



Teachers and Mentors:
Encourage students to apply!

Students:
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District 5400 2024 RYLA Free Leadership Camp and Program

APPLICATION WINDOW APRIL 1-15. RECIPIENTS NOTIFIED MAY 1-15.

WHO: Future Leaders. 60-100 incoming Juniors to graduating Seniors throughout Southern Idaho and Eastern Oregon.

WHAT: The Rotary Youth Leadership Award (RYLA) program is the premiere youth leadership development program sponsored by Rotary International. It spans roughly nine months. *(For more on Rotary: <https://www.rotary.org/en>)*

The program consists of:

1. A Four-Day Intensive Summer Leadership Camp (July 12-15, 2024).
2. Two One-Day (Fall and Winter) Weekend Follow-Up Leadership Workshops Held in Both Meridian and Pocatello (Dates TBD)
3. Potential Ongoing Mentoring Opportunities from Local Rotary Member(s)
4. Potential to Return to RYLA Summer Camp the Following Year as a Camp Leader
5. Other Potential Leadership Opportunities Within Rotary International

The summer camp is experiential; activities are engaging and interactive both physically and intellectually. The leadership training focuses on practicing tangible leadership skills; some of which include:

1. Communication Skills
2. Creating a "Leadership Roadmap" for concrete steps in a "Rylarian's" leadership journey
3. Networking with other current and future leaders
4. Guiding a group to make effective decisions.

Follow-up mentoring, and workshops aim to build upon the skills gained at the summer camp as well as to as well as support students' attainment of leadership goals identified at camp.

Questions? Contact RYLA Chair Brendan Earle brendanearle@yahoo.com or visit <http://ryla5400.weebly.com/>

WHERE: Camp Cascade, Donnelly, Idaho.
<https://www.deerflat.org/camp-cascade/>

WHEN: Friday, 7/12- Monday, 7/15

COST: **FREE** to students (\$550 cost is paid for sponsoring Rotary Clubs and Rotary volunteers)

WHAT'S INCLUDED:

Transportation to and from Donnelly via Bus (Bus pick up sites are in Pocatello, Twin Falls and Meridian)
Three nights' accommodation in cabins at Camp Cascade
10 catered meals (3 dinners, 4 lunches and 3 breakfasts)
Half Day High and Low Ropes Course
Use of paddle boards, and kayaks (with parent approval)
Various leadership building activities

HOW: Apply online! Use the QR code above or go to <http://ryla5400.weebly.com/>

