

Idaho RYLA July 27–30, 2023

Club Fact Sheet



- ✓ Include RYLA in your budget - \$550 per camper
- ✓ Select a RYLA chair, 10 hour per year commitment
- ✓ Encourage students that are incoming high school juniors to outgoing seniors to apply April 1st - June 1st

- Tri-fold brochure you can print and handout
- Send students to the website; Scan QR code or search <http://ryla5400.weebly.com/>



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- Incoming high school juniors to outgoing seniors
- ✓ Select students and pay scholarships by June 1st
- ✓ Students attend RYLA July 27–30, 2023
 - Bussing available for Boise and Pocatello areas
- ✓ Students share RYLA experience with the club
- ✓ Invite RYLArians to your club service projects

Every summer, 100 teenagers from around Idaho share a long weekend at the College of Southern Idaho for an intensive four day leadership camp. High school students who are incoming juniors to outgoing seniors are sponsored by Rotary clubs to attend the camp, with the Rotary club paying the \$550 cost. The Rotary Youth Leaders in Action camp, RYLA, is "For Youth, By Youth", meaning the camp is planned and lead by students who have previously attended. The camp is experiential; activities are hands-on and interactive, we avoid classroom style lectures.

The leadership training focuses on everyday leadership. To lead, you must believe in your own abilities. Being a leader means you work with others; seeing the world through their eyes. In the process, many life long friendships have been made. The RYLA experience is focused on guiding the students to discover a strong sense of confidence in oneself and expressing empathy for others, which is driven through the strong supportive environment created during the long weekend. RYLA allows these one hundred teenagers to identify and celebrate their abilities.

