

ROTARY YOUTH LEADERSHIP ASSEMBLY

Rotary International District 5280

April 24, 25, and 26, 2020

Please indicate which Bus Location would be the most convenient for you or will you be driving yourself:					
☐Mar ☐West Vista ☐Redondo ☐ Hawthorne	☐ Downey ☐ Chatsworth ☐ Glendale ☐ drive self				
⊠Counselor (18 and older, fill out within the blue box only)	Please check one: ☐ Female T-SHIRT SIZE: ☐ Male XXL T. SHIRT SIZE:				
Dietary modification (vegetarian, etc.)					
Emergency Contact (name and phone number):					
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E- MAIL:					
HIGH SCHOOL (if applicable) :	CLUB OR ORGANIZATION (if applicable				
SPONSORING ROTARY CLUB (if applicable)					
SPONSOR NAME (if applicable)					
SPONSOR PHONE # (if applicable)					
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PARENTAL CONSENT:					
I hereby GRANT PERMISSION FOR					
(Attendee's name) to attend RYLA on April 24, 25, 26, 2020 at Alpine Conference Center. I understand that I will be notified of the PICK-UP TIME and that it is the PARENT'S RESPONSIBILITY to deliver the student to the designated pick-up location. I also understand that it is the PARENT'S RESPONSIBILITY to meet the student at the pick-up location upon return and that I will be notified of the anticipated time and exact location. I also understand that it is the PARENT'S RESPONSIBILITY to have my student excused from school if applicable. PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE					
SECOND SIGNATURE					
ADDRESS					
CITY	ZIP				
TELEPHONE #					
DI EASE RETURN THIS FORM TO	THE SPONSORING ROTARY CLUB				

No student may participate without a parental consent on file with Rotary.

NOTE: Rotary requires that minors in the legal custody (NOT physical custody) of either parents or more than one legal guardian, both or all shall sign this consent.

To: RYLA Counselors

From: Rotary District 5280 RYLA Committee

Subject: RYLA Counselor Information



Thank you for volunteering to serve and attend the 2020 Youth Leadership Assembly sponsored by Rotary International District 5280, to be held on April 24, 25 and 26, 2020 at Alpine Conference Center in Blue Jay, California.

RYLA Counselor meetings will be held in El Segundo once a month usually starting in October. You will receive emails from ryladistrict5280@gmail.com each month with meeting information. It is very important that you to respond when asked. Please add that email address to your list of contacts so that these emails do not go to spam. We know this may be hard for some of you as you may live far away or have events happening on our meeting dates but it is very important that we see you at our meetings.

You will coordinate with four or five Rotary clubs to find out how many student campers they will send to RYLA and when they will pay their attendance fees. Not as easy as it sounds but as long as you communicate often, you can get this job done. You will want to make these Rotarians your new best friends. We will assign the clubs at the first meeting.

WHAT HAPPENS AT RYLA? Each year, between 180 and two hundred high school students from Rotary International District 5280 meet for two days and participate in a variety of activities, including active leadership workshops, team building activities, an Olympics and talent show. Many friendships develop at these assemblies, some of which are carried forward as the students grow and mature. This conference offers the campers an opportunity to learn and express leadership skills and to accept individual responsibility as the basis for personal success, community involvement and group achievement.

The center is comprised of cabins and dormitories, segregated by gender, all of which are fully enclosed and equipped with a full complement of restroom facilities. The program includes all meals and there is no need for money other than that needed for the gift shop and coffee bar. Set high in the San Bernardino Mountains, the setting of the camp is breathtaking and completely private, giving the campers a peaceful environment in which to learn to know themselves and each other better. Each year's assembly is staffed by approximately forty male and female adults, most of whom are Rotarians, with the occasional spouse or teacher, who is assigned to the cabins and dormitories and provide supervision of the campers at all times.

As always, this year's RYLA has a full agenda of excellent speakers and motivators, as well as many activities, all designed to challenge the campers and help them develop their leadership skills, for their benefit and the benefit of their communities. The campers will be transported to and from the camp by bus, (see attached schedule) with an early-morning departure on Friday, April 24, 2020. The assembly ends at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, April 26, 2020 and the campers will be returned to the designated locations at approximately 4:00 p.m. You will be responsible for your transportation to and from the pick-up points. Everyone will receive confirmation of their transportation location approximately ten days prior to the assembly.

