



Susquehanna Council

Boy Scouts of America

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National Youth Leadership Training 2008

From: Susquehanna Council 2008 NYLT Scoutmaster

Subject: 2008 Susquehanna NYLT Course

To: All Eligible Boy Scouts

1. Greetings Susquehanna Council Boy Scouts. My name is Dennis Slaybaugh, and I am honored to be this year's Susquehanna Council National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT) Course Scoutmaster. Vince Lombardi once said: "Leaders aren't born they are made."
2. We have 67 Troops and 968 Boy Scouts in the Susquehanna Council. Imagine how busy we would be if just one scout from each troop came to NYLT. Although we haven't seen this type of numbers in many years, not too, too long ago, we had waiting lists of scouts wanting to take the NYLT Course. The Goal is to have at least 10 scouts from each district attend this year's training course.
3. Boy Scout Troops are supposed to be "boy lead". How many of you want to be a future Senior Patrol Leader, or the captain of your high school team? How many of you have had the proper training to assume one of these positions? This course provides premiere training for scouts who want to be a Senior Patrol Leader. You will learn leadership and team building skills that will make you a confident leader. Bottom-line, the NYLT course provides scouts the skills they need to be leaders.
4. This years **NYLT** course will be held at **Camp K** from **August 3-8, 2008**. We have assembled and excellent staff that is raring to go. Most of the adults served on last year's staff. The cost fro this year's course is **\$200.00** – this is a 13% reduction in last year's course cost. Other council's have charged as much as \$325.00 for the same course. However, in an effort to reach as many scouts as possible, we have reduced our price. It gets even better, if your district registers 10 scouts, the cost will be \$190.00 per scout. That's a 17% overall reduction in the cost of the course. Camperships are also available.
5. Please consider attending this year's NYLT course. A \$50.00 deposit is required by May 1st to reserve your spot in the course. If the May deadline causes a problem, let me know and we can work something out. Please make checks payable to the Susquehanna Council, BSA. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me, Dennis Slaybaugh at 374-6772; dls65@ptd.net or David Potts at 425-3028; david.potts@tds.net. We look forward to seeing you at NYLT this summer. Meanwhile good luck with your scouting career.

Dennis Slaybaugh
2008 NYLT Scoutmaster

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