Summer 2019

Welcome to NAYLE at the Summit!

Congratulations on your acceptance to attend the National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience (NAYLE) at the Summit this summer! The course is designed to provide you with an action-packed experience that will motivate you to follow a life of helping others succeed based on the values expressed in Scouting's Oath and Law.

The Summit staff is committed to making NAYLE a very special experience for you. You will live in a team setting where you will use NYLT leadership skills to resolve exciting and challenging scenarios. The week will conclude with a closing challenge for each of you to build upon the legacy of Scouting's leaders and benefactors.

NAYLE will equip you to be a better unit leader, NYLT staff member and/or a superior camp staffer. It will help guide your journey to become a true servant leader, able to develop all members of every team you lead. It provides life skills for now and for the future.

Review the enclosed information and share it with your family and unit leader. Please read carefully the checklist located immediately after this letter, and make sure you complete all steps before leaving for the Summit!

We are pleased that you will be among the youth who will participate in Summit NAYLE, and we look forward to meeting and serving you.

Cordially,

Summit NAYLE Staff

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NAYLE PARTICIPANT CHECKLIST

- Read this NAYLE Guidebook. It contains important information about your NAYLE course.

- Pay all NAYLE course fees no later than 30 days before the course begins.

- Submit your arrival plans via the Online Arrival Card portal. You will receive an email invitation from the Summit to complete this step.

- Complete your BSA Annual Health & Medical Record available at www.summit-bsa.org or www.scouting.org. You must bring parts A, B, and C of the medical form with you to SBR. A medical re-check will take place as part of the check-in procedure. If you have questions about whether a medical condition will preclude your course participation, please contact SBR in advance to discuss the condition(s) with our medical staff.

- Remember to bring and continue to take prescription medication during your course. This must be in an original container with dosage information. **Participants are responsible for safely storing and administering their own medication.**

- Complete and have your parents sign the Summit Waiver https://tinyurl.com/SBRWaiver

- Inform the Summit Bechtel Reserve of any special dietary needs at least two weeks before the beginning of your NAYLE course.
ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE INFORMATION

THE ARRIVAL CARD

Please complete the online arrival card to provide SBR information about your arrival plans, including date, approximate time, and mode of travel. For those arriving by plane or train requiring transportation, SBR will use this information to plan shuttle service to the airport or train station.

ONSITE CHECK-IN

Please plan to arrive no later than 8:00am on the first day of the course so that you can complete the check-in process. Check-in and medical rechecks will take at the Ruby West Virginia Welcome Center (55 Hazel Ruby Lane, Mount Hope 25880). A shuttle from Ruby Welcome Center to Echo 2 (E2) Sub Camp will be available for those who require transportation to NAYLE HQ following check-in. The course begins promptly at 10:00am at E2.

EARLY ARRIVAL

Due to travel constraints, some participants may need to arrive on Saturday prior to the course. Saturday afternoon and evening arrivals will report directly to the NAYLE HQ in E2; please ensure that the course director is notified of your arrival plans prior to arrival.

Note that the dining hall closes at 6:30pm. If you plan to arrive after that time, please eat prior to arrival. If you are using SBR shuttle transportation for a late arrival, please eat at the airport as the shuttle will not make stops en route.

CHECK-IN -- BE PREPARED

✔ Check-in begins at 8:00am Sunday. Please arrive at the Summit wearing your BSA, Venturing, or Sea Scout (TOSSU) field uniform.

✔ Bring your completed medical form, a copy of your health insurance card, and signed Summit Waiver. We strongly suggest that you keep a copy of your medical form at home as a backup.

✔ Confirm your departure plans.

✔ If not arriving with family members, call home to let your family know that you have arrived safely.
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DEPARTURE

Please plan to depart on the final day of the course (Saturday) between 6:30am and 10:00am. Airport or train shuttle service users will be informed no later than Friday afternoon of the shuttle departure time(s).

Your family is cordially invited to attend the closing ceremony on Friday night, if desired. If your family attends the closing ceremony, you may depart with them on Friday night following the ceremony. Please note that SBR does not provide camping accommodation for parents or family members. There are a number of nearby hotels and campgrounds.