**(If you do not receive confirmation ten days prior, please contact us: Laine Caspi (818-457-8992, laine@paratusinsurance.com), Jeremy Brown (310-809-1771, <u>jeremyinrotary@gmail.com</u>), Ariel Ayaay (310-648-4091, <u>ryladistrict5280@gmail.com</u>), Claire Ayaay (818-807-6407)

You need to pay your own way to RYLA and of course you are free for sponsorship from your Rotary club. If you start saving now, putting as little as \$25.00 away each month, you will have enough!

The cost is \$200.00 per student and is usually paid by the sponsoring Rotary Club and \$150.00 for counselors.

Attached for your information are the following:

- 1. Counselors Duties and Responsibilities
- 2. Registration form which requires parental consent (under 18 only)
- 3. Medical History and Consent to Treatment form which requires parental signature(s) (under 18 only)
- 4. What to bring list
- 5. Directions to Blue Jay and camp phone number (emergency only)
- 6. Sample Agenda

Counselor Duties and Responsibilities at RYLA:

• We ask that each counselor:

- Have a Positive Attitude, if you notice other counselors talking to campers rudely or inappropriately, please either pull them aside and talk to them or let Elyse or Krislyn know ASAP
- o Participate and help. There will be lots of opportunities for you to participate.
- <u>Be on the look out for the 4 C's:</u> Creativity, Compassion, Cooperation, and Communication. Jot down names of students who exhibit one of the 4 C's and why. At the end of the weekend we will vote on which student's best exhibits one of the 4 C's. We will also vote on one student who exhibits all of the 4 C's.
- Please spread out during the sessions held in the chapel.
- Please wear this year's RYLA T-shirt or sweatshirt, the entire weekend. You will be given a t-shirt at the beginning of the weekend.

Buses

- All students must take the bus to RYLA. It is important for all to arrive at the same time as to participate in all activities.
- Counselors will either take the bus closest to them or they can drive themselves to RYLA.
- o There is one or two "Bus Captains", comprised of counselors, for each bus.
- o There is a total of 6 bus locations, the locations can change from year to year.
- o Five of the buses have one pick up location. One of the buses has 2 pick up locations.
- o An email will be sent about one month prior to RYLA with the bus information.
- On Sunday, we will have bus signs. For the different locations, set up around the sport court for luggage to be placed.

Meal times

- We will have a 'Meal Card" group, comprised of counselors. It is their responsibility to get to meals times early, make sure all tables have a sign and that all cards to be given to all at the dining room door are organized.
- Everyone will be given a card as they enter the dining hall. That card corresponds with a table they are to sit at for that meal only.
- Someone from the "Meal Card" group will pick up the cards shortly after everyone has arrived
- We ask that all counselors spread out during meals and help keep conversation going.
- All counselors are to sit with the students at all meals.
- There will be a" Meal Games" group, comprised of counselors. It is their responsibility to get to meals early and set out the meal games for that meal. This group is responsible for running the game and collecting all materials at the end of each meal.
- o We do everything in our power to make sure that meal times are not rushed.

Cabins

- All counselors will be assigned a cabin or cabins. A list of who is in your cabin will be posted on your cabin(s) door.
- o Girls are allowed in the girls cabins only and boys in the boys cabins only
- If there is not a counselor in the cabin next to yours, you are responsible for that cabin also. Counselors are denoted with an * by their name
- At times students have tried moving their cabin assignment, if this happens, please let Elye or Krislyn know and we will make sure the student is in their assigned cabin by bedtime.
- Someone will come by, after all students are to be in their cabins, to double check all have been accounted for. It is really helpful if you are prepared and know if all of your

- students are accounted for and if any are missing.
- You are allowed to lock your cabin doors
- Check your cabins for things needed, broken items, plumbing problems, etc <u>let Krislyn</u> Know ASAP!!!
- o Cabin time spend time with students, get to know them. Be yourself and have fun!

Team building and Olympic activities

- Each counselor will be assigned a team building (1st day) and an Olympic activity (2nd Day). Counselors who have been through the training for these activities will lead, all others will assist.
- If you were not assigned an activity prior to RYLA weekend, we will assign you to an activity on Friday morning or Saturday morning. If we have an overabundance of counselors, we may have some move through the activities. This way you can see how the other activities work.
- At times it may appear to be confusing, but all activities have been carefully planned and practiced
- *When tasked to lead something, need to be clear on what is being asked. Activities have been created specifically and need to be lead the way designed. If you have any questions, please see Elyse or Krislyn.
- Remember you are responsible for cleaning up any activity you are leading

• Coolest universe

- On Saturday night, we do something called Coolest Universe, if this is your first year we suggest that you participate with the students.
- We limit sharing for the students only during coolest universe.

