

National Youth Leadership Training (Baldwin) – 2023



Dear NYLT Trailhead Participants and Parents:

Congratulations, you are taking the next step on a journey of leadership. The trail starts here!

Enclosed in this packet is essential information for participants to read and act on.

Session dates.

Session #1: Jul 16th – Jul 21st - 1:00PM Sunday through 5:30pm Friday at Camp Baldwin

Session #3: Aug 6th – Aug 11th - 1:00PM noon Sunday through 5:30pm Friday at Camp Baldwin

Participants will need to attend the whole week to complete the course

1. For check in you will need.

- BSA Annual Health and Medical Record (3 pages-A, B₁, B₂, and C) fully completed, and any prescription medications in their original containers. Prescriptions must show the participant's name. https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/680-001_AB.pdf □ Personal gear (participants will have only a short time to get their gear out of the car at the drop off point)
- Parent Permission slips and Course Conduct agreement (see below)

Camp Baldwin location and directions are available on the council NYLT web page at <https://cpcbsa.org/NYLT>.

2. When you arrive at camp, the participant **please wear a complete Scout Field Uniform (a.k.a. Class A) uniform**, (with insignia conforming to the placement requirements in your Scout Handbook). 'Complete' means at minimum, a BSA shirt, BSA pants or shorts, belt and socks. Hats are optional. During the course, participants should wear either their Field Uniform shirt, or other scouting-related apparel. It is requested that apparel with non-scouting related logos NOT be worn while on course. Once on course, participants are assigned to a patrol. Scouts from the same unit should expect to be assigned to different patrols. Please let us know if a relative of your Scout is attending the course. Come prepared to work hard and learn. Everything you see and experience is part of the learning. The course can be tough at times - but everyone can make it through. Because this is a leadership course and not a summer camp, behavior expectations are higher than normal. Come prepared to have fun while you learn.
4. While at NYLT, participants will be preparing meals with their patrol in camp. This will help patrols learn to work together and will provide participants the success of developing as leaders. **Please let us know in advance of any dietary restrictions you might have by submitting a special needs form** https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScydObyJGFAVEF229Uwdp3rEM_wnPOtrMs0iufNHxlcTgkw3w/viewform
5. The course will complete on Friday evening after the patrol presentations and closing campfire. Pickups will park where you did your initial check on arrival and walk down the camp office where you will be directed to further events. Parents and families (**NO PETS**) are welcome, and encouraged, to attend the patrol presentations starting at 4:00. You and your Scout are invited to a completion dinner that evening starting at 5:30. Come meet your participant's patrol and hear the tales. More details on the final course event and feast will be made available in a pre-course meeting closer to the course date. Participants are expected to be out of camp by 7:00pm.
6. Attached below is recommended packing list, as well as a Parent & Scoutmaster/unit leader permission slip and a participant code of conduct. The permission slip and code of conduct will need to be completed and signed and brought with you at check in. You cannot attend course without them.
Note that the parent and participant both sign the code of conduct. This is a good chance to discuss your expectations for behavior on course. It is important that the parents and participants understand that the NYLT staff expects a higher level of conduct from those attending; it is a rigorous week long leadership course, not a summer camp. Leaders are expected to set the example in their units and to that we will hold both the staff and participants to a higher standard. The Staff has a commitment to the safety and wellbeing of ALL staff and participants on course. Certain behaviors that jeopardize our ability to meet that commitment will be removed within a No Tolerance Environment and participants will be sent home. *Scouts are expected to always keep within the guidelines of the Oath and Law.*

Emergency telephone calls to 503-226-3423. Please do not call unless it is a true emergency.

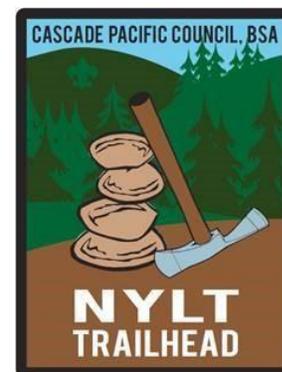
If you have any questions, please email me. I will reply quickly or forward onto the Course Scoutmaster to get your questions/and concerns answered. Remember the only bad questions are the ones not asked.

Email nyltpcbsa@gmail.com.

