

ROTARY DISTRICT 6450

The Birthplace of Rotary



ROTARY YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARDS APRIL 16-18, 2021

Each year thousands of young people take part in the Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) program worldwide. Young people are chosen for their leadership potential to attend workshops to discuss leadership skills and to learn those skills through practice. RYLA aims to:

- Demonstrate Rotary's respect and concern for youth
- Provide an effective training experience for selected youth who are potential leaders
- Encourage leadership of youth by youth
- Publicly recognize young people who are rendering service to their communities
- Help participants develop independent thinking and understanding of themselves

Join us for our first ever Rotary District 6450 Virtual RYLA. We have taken our favorite RYLA activities, added some fun new ideas, and combined them with the user-friendly features of Zoom. The results, a weekend you will never forget.

You will experience team-building activities with other students from across Illinois, as well as a handful of exchange students from around the globe. Throughout the weekend, you will work in a variety of small groups as you solve puzzles, hone your leadership and communication style, and learn new ways to affect change.

This fun, interactive weekend is filled with sessions and activities to boost your team building, leadership, communication, and self-reflection skills. Do not miss this unique opportunity to learn more about yourself and others!

For more information, contact your local Rotary Club or call or email the RYLA registrar, Linda Yates.

Please note that because we will be using Zoom for this program, we must have the participant email for meeting links.

Return all of the following form to your local Rotary Club with the appropriate information and signatures by March 26, 2021.

Rotary Clubs please turn in forms and checks for **\$100** per participant made out to **Rotary District 6450** to:

Linda Yates
PO Box 10
LaGrange, IL 60525

email: yates.linda@sbcglobal.net
Cell: 708-404-3068

Return by March 26, 2021

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Application for participants/volunteers (Please print or type)

Name _____ Male Date of Birth _____

Prefer to be called _____ Female Shirt Size S M L XL XXL

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Participant Phone _____

Participant Email _____

Sponsoring Rotary Club _____

Member of Interact Club yes _____ no _____ High School _____

In case of emergency, contact: Name _____

Email _____

Phone _____

Please note that we will be mailing a RYLA kit, so please make sure the mailing address above is accurate. Also, we will be using Zoom for this program, we must have the participant email for meeting links.

RYLA tentative schedule

Friday, April 16 – 6-9pm

Saturday, April 17 – 9am-5pm (with scheduled breaks)

Sunday, April 18 – 10am-2pm