• Personality Styles

- When we break up in our styles, allow the students to lead the group! Sit back and listen and observe.
- Please follow along and take the personality quiz if you want.

Misc

- Before each activity we ask that all counselors conduct cabin sweeps. Make sure that all students are at the assigned activity. When conducting cabin sweeps, activities are not optional. There are only 2 activities that are optional; the Motivational kick start on Saturday morning and the Nature hike on Sunday morning.
- Questions about how things are run at RYLA, talk to Elyse or Krislyn.
- Look out for cell/text use during activities/sessions; we try our best to encourage the students to participate in all activities.

Thank you again for volunteering! If you have any questions please contact us:

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All registration forms are due by March 24, 2020.

Please complete this form and email to any of us above.

If you are 18 and older you only need to fill out the section at the top of the first page (above the line for parental consent)

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IMPORTANT: Please notify Rotary if this student was exposed to a communicable disease during 3 weeks prior to attending RYLA.

This health history is correct as far as I know, and the person herein described has permission to engage in all prescribed activities, except as noted by me on this health form.

STUDENT'S NAME EVENT: RYLA

ROTARY CLUB EVENT DATE(S): April 24-26, 2020

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 5280

AUTHORIZATION AND RELEASE FOR MEDICAL AND DENTAL TREATMENT

The undersigned, as the parent or parents, or legal guardian or legal guardians, of the above-named student, a minor (the "minor"), hereby authorize ROTARY INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 5280 and its authorized directors and leaders (collectively "ROTARY") to consent to any x-ray examination, anesthetic, medical or surgical diagnosis or treatment and hospital care (collectively "medical care") to be rendered to the minor under the general or special supervision and upon the advice of a physician or surgeon licensed under the laws of the State of California or other jurisdiction in which medical care is sought, and to consent to any x-ray examination, anesthetic, dental or surgical diagnosis or treatment and hospital care (collectively "dental care") to be rendered to the minor by a dentist licensed under the laws of the State of California or other jurisdiction in which dental care is sought. For the purpose of medical care or dental care obtained in the State of California, this authorization is given pursuant to the provisions of Section 25.8 of the California Civil Code, as amended. For the purpose of medical care or dental care obtained outside of California, this authorization is given with the intent that any consent given pursuant to this authorization shall be the consent of each of the undersigned.

It is understood that if time and circumstances reasonably permit, Rotary International District 5280 will endeavor, but is not required, to communicate with at least one of the undersigned prior to the rendering of medical care of dental care for which consent is given pursuant to this authorization. The undersigned understand and agree that Rotary International District 5280 and its delegated leaders and directors shall not be legally or financially liable for any claim rising from any medical care or dental care provided pursuant to this authorization. The undersigned hereby agree to indemnify and hold Rotary International District 5280 harmless from any claim made by or on behalf of said minor arising out of any medical care or dental care provided pursuant to this authorization.

This authorization is given to Rotary International District 5280 for use in conjunction with any event operated by Rotary International District 5280, and shall be valid until revoked in writing by the undersigned or any of them.

Signed	Date			
	(Parent or Guardian)			
We DO	DO NOT Have family health/medical insurance coverage			
Medical Insurance Company				
Policy Number	Expires , 20			

STUDENT'S NAME:

ROTARY CLUB:

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 5280 RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

IN CONSIDERATION of being permitted to participate in any was in programs affiliated with (or for my child to participate) for any purpose, the undersigned for herself or himself and such participating child and any personal representatives, heirs, and next of kin, hereby acknowledges, agrees and represents that he or she has inspected and carefully considered such program. It is further warranted that participation in the program constitutes an acknowledgment that such program has been inspected and carefully considered and that the undersigned finds and accepts same as being safe and reasonably suited for the purpose of participation by the undersigned and such child.

IN FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF BEING PERMITTED TO PARTICIPATE IN ANY WAY IN SUCH PROGRAMS, THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY AGREES TO THE FOLLOWING:

- 1. THE UNDERSIGNED ON HER OR HIS BEHALF AND ON BEHALF OF SUCH CHILD, HEREBY RELEASES, WAIVES, DISCHARGES AND COVENANTS NOT TO SUE Rotary International District 5280, its directors, officers, employees, and agents)hereinafter referred to as "releasees") from all liability to the undersigned, his personal representatives, heirs, and next of kin for any loss or damage, and any claim or demands therefore on account of injury or death to the undersigned or such child, or property damage, whether caused by the negligence of the releasees or otherwise while engaged in any activity related to such program affiliated with Rotary International District 5280.
- 2. THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY AGREES TO INDEMNIFY AND SAVE AND HOLD HARMLESS the releasees and each of them from any loss, liability, damage or cost they may incur due to the participation of the undersigned or child of the undersigned whether caused by the negligence of the releasees or otherwise.
- 3. THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY ASSUMES FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR AND RISK OF BODILY INJURY, DEATH OR PROPERTY DAMAGE to the undersigned or child of the undersigned due to negligence of releasee or otherwise while engaged in any activity related to such program affiliated with Rotary International District 5280.
- 4. THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY ASSUMES FULL COST OF TRANSPORTATION CHARGES to the undersigned or child of the undersigned for reasons of health, accident or failure to conform to rules established. We agree to accept full responsibility for and to pay for the cost of medical care, transportation and other incidental expenses. This permission slip also serves as a contract that the student and parent(s) understand and agree to the guidelines. (See what to/not bring list)

THE UNDERSIGNED further expressly agrees that the foregoing RELEASE, WAIVER AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the law of the State of California and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS READ AND VOLUNTARILY SIGNS THE RELEASE, WAIVER AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT, and further agrees that no oral representations, statements or inducement apart from the foregoing written agreement have been made.

The Rotary clubs will spend hundreds of dollars to teach leadership skills. If your child is registered and cannot go, you must let us know before <u>March 24, 2020</u>. If you do not let us know before that date, you will be financially responsible for the cost incurred by the Rotary club that sponsored your child.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE

Dated		
Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian		
Parents E-Mail Address:	Print Name	

Note: Please print out a copy of registration form, sign and return to your Rotary club representative.



Use as a checklist to ensure you have each item

It can get very cold in the mountains, send your child with a snow jacket, gloves, snow hat, etc., in case of cold weather

- o <u>WEATHER APPROPRIATE CLOTHING-CAMP CLOTHES- NOT NEW CLOTHES, WE ARE OUTDOORS A LOT!!!!</u>
- o Sleeping bag or sheet with two blankets
- o Pillow
- o TOWEL
- o Warm jacket
- o Gloves
- o Tennis shoes
- o Extra pair of shoes
- o Comfortable clothes for athletics
- o Personal toiletries (toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, shampoo, towel, washcloth, deodorant, Hairbrush, etc.)
- o Sunscreen
- o Refillable Water bottle
- o Props, costumes, musical instruments, tapes, CD's for Saturday night RYLA IDOL Talent Show (optional participation as performer)
- o Camera
- o FLASHLIGHT!!!! There are no streetlights and it gets darker than you might expect

Look like a leader***Talk like a leader***Act like a leader***You are a Leader

<u>DO NOT BRING</u>

Marking pens

Pocketknives or other sharp instruments (scissors, razor blades)

Flip flops – dirt/gravel roads only

<u>PROHIBITED ITEMS – YOU WILL BE SENT HOME AT YOUR PARENTS EXPENSE</u> <u>IF YOU BRING THESE ITEMS TO RYLA</u>

Illegal drugs, drug paraphernalia or cigarettes

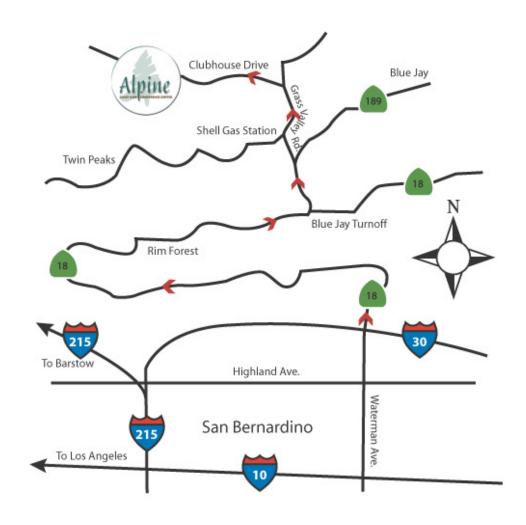
• WE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY OF YOUR BELONGINGS (INCLUDING CELL PHONES, I-PODS, ETC) AT ANY TIME.