Yours in Scouting,

Dave Loseke

NYLT Course Advisor, Cascade Pacific Council, BSA



MEDICAL FORMS AND MEDICATION

Every precaution is taken to ensure a healthy and safe camping experience for all campers attending Cascade Pacific Council summer camps. All camps operate a well- equipped health lodge that is administered by a qualified camp health officer for any accidents or medical problems that may arise. In the event of a medical emergency. The camp health officer is available 24 hours a day. Special arrangements have been made with local hospitals for the treatment of more serious cases. If such treatment is required, every effort will be made to notify the camper's parents.

In the unlikely event of a very serious injury or illness requiring immediate specialized medical attention, the care of your youth will be turned over to the local emergency medical service that may require the use of ground or air ambulance service at their discretion.

Youth and leaders needing additional medical attention on or off property will be billed (by the medical office or hospital) for services rendered at their expense. All expenses associated with this additional treatment become the responsibility of the youth's parents/guardians, preferably handled through their personal health insurance or supplemental unit accident insurance. All medical services provided by the camp health officer are at no cost.

Medical Form- to download the form and for more information go to <http://www.cpcbsa.org/medicalform> . All participants are required to bring a Medical Form with part A & B; completed prior to arrival.

Medications at Camp

The Oregon State Health Department and BSA National Camping Standards requires that all medication for persons under 18 years of age is to be locked in the camp health lodge and dispensed by the camp health officer. Prescription medications for persons aged 18 and over are kept in locked storage and may be locked by the owner in their campsite OR by camp health staff in the health lodge. Emergency bee sting medication, inhalers, an insulin syringe or other medication or device used in the event of life-threatening situations may be (and should be) carried by the camper or staff member. Medications are checked in as part of the check in process.

If your scout requires medications, please download this form, and bring filled out to course check in.

<https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/RoutineDrugAdministrationRecordRevised2011.pdf>

Camp health officers cannot administer immunizations, prescriptions or over the counter medicines, or recommend any medications. Their role is one of preparation for emergencies and to secure medications stored in the health lodge.

Special Need Form

Special need forms are used to notify the council of any health, mobility, disability or special dietary needs any participant may need at camp. The Council will make every reasonable effort to accommodate special needs. It is the responsibility of the parents to make sure the person has everything they need for the time of the activity. The contact person on the form may be contacted if camp staff have any questions. Special dietary needs form is still requested for those that require food substitutions. The form is found at

<https://www.cpcbsa.org/files/1930/Special-Needs-Form>

What to Bring - Suggested Personal Gear

NYLT is a wilderness scout camp. Participants are expected to be in appropriate uniforms for their area of Scouting. Field uniforms are always appropriate. At a minimum we request knee length shorts, no logo t-shirts, and close toed boots with socks. **Please leave your tank tops, bare midriff apparel, running shorts, flip-flops, etc. at home**

CLEARLY MARK ALL ITEMS WITH YOUR NAME

Very Important

- Signed medical form A,B, & C
- Camp chair (helps with social distancing)
- **A tent is needed for the Outpost overnight**

Bedding

- Sleeping bag
- Pad (sleeping pads not provided)
- Pillow

Clothing

- Uniform, Full Field (a.k.a. Class A)
- Sweater or jacket
- Poncho or rain gear
- Scouting Hat
- Scouting T-shirts
- Tennis shoes/**hiking boots**
- Lots of extra socks and underwear

Toiletries

- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Towel/washcloth
- Soap and shampoo
- Deodorant
- Sunscreen
- Bug repellent

Camp Necessities

- Backpack or duffel bag
- Tent and/or tarp (for outbound)
- Flashlight/batteries
- Personal first aid kit
- Canteen/water bottle
- Pencils and note pad

Items to leave at home

- T-shirts with non-scout logos
- Valuables*
- Electronic games/devices*
- Portable stereos*
- Tablets/Music players*
- Cell phone*
- Fireworks †

*Note there is limited cell reception at Baldwin and no internet connection

†Participant using or possessing un-Scout like materials will be sent home on the spot – help us out by leaving them at home

Bring a pair of jeans and work gloves for an evening service project

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PARTICIPANT CODE OF CONDUCT

By signing this code of conduct, all participants and their parents agree to the conditions of the statements contained within. It is further understood that serious misconduct or infraction of rules and regulations may prevent you from completing this course and require your parent(s)/guardian to provide transportation home should your participation in the program be terminated. As young men/women, you are responsible for your own behavior.

