

RYLA 2019 FAST FACTS

ROTARY YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARDS

2019 Camp Dates: June 22-27, 2019 (Sunday to Wednesday)

Location: Grove Camp, Dorena, Oregon

144 high school sophomores (between sophomore and junior years) – students are identified as leaders or having leadership potential by school counselors and teachers, and are interviewed by and selected for participation by Rotary clubs.

Students reside in rustic cabins and receive 3 hot meals and snacks daily; bus transportation is provided to and from camp by First Student. Curriculum and challenge activities follow a rigorous schedule and are designed by educators at True North Consulting, specifically for teenagers. Rotary values and “Service Above Self” are highlighted, as is the Four Way Test.

Camp staff: 4 professional facilitators; 1 counselor mentor; 12 counselors; 12 assistant counselors, 6 Rotarians make for a better than 1:5 Staff to student ratio.

Cost per camper: \$550 – paid by a Rotary club; no cost to students or families

- Rotary clubs send payments to RYLA, c/o Dell Gray
- **IMPORTANT:** Payments must be made before camp – no exceptions!

Deadline for camper registrations: Friday, May 1, 2019

- Send registration packets to RYLA Chair Dell Gray, 168 Snowberry Road, Roseburg OR 97471; email: dggray5110@gmail.com If you e-mail documents, there’s no need to mail hard copies
- Rotary clubs: Please complete the club information on the Registration Form.
- If you have more qualified applicants than sponsorships, please indicate “primary” and “alternate” selections at the top of each Registration Form. We will accommodate alternates if we receive cancellations and/or if other clubs indicate a willingness to pay for additional campers, up to our maximum of 144. We have been able to find sponsorships for almost all alternates on waiting lists in recent years.

All staff, Rotarians and adults who have student contact at camp undergo background checks paid by Rotary; onsite medical care is provided by Rotarian Ken Orwick, MD, of Lebanon. Rotarians may visit camp to observe and join us for a meal – please RSVP to Dell Gray before June 15, 2019.

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