Directions to Alpine and Camp information

The telephone number at Alpine Conference Center is 909-337-6287

Directions to Alpine conference Center:

- From the 10 Fwy. Go north on I-215 towards San Bernardino.
- Bear right at "Mt. Resorts" onto Hwy. 30, east.
- Exit at Waterman Ave. (Hwy. 18) and turn left (north) go up the mountain.
- Proceed on Hwy. 18 towards Lake Arrowhead.
- Continue 1/2 mile past the town of Rim Forest.
- Turn left onto Daley Cyn. Rd. at the "Blue Jay" turnoff sign.
- Turn left onto Hwy. 189 at the stop sign.
- Turn right onto Grass Valley Rd. at the Shell Station
- Bear left at the immediate intersection.
- Turn left onto Club House Dr. (3rd left).
- Registration is in the Redwood Lodge, the red building which is the second building on the left. Parking is available on both sides of the street.



Sample Agenda for RYLA Weekend

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Time	Topic	Location	Misc. Information					
<u>Friday</u>								
Various times	Buses Start Rounds							
9:45 - 10:45	Buses arrive at camp		Everyone					
	Registration begins	Cedar Lodge	Dist. Books/Pens/backpacks					
	Name Badge Creations Find Assigned Cabins	Sports Court	Students					
10:30 - 11:00	Thumb Ball	Sport Court	Students/Staff					
	Counselor Meeting	Fireside room	All Counselors					
11:00 - 11:30	Opening Comments/Rules Staff Introductions	Chapel	Everyone					
11:30 -12:15	Lunch	Everyone						
12:30 – 5:30	Team Confidence Building Leadership Quest Begins	Sports Court campground	Students/Staff					
5:45 - 6:30	Dinner	Chapel	Everyone					
6:45 – 7:15	Free time/ RYLAidol sign ups	Campground	Everyone					
7:30 – 9:15	Personality Styles with Kent Caldwell	Redwood Lodge	Everyone					
9:15 -10:00	Snacks and free time (NO NOISE PERMITTED OUTSIDE)	Cedar Lodge	Everyone					
10:00 pm	2:00 pm Everyone in assigned cabins Cabins		Everyone LIGHTS OUT					
	<u>Saturday</u>							
8:00 - 8:45	Breakfast of Champions Dining Room		Camp Staff					
9:00 - 10:00	Team T-shirt Designing	Cedar Lodge	Students Only					
	Counselor meeting	Fireside Room	Counselors					
10:15 -11:30	Communication "101" with Charlie Gallagher	Chapel	Everyone					
11:30 – 12:00	Lunch (wear team shirts)	Dining Hall	Everyone in TEAM T-SHIRTS					

Time	Topic	Location	Misc. Information		
12:15 - 1:00	Olympics Parade	Sports Court/ Grass field	Everyone in TEAM T-SHIRTS		
1:00 - 5:00	RYLA OLYMPICS	Campgrounds/ Grass Field	Everyone		
5:00 – 5:45	"Four C's" Dinner	Dining Room	Camp Staff		
6:00 – 7:30	W.I.N at Leadership with Maurice Dimino	Chapel	Everyone		
7:30 – 8:00	FREE TIME- "RYLA IDOL sign ups"	Get your RYLAidol supplies!	Campground		
8:00 -10:00	"RYLA IDOL " The Greatest Talent Show in the World-RYLA Style	Chapel	Hosted by Ryla Seacrest		
10:00 pm	Snacks	Chapel Patio	Everyone		
10:15 -11:15	The "Coolest Universe"	Fire Circle Wear Warm clothing !!!!	ALL RYLArians		
	<u>Sunday</u>				
7:00 – 7:30	Nature Walk -Optional-	Lodge	Chris		
7:30 - 8:00	Clean up camp, dorms, pack "Bring luggage to sports court and place in front of YOUR BUS sign (Before Breakfast)	Campgrounds	Everyone		
8:00 - 8:30	Power Breakfast	Dining Room	Everyone		
8:45 – 10:45	Visioneering with Donn Cottom	Chapel	Everyone		
10:45 -11:45	Alien Invasion	Chapel/Patio	Everyone		
11:45 -12:45	Evaluations / Awards Closing Comments	Chapel	Everyone		
12:50 -1:30	Farewell Lunch	Dining Room	GO RYLA!!!		
1:30	Group Photo	Redwood Lodge	Everyone in shirts		
2:00 pm	Buses Depart	Sports Court			

^{*} Times may vary

"RYLA's Got Talent" TALENT SHOW

- Saturday Night
- Prizes awarded in these categories:
 - o Singing
 - Lip Sync
 - o Dance
 - o Drama
 - Comedy
 - Instrumental
- Individual and Group for all categories
- Be sure to bring your instruments, props and costumes!
 - Bring your own Music, CD or iPod.
 - Microphone, video projector also avail @ Camp
 - Sign up at the conference

Make your plans to enter now!!