We are a coed program. Our staff is trained on BSA Camp Youth Protection (YPT) and we enforce the YPT rules as defined in the Guide for Safe Scouting and the YPT program; we expect participants to obey these rules as well.

Certain YPT violations will be grounds for removal from the course including all forms of bullying, inappropriate public displays of affection, sexual activity, and inappropriate attire. There is no place for these behaviors in Scouting.

Please help us meet our commitment to keep everyone safe by keeping yourself and others around you safe.

A SCOUT/VENTURER IS

TRUSTWORTHY – I will arrive at all classes and scheduled programming on-time. I will tell the truth in all situations. I will respect the privacy of others and enter another campsite only when invited. I will inform NYLT staff if I find an item left in a program area.

LOYAL – I will support my team leader, youth leader(s), team guide, and adult leaders. I will wear the Scout/Venture uniform when asked, as a sign of loyalty to the Boys Scouts of America, and my fellow Scouts/Venturers.

HELPFUL – I will demonstrate that I care about others through my words, actions, and deeds. I will readily and gladly volunteer to help others without expecting payment or reward.

FRIENDLY – Camp brings together people with diverse backgrounds; so, I will be friendly to all.

COURTEOUS – I will treat others with courtesy. I will respect my fellow Scouts/Venturers, and the youth and adult leadership of NYLT. I will always show good manners.

KIND – I will not call fellow Scouts/Ventures, staff members and adult leaders “names.” I will treat other persons – and their property – as I would like to be treated. I will be kind to all of nature’s creatures, and to our environment.

OBEDIENT – I will obey all appropriate requests made to me by people in leadership roles. I will obey all the rules of the Cascade Pacific Council Camps. *CHEERFUL* – I will be cheerful in all situations.

THRIFTY – I will recycle all appropriate materials. I will make best use of the food and other materials entrusted to me. I will observe “quiet time” at the opening and closing of each day.

BRAVE – I will do what is right, regardless of what anyone else may say.

CLEAN – I will keep our campsite and my personal gear clean. I will keep my clothing clean. I will be clean in my speech. I will not use alcohol, tobacco, or illegal drugs.

REVERENT – I will respect the beliefs of others. I will fulfill my personal religious obligations through religious services afforded me.

Participant’s Name: _____

Participant’s Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian’s Signature: _____ Date: _____

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PERMISSION FORM

Participant's Name: _____ Emergency Phone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

I understand that participation in Scouting activities involves a certain degree of risk. I have carefully considered the risk involved and have given consent for myself or my child to participate in these activities. I understand that participation in these activities is entirely voluntary and requires participants to abide by applicable rules and standards of conduct. I release the Boy Scouts of America, the local council, the activity coordinators, and all employees, volunteers, related parties, or other organizations associated with the activity from any and all claims or liability arising out of this participation.

I approve the sharing of the information on this form with BSA volunteers and professionals who need to know of medical situations that might require special consideration for safely conducting Scouting activities.

In case of an emergency involving me or my child, I understand that every effort will be made to contact the individual listed as the emergency contact person. If this person cannot be reached, permission is hereby given to the medical provider selected by the adult leader in charge to secure proper treatment, including hospitalization, anesthesia, surgery, or injections of medication for me or my child. Medical providers are authorized to disclose to the adult in charge examination findings, test results, and treatment provided for purposes of medical evaluation of the participant, follow-up and communication with the participant's parents or guardian, and/or determination of the participant's ability to continue in the program activities.

By signing below, the participant's parents agree to send the youth above to NYLT. The parents understand that this youth will need to arrive at on schedule and are expected to remain on course for the duration of the program. If you need to remove your scouts, please make arrangements as best you can with the Scoutmaster to avoid course disruptions.

Parent's Name: _____ Signature: _____

Parent's Email (please print clearly): _____

By signing below, the said youth above is granted Scoutmaster/Advisor Approval to attend NYLT 2021. The Scoutmaster/Advisor understands that the recommended youth above meets all age, rank, and skill requirements necessary to attend NYLT.

Scoutmaster's/Advisor's Name: _____ Signature: _____

Scoutmaster's/Advisor's Email (please print clearly): _____

Scoutmaster's/Advisor's _____ Phone
Number: _____

Make sure this form is completed along with the Code of Conduct.

Please bring this with your other medical forms to course check-in. Signed forms MUST be completed and with the course Scoutmaster prior to the start of course.
