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National Youth Leadership Training

EVERY SCOUT DESERVES A WELL TRAINED LEADER



Why NYLT? Youth Run Units!

PTC Class 211



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Agenda



- **Introductions**
- **Vision & Mission of the BSA**
- **What is NYLT?**
- **Course Overview and Outcomes**
- **Participant Requirements**
- **Before and After Course Expectations**
- **Q&A Panel**

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Introductions



- **Session's Adult Leaders**
- **Session's Youth Leaders**
- **Their Experiences**

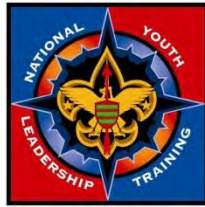
What do YOU want to get out of this session today?

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Vision and Mission of the BSA



Vision:

The Boy Scouts of America will prepare every eligible youth in America to become a responsible, participating citizen and leader who is guided by the Scout Oath and Law.

Mission:

The mission of the Boy Scouts of America is to prepare young people to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Law.

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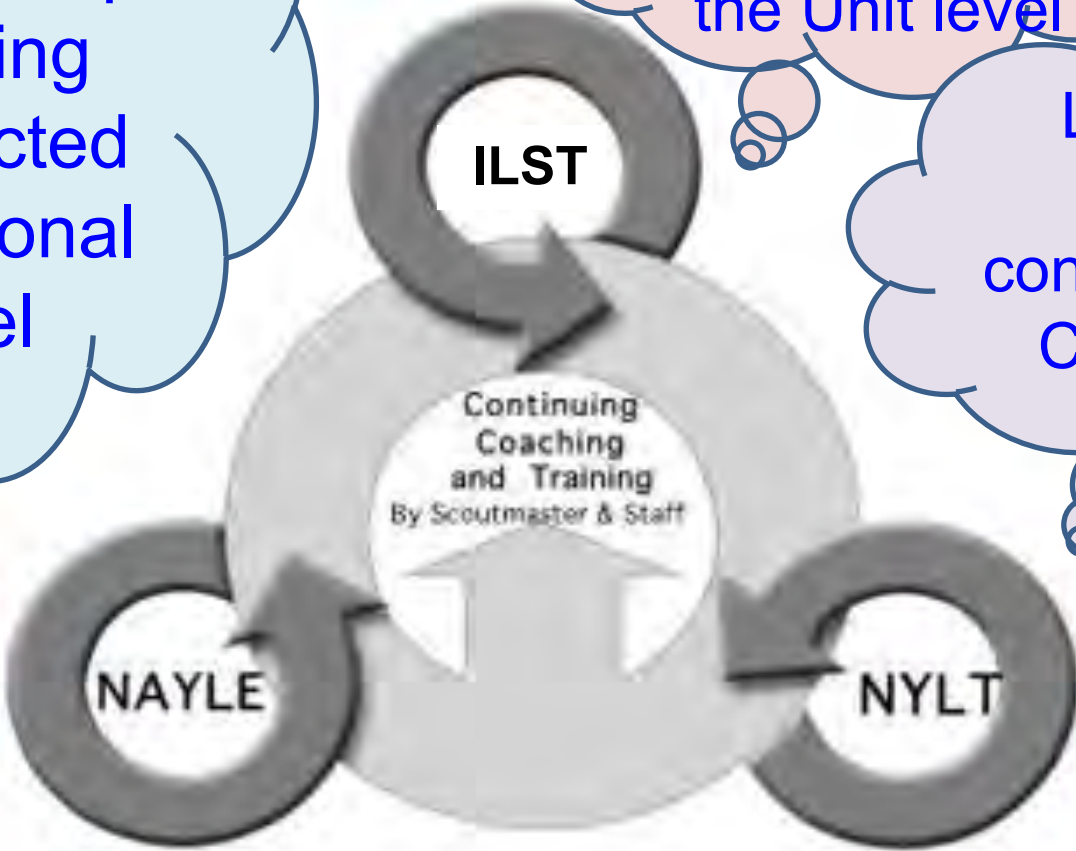
Youth Training Continuum



Advanced Leadership Training conducted at National level

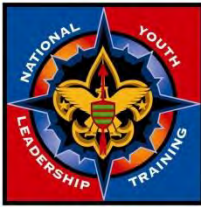
Basic Leadership Training conducted at the Unit level

Leadership Training conducted at the Council level

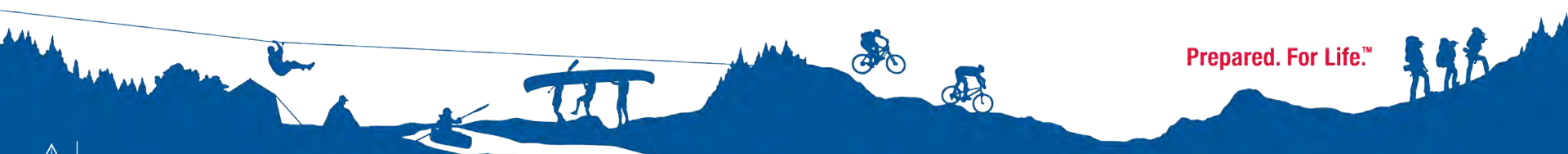




What is NYLT?



