



What is RYPEN?

RYPEN stands for **Rotary Youth Programme of Enrichment** which through a weekend live in seminar, aims to create in young adults an awareness of their place in and responsibility towards, society. Participants are sponsored and paid for by the many Rotary Clubs within District 9465 who see RYPEN as a great opportunity to demonstrate their commitment to youth in their community.

Who Should Apply?

Young people, 14-17, who have not had any experience in leadership positions and would benefit from a structured learning program focused on confidence building and having exposure to introductory leadership training.

What Does RYPEN Offer?

- Increased motivation and improved life skills
- Better self image and more pride in self
- An understanding of how to set and achieve goals
- The confidence to overcome failure and take control of the one's future
- An opportunity to challenge personal boundaries.

What Does it Involve?

RYPEN is an intensive programme which includes developing and implementing problem solving skills. At the same time participants from different backgrounds are interacting with each other and improving their teamwork skills. Activities may include a low ropes course, a team building course, workshops, games and more done in an informal atmosphere, where questions and debate are encouraged.

Where is it Held?

The camp is held at the **Baptist Churches of WA-Serpentine Camping Centre, 22 Transit Road, Jarradale WA**

When is it Held?

There are two camps scheduled each Rotary year in May and September.

Applications

Applications for RYPEN **September 2021** are now open! Contact Andrew Middleton for further information.