



Browsea-National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT) This course is the highest level of training offered to Scouts at the council level. The course is now in its sixth year, the staff is experienced, and the enthusiasm continues to build. Over 130 Scouts have participated in the program, with many returning to serve on staff to lead the next group. Scouting recognizes that Scoutmasters have the primary responsibility for training their youth leaders. The purpose of NYLT is not to assume that role, but rather to support it. NYLT features instruction in skills that can be used at the Scout's home troop, in their private lives, and into their future. Through activities, events, games, and adventures, NYLT participants will work hard and play hard together as they put into action the best Scouting has to offer. The course is limited to 48 Scouts so apply early.

COURSE OVERVIEW:

- A month in the life of an adult led, boy run troop
- The course centers on the concepts that a leader must *BE*, what he must *KNOW*, and what he must *DO*. The key elements are then taught with a focus on *HOW*.
- Participants experience the stages of team development in a patrol & troop
- Participants learn that Leadership requires vision, goals and planning
- Participants take home a “toolbox” of leadership skills
- Participants observe consistent leadership modeling utilizing the Scout Oath and Scout Law

OBJECTIVES:

- Give participants the confidence and knowledge to conduct the troop program.
- Provide participants with a clear understanding of how to lead themselves and others in their troop and patrol with a “vision” of future success by goal setting, planning and problem solving.
- Guide the participants through the use of the “stages of team development” to reach their full potential.
- Create an environment of scouting fellowship guided by the Scout Oath and Law.
- Give participants the opportunity to share ideas and experiences with Scouts from other troops.
- NYLT offers leadership, fun, challenge and adventure.

PARTICIPANT REQUIREMENTS AND EXPECTATIONS

- Must be 13 years of age or older, but not 18 by June 12, 2010.
- Must be First Class or above in rank.
- The training is now open to Venture Scouts, up to age 21.
- Must live by the Scout Oath and Scout Law at all times.
- Attend the Scoutmaster pre-conference along with their parents and scoutmaster to be held from 10 AM to noon on Saturday May 15, 2010, at the Modesto Scout Center.
- Check-In time at Camp John Mensinger is 1:00 pm Sunday June 6, 2010.