

National Youth Leadership Training

Training youth leaders in the Boy Scouts is important in helping the individual scout and the unit grow. Scouting America has developed an advanced training experience that has proven very valuable in the training of youth leaders.

National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT) is an intensive, week-long camp experience for upper rank Boy Scouts and Venturers. Each participant works through a series of challenges with the mentoring of highly skilled youth staff members. Participants are equipped with the basic skills necessary to become leaders in their units. The skills learned at NYLT also carry over into their schools, communities, and future careers.

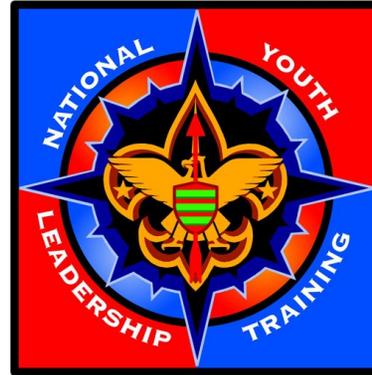
NYLT is structured to represent a month in the life of a typical Scout unit. Participants will sleep in tents, prepare meals with their Patrols, and are expected to live by the Scout Oath and Law.



This course is built around the BE-KNOW-DO of leadership:

- What a leader must **BE**
- What a leader must **KNOW**
- What a leader must **DO**

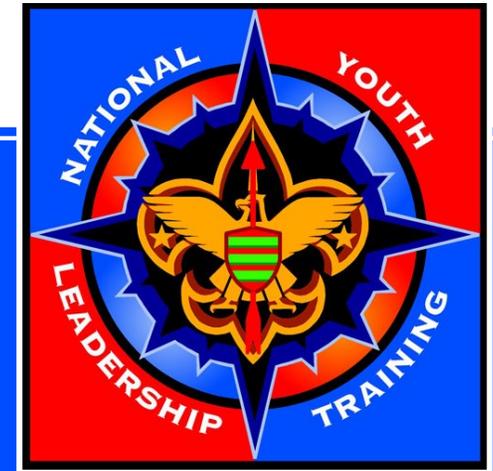
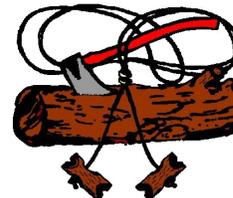
A National Youth Leadership Learning Experience



National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT) is an exciting, action-packed program designed to provide youth members of Samoset Council, Scouting America, with leadership skills and experience they can use in their home units and in other situations demanding leadership of self and others. The NYLT course centers around the concepts of leaders must BE, what they must KNOW, and what they must DO. The key elements are taught with a clear focus on HOW TO. The skills come alive during the week as the patrol goes on a **Quest For The Meaning of Leadership.**

Wood Badge is an Adult Leadership Training course.

Course Dates:
Aug 21-23, 2026
Sept 19-20, 2026



National Youth Leadership Training

June 8 - 14, 2025

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Hanna Venture Base
5305 Crystal Lake Rd.
Rhineland, WI 54501

“A Quest for the Meaning of Leadership”

Leadership Skills:

- Communicating Well
- Servant Leadership
- Planning
- Conflict Resolution
- Goal Setting
- The Leaders EDGE
- Leading Yourself
- Problem Solving
- Developing Teams
- Developing Visions
- Making Ethical Decisions
- Valuing People

What is National Leadership Training?

- Seven days of hands-on leadership training
- True Patrol Method atmosphere
- Techniques on how to make the Patrol Method work
- Learning verbal and non-verbal communication
- Outdoor cooking
- GPS and geocache games
- Teaching Methods (EDGE)
- Outpost experience
- Making new life-long friends



Living Arrangements and Equipment

Participants will sleep in tents with other scouts in their patrols. Most meals will be prepared over a fire with other members in their patrol sites. Typically Scouts from the same unit are not assigned to the same patrol. Each Scout should bring their own tent and backpack. Scouts will be responsible for getting their own equipment from the parking lot to their assigned campsite.



Scouts will receive:

- National Youth Leadership Training Bolo
- Two NYLT T-shirts
- NYLT Hat
- NYLT Water Bottle
- NYLT Training material
- NYLT Patch
- Food for the week
- Loads of challenges, excitement, and FUN
- Life-long friends

Participant Qualifications and Requirements

- Future or current leader in your unit
- A desire to enhance your leadership skills
- Registered member of the BSA
- 13-17 year old (or completed 7th grade) Boy Scout or 14-20 year old Venture Scout
- First Class Boy Scout or similar skill Venture Scout
- Have your unit leader's approval
- Have participated in a week long camp experience such as Tesomas
- Completed Introduction to Leadership Skills

Mandatory Orientation

The Scout and their parent/guardian are required to attend one of the mandatory pre-course orientation sessions. These sessions will provide parents and scouts important information so as to make this training an enjoyable time. Scoutmasters are encouraged to attend as well. Tuesday May 13, 2025 7:00PM Abbottsford Wednesday, May 14, 2025 -7:00 PM—Stevens Point Thursday, May 15, 2025 - 7:00 PM—Wausau

Fee Schedule - 2025 Fee is \$335

- \$335 if paid in full by May 31, 2025
- \$360 if paid in full AFTER June 1, 2025
- **\$175 minimum deposit due with registration**

Deposits are non-refundable, but are transferable to other scouts that attend 2025 NYLT Conference



Register online today!

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