help them relate to their troop responsibilities.
- * To have FUN while learning skills.
- * To give the participants opportunity to share ideas and experiences with scout from other troops.
- * To give the participants the confidence and knowledge to run the troop program.
- * To create an atmosphere where scouts will experience Scouting at its best.

Because the Boy Scouts of America believes that the best youth leaders are trained leaders, it has developed the National Youth Leadership training.

NYLT is a six (6) day experience that provides valuable training to our Scouts. This replaces the old JLT program.

NYLT teaches leadership skills that can be passed on to other members of the troop and patrol. NYLT also addresses a youth leader's effectiveness in his job within the troop.



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