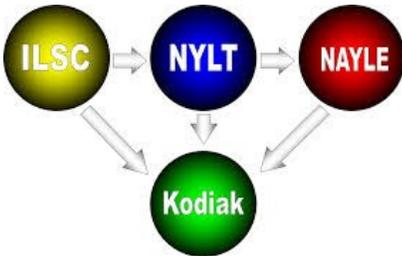
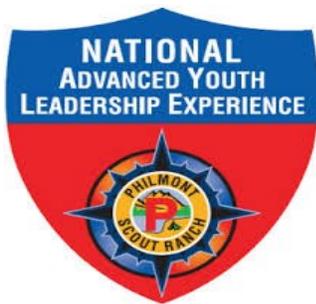


Venturing Training Opportunities



Introduction to Leadership Skills for Crews and Ships: The purpose of the Introduction to Leadership Skills for Crews course is to teach crew members with leadership positions about their new roles and how to most effectively reach success in that role. It is intended to help Venturers in leadership positions within their crew understand their responsibilities and to equip them with organizational and leadership skills to fulfill those responsibilities. Introduction to Leadership Skills for Crews is the first course in the series of leadership

National Youth Leadership Training: National Youth Leadership Training is a weeklong training course that provides youth leaders with an opportunity to enhance their leadership skills while living by the Scout Oath and Law in an exciting outdoor environment. Scouts who earn the NYLT shield are prepared to meet the challenges ahead and are better prepared to work with adult leaders.



NAYLE: National Advanced Youth Leadership Experiences is an advanced version of National Youth Leadership Training (N.Y.L.T.) designed to provide you with a backcountry-based wilderness encounter that applies and internalizes the skills learned at your Council-level National Youth Leadership Training Course, and motivates you to follow a life of servant leadership by helping others succeed, based on Scouting's values.

Kodiak Challenge is unique in that it is offered in an exciting and challenging atmosphere. A unit or council may offer a Kodiak Trek centered around a challenging 5 day or two 3 day weekend trek. Kodiak teaches leadership skills in a fun way that is internalized by the participants. In other words, it is a challenging trek with simple and fun leadership skills included. Kodiak is not taught indoors or in a classroom; it is done completely outdoors using nature's examples of leadership.



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Powder Horn: Open to both registered adults and youth who are at least 13 and have completed the 8th grade, Powder Horn is a hands-on resource management course designed to give you the contacts and tools necessary to conduct an awesome high-adventure program in your troop, team, crew, or ship. Contact your council training chair for information about upcoming courses in your area. The syllabus is available by request from Volunteer Development of your council.



Wood Badge is Scouting's premier leadership training course. It is the ultimate leadership training experience designed to meet the leadership needs for all Scouting leaders, including Venturing leaders, as well as Council and District leaders and Scouting professionals. The course provides participants an opportunity to learn, share, and experience the continuum of the Scouting program, from Cub Scouts all the way through Venturing.

Seal: A training is a petty officer (youth) leadership training course offered by the National Sea Scouting Committee. This is a one week, hard core leadership course that is conducted at sea. If you successfully complete the course you will be awarded the SEAL Training Award, which is a silver pin with twin dolphins, to be worn on your uniform (see above). This course is a leadership course, not a seamanship course. It covers such topics as preparing, goal setting, organizing, supervising, commanding,



Additional training courses and information are available at <http://www.scouting.org/training/youth.aspx>
New Venturing trainings will be announced in May 2014.