

# RYLA

## Rotary Youth Leadership Award (RYLA) Seminar

The Rotary Clubs of Rotary District 7120 offers a leadership development seminar for High School age students in our district. The program aims to increase the participants understanding of leadership through both classroom and practical application exercises. A Situational Leadership model inspires the presentations.

### Sample topics:

- Process vs. Content Leadership
- Creating a team environment
- Fixing problems instead of fixing blame
- Situational Leadership - Survey and discussion
- Developing others skills and talents beyond your own and why
- Public Speaking
- Managing teams
- Facilitating problem solving

The concepts listed above are introduced through classroom presentations/discussions or through interactive challenges the participants are asked to complete. Participants also do homework, presentations and projects as members of one of the three committees.

### Goals:

- 👍 Participants will recognize the different stages of performance development
- 👍 Participants will recognize unique leadership needs in different situational contexts
- 👍 Participants will adjust their leadership style to be more effective
- 👍 Participants will demonstrate effective public speaking skills and organization
- 👍 Participants will demonstrate effective group facilitation skills

Instructor: Ted Baumhauer, Ed.D., Doctorate in Education from The University of Vermont.

- 👍 Leading seminars in the areas of supervision, communication skills, and organizational development since 1982.
- 👍 Known for bringing the theories to life by challenging the participants to put the theories to use in the seminar room.
- 👍 Check out Ted's website: [www.tedbaumhauer.net](http://www.tedbaumhauer.net) It's a blast!
- 👍 More RYLA information can be found at our Rotary website: [www.rotary7120.org](http://www.rotary7120.org), just click on Vocational Service, then on RYLA.

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