*Think of NYLT like heading off to college.
NYLT will build upon the training offered within your unit*



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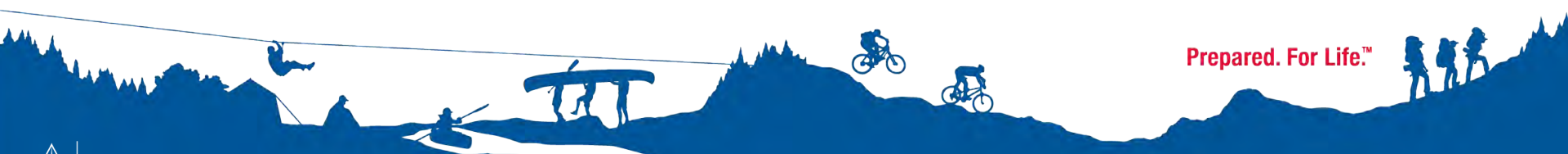


Course Objectives



Scouting is 'Fun with a Purpose'

**Our (staff's) goals are to give Scouts the skills, support,
and knowledge to be able to help run their home units
and have fun while doing so!!**



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NYLT Course Overview



- **Models a month in the life of a unit**
 - 3 meetings and a big outdoor experience (an overnight outpost camp)
- **Participants challenged to present their "Quest for the Meaning of Leadership" at the end of week**
- **Hands on, practical application of leadership skills and concepts presented**
- **Staff models the concepts and skills**
- **Begins with teams finding their team vision**
- **Ends with individuals refining personal vision of how to put skills learned into action at home unit**

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What will they learn?



As a leader...

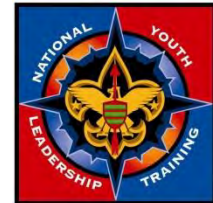
- How to create a vision of success
- How to set goals and make plans
- How to listen and solve problems
- How to teach and lead
- How to use servant leadership
- How to use the Scout Oath and Law



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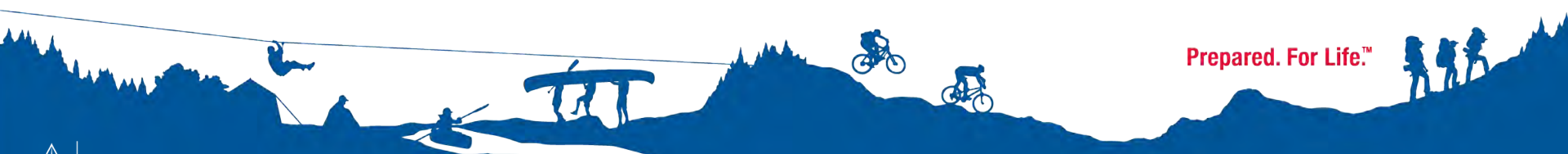
What will they bring back?



- A new toolbox of skills
- Experience of living the patrol method
- Better understand meaning of leadership
- Better ability to coach and mentor
- Made commitment to better their home units
- Ask unit leader's help in evaluating effort



NYLT is built for the participants to learn leadership, and then apply it in their units



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Participant requirements?



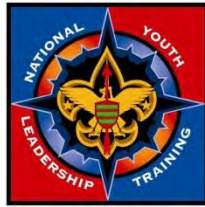
- ***Registered Venturer, Sea Scout or Scouts BSA (at least 1st Class)***
- ***At least 13 years of age by course start date***
- ***Recommendation of unit leader***
- ***Complete ILST/ILSC/ILSS***
- ***Must spend ENTIRE week on course***
- ***Agree to live by Scout Oath and Law on course***

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Recommended experience



- *Held a leadership position in unit*
- *Be an experienced camper (at least one yr)*
- *Have basic camping & outdoor cooking experience*
- *Be familiar with Patrol Leader's Handbook*

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Before Course



Your first role is to select and encourage scouts who are ready to attend the course. These scouts should:

- Be at least 13 by the date of the course. Many 13 year olds are ready to get the most out of NYLT, but some are not.
- Be mature enough to handle a program running 6:30am to 10:00pm for six days, which is intellectually stimulating, and filled with presentations, activities and challenges.
- Be emotionally mature enough to spend a week without parents, friends and home unit adult leaders nearby, and not become anxious or homesick.
- Really want to attend the course. This is perhaps the most important criterion.

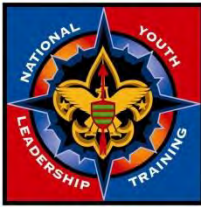
We depend on you for an honest evaluation of your scout's readiness to attend in your Unit Leader Recommendation.

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After Course



Your second role is to work with your scouts when they return from the training.

Have them share their vision and goals with you.

Support and guide them in their new roles.

And get ready for a fun and wild time!

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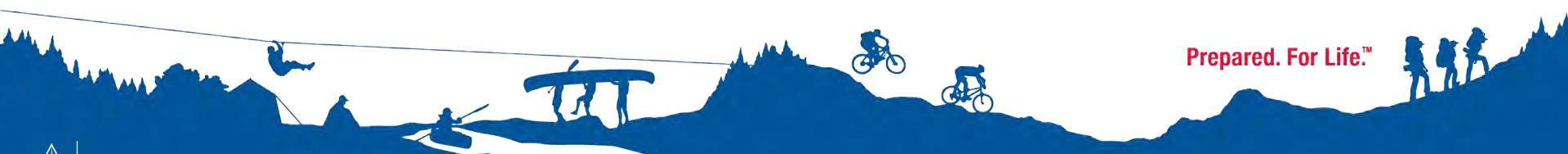
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NYLT Staff Panel

QUESTIONS?



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Thank you!

Please fill out evaluation – feedback is a gift!

Lots of documents up on Council website

<https://seattlebsa.org/training/ptc/ptc-class-materials>

<https://seattlebsa.org/training/nylt/>



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