



## Rotary Youth Leadership Awards

# 2019 Leadership Camp

## Apply Today

### About RYLA

The Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA), hosted at Camp Hinds in Raymond, Maine, is an experience that allows students to develop leadership skills, enhance personal strengths, all while learning to apply high ethical standards.

Our program uses a wide range of experiential activities and challenges, such as a brand new high and low ropes course, which provide individuals an opportunity to achieve their personal leadership goals for the week. Camp life is alive and fun with time for swimming, camp fires and more. Inside their Leadership Exploration Group, students will find themselves motivated to learn more about their individual leadership style, and how to apply it to their lives.

**Rotary clubs sponsor the full financial cost of each participant and the facilitators that volunteer their time.** This scholarship is valued at over \$750.00

**Rotary Clubs select and sponsor talented, promising rising juniors, ages 15 – 16 to attend.**

**Often students ask two important questions:**

**First, who should consider attending?** The answer is simple. If you have a desire to increase your confidence as a leader and as an individual, while also giving yourself a challenge to grow personally, then RYLA is the leadership experience you are looking for.

**Second, what will I take away from this experience?** The answer goes well beyond a resume building experience. Many alumni and former students report back years later that it was one of the most influential experiences of their lives, in which they gained lifelong friendships, increased confidence, and a willingness to continually be challenged to achieve positive growth.

Are you ready to for the challenge and want to be empowered to make a positive difference in this world?

Then Apply Today!

**This is a 4 day OUTDOOR interactive leadership experience for students who have completed their Sophomore Year in High School.**

**The Journey Begins**

**Sunday June 23, 2019**

**Ending Wednesday June 26, 2019**

— Or does it?



### Full Value Contract of RYLA

**The Contract:**

**I Agree to:**

1. **Value** myself and the members of my group
2. Show **respect** for others as individuals, and
3. As part of valuing others, **share the responsibility** for the **physical and emotional safety** of each individual and act when I see an unsafe situation.

**[www.RYLA7780.org](http://www.RYLA7780.org)**

# Experiential Learning

**RYLA is a Positive Youth Development (PYD) program focused on individual growth, personal empowerment, and community leadership through service.**

## Application Process

**Step One:** Contact your local Rotary Club for an application or find application at [ryla7780.org](http://ryla7780.org). To send in.

**Step Two:** Complete the application process with your local Rotary Club. They pick students. Once you have been accepted you will receive a welcome package with the necessary forms..

**Step Three:** Show up at Camp Hinds at 8:30 A.M. on June 23th—the adventure begins. Be ready for **fun** and **a challenge!!!!**



For more information or if you need help getting  
connected to a local Rotary Club  
please contact: [www.rotary7780.org](http://www.rotary7780.org) for listing of clubs

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