

## RYLA 2014

### WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW!!

Dear RYLA Awardee,

Congratulations on being selected by the Rotary Club in your area to receive the Rotary Youth Leadership Award! This year's RYLA conference will take place at YMCA Geneva Park **April 25-27 2014**. Many young people from across our area will be attending this event. The leadership team consists of Rotarians and professionals who are business and industry leaders, in addition to students who participated in last year's program. A varied and challenging weekend awaits!!!

We will begin at 9:30am on Friday, Apr. 25 with registration and conclude at 11:30am Sunday, Apr.27. **You must stay for the entire program.** Transportation arrangements should be made through your local Rotary club.

### DRESS FOR THE WEATHER. THERE WILL BE OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES.

Underwear

Socks - warm ones

Comfortable outdoor shoes/hiking boots **with closed toes**

(a must for outdoor activities)

Long pants/shorts

Shirts

Sweaters or sweatshirts

Pajamas and slippers

Warm jacket for cool evening at the campfire

Rain coat/gear (outdoor activities will proceed – rain or shine!)

Warm hat, mitts or gloves

Sun hat or ball cap

Toothbrush/toothpaste

Brush or comb

Soap & shampoo

Paper and pen

Flashlight

Sunscreen

Insect repellent

NOTE - Rooms include linens & pillows, no sleeping bags required

#### *Optional*

Camera, binoculars

Any special food you want or need – that you just can't live without. Meals are provided but if you want something special for a snack, go ahead.

One snack to share with others. **Please do not bring items containing nuts.**

### Saturday night is our annual Coffee House, when everyone is encouraged to share their talent.

If you play a musical instrument you might want to bring it. If music is not your talent - art, poetry, jokes, skits or something special about you will do just fine!!!

Looking forward to meeting all of you for a great weekend together,

Erin Beresford, RYLA Chair

Deb Watson, RYLA District Registrar