

Is any special equipment needed?

An equipment list will be sent to each participant. Most youth participating in an active outdoor program should have the necessary personal equipment. Since the conferences are in an outdoor setting, prepare for rain. Good rain gear, good boots and warm layers are a must.

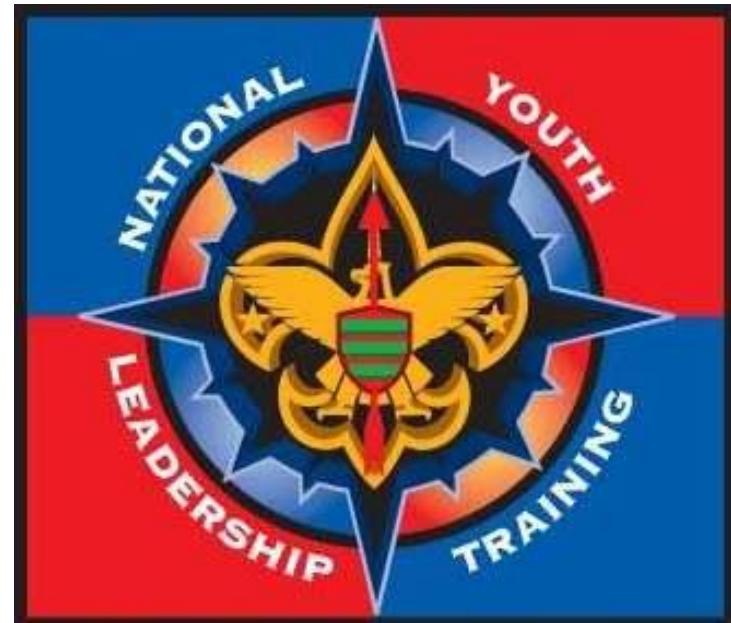
Each participant needs to have the full official Scout uniform and Scout field uniforms, with the badges and insignia properly placed and the uniform worn correctly.

What is the entire reservation, acceptance, and payment process?

- Completed reservations with a \$100 deposit per participant should be sent to the:
Mount Baker Council BSA
1715 100th PL S.E.
Everett, WA 98208
(425) 338-0380.
- Reservations are accepted in the order received. Due to the popularity of the course, we do not hold reservations.
- A unit may send as many youth as desired as long as each meets the qualifications. There is NO per unit quota.
- Participants will receive confirmation and additional course information shortly after the application is received.
- Deposits are refundable up to 60 days prior to course. Within 60 days of course, the unit may send an alternate participant. A refund is not an option except for a true family emergency such as serious illness.
- The youth's properly dated medical form and fee balance need to be at the Everett service center 10 days before course.
- Should the courses not be full by some rare chance, we will continue to accept applications until 10 days prior to course. Contact Jon Gross at 425-478-3511 or at NYLT-MountBaker@outlook.com
- Opportunity Fund need based scholarships, typically half fee, are available. Pay \$120 deposit and submit your application at the same time. You'll be responsible for any remaining balance.



**National Youth Leadership Training
Mount Baker Council BSA**



August 14-19, 2017

August 21-26, 2017



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What is National Youth Leadership Training?

It is a six day experience conducted by Mount Baker Council to provide each young man or woman with a meaningful experience in Scouting that will enhance his knowledge and create a deeper understanding of his role and responsibilities as a leader.

NYLT integrates the best of modern leadership theory with the traditional strengths of the Scouting experience. Through activities, presentations, challenges, discussions, and audio-visual support, NYLT participants engage in a unified approach to leadership that gives the skill and confidence to lead well.

What are the course objectives?

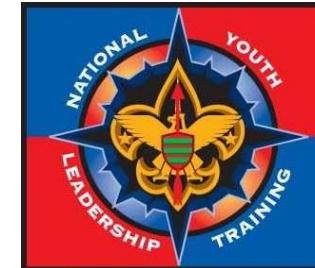
- Give participants the confidence and knowledge to conduct the boy scout troop, varsity scout team, or venturing crew program
- Provide participants with a clear understanding of team and personal development and how those elements relate to being a leader
- Guide the participants through the stages of team development
- Create an environment of Scouting fellowship and fun guided by the Scout Oath and Law
- Give participants the opportunity to share ideas and experiences with youth from other troops, teams, and crews
- Have fun and experience Scouting at its best.

What is the course content?

Youth at NYLT are learning and using the same skill set and language as what adults learn and use at Wood Badge.

Through activities, events, games, and adventures, NYLT participants will work and play together as they put into action the best Scouting has to offer. They practice and experience leadership skills first hand.

Each Scout returns to his troop, team, or crew with a toolbox of leadership skills that enables him to better understand his role as someone who can shape the directions of his Unit. The Scoutmaster, Team Coach, or crew advisor is the enabler who creates a positive environment for youth leadership.



What are Participant Requirements?

- 13 years of age by course
- First Class, Star, Life, or Eagle rank, if applicable
- Senior Patrol Leader, Team Captain, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, Team Co-Captain, Crew officer or destined to be
- Scoutmaster, Team Coach, or Crew Advisor recommendation

When and Where?

There are only 2 courses offered this year, so please sign up ASAP. Sign-up is first come, first served for the limited spaces.

August 14th to August 19th and August 21st to August 26th

Check-in starts at 9:00 AM on Monday. The conference will conclude after the closing ceremony at 5:30 PM Saturday.

The conferences will be at Fire Mountain, Mt Vernon, WA.

What is the cost?

The cost of the conference includes food, training materials, and use of patrol camping equipment. It varies by date of sign-up:

Course cost is \$240 if paid by June 30th then it is \$290 till July 31st

Where do we sign up?

Applications are available in the Bellingham and Everett service centers and on the council web site
www.mountbakerbsa.org/training/nylt/nylt.htm.

Who can I contact?

Jon Gross, NYLT-MountBaker@outlook.com or (425) 478-3511

Also see www.mountbakerbsa.org/training/nylt/nylt.htm