AIRPORTS

The Summit recommends participants requiring air transportation fly to Charleston, West Virginia's Yeager Airport (CRW). Yeager Airport is a small airport with one gift shop (inside the security gate) and one restaurant (outside of the security gate). For those using SBR airport transportation, please meet the shuttle at the baggage claim area. Your shuttle driver will be wearing a Summit identification badge.

TRAIN

Amtrak operates the Cardinal Line between Chicago and New York's Penn Station. The station in Price, West Virginia is the closest to the Summit. When making reservations, please note the train does not currently operate every day. Please ensure that your arrival and departure times fit within the overall course schedule.

AUTO

For those arriving by automobile who plan keep an automobile on the property, please park only in designated areas. Upon arrival, minors may not operate vehicles until they depart SBR on the final day of the course. Other personal vehicles may not be used for transportation around the Summit.

IMPORTANT

When traveling, especially by plane or train, please update us on any expected delays to your arrival. This impacts our ability to maintain shuttle schedules as well as ensure the safe arrival of all participants. The 24 hour Summit Hotline is (304) 465-2900.
NAYLE GENERAL INFORMATION

CAMP & CAMP LIVING

NAYLE living arrangements are similar to many council summer camps. NAYLE is a co-ed experience. Team members may be male or female. Each participant will be provided a tent to share (with someone of the same gender) and a cot. You will prepare your meals in your team site. You will spend much of your time outdoors and should be prepared for various types of inclimate weather. Showers available at camp are ambient temperature (cold). If warm showers are important to you, please consider bringing a solar shower bag to camp.

SBR has outstanding cell phone and WiFi service courtesy of AT&T. You will have connectivity in all locations frequented by NAYLE. However, your experience will be enhanced if you limit distractions and do not use cell phones or other electronic devices during course training sessions and outdoor activities.

UNIFORM

The BSA, Venturing, or Sea Scout field uniform must be worn during check-in and the closing ceremony. During the rest of the course, participants and staff will wear the NAYLE activity uniform (NAYLE t-shirt, NAYLE cap, official BSA shorts or pants, official BSA socks, Scout belt). You will receive two activity t-shirts and a hat at check-in and will have the opportunity to purchase at least one extra t-shirt.

SPECIAL MEALS

The Summit has the capability to meet certain medical or religious dietary needs. Please contact SBR at least two weeks in advance if you have a medical or religious dietary need to discuss. Please note that while SBR attempts to provide food that addresses the most common issues (nut allergies, etc.), we cannot address all dietary restrictions. If we are unable to meet your particular need, you will need to bring food with you that meets your particular need.

MAILING ADDRESS

Your Name -- NAYLE (Course Number -- Either 0623 or 0707)
Summit Bechtel Reserve -- Tickle TLC
2550 Jack Furst Drive
Glen Jean, WV 25846

EMERGENCY 24-HR SBR HOTLINE

(304) 465-2900
NAYLE PACKING LIST

Packing
- Internal or external frame backpack
- Backpack cover or large heavy plastic bag for rain protection
- Plastic bags to pack clothes

Sleeping
- All tents & cots are provided by the Summit Bechtel Reserve
- Sleeping bag, rated for 40 degrees
- Waterproof sleeping bag stuff sack
- Sleeping pad for overnighter
- Sleeping clothes

Clothing
- 2 NAYLE activity t-shirts provided by the Summit Bechtel Reserve at check-in
- 1 NAYLE cap provided by the Summit Bechtel Reserve at check-in
- Hiking boots
- Camp shoes (close toed)
- 2 pair heavy hiking socks
- 7 pairs underwear
- 2 pairs official BSA Scout shorts or pants
- 4 pairs official BSA Scout socks
- 1 official BSA field uniform
- 2 BSA activity shirts
- Sweater or jacket (wool or fleece) appropriate for cool mornings
- Stocking cap
- Gloves (wool or polypro)
- Rain jacket & rain pants

Eating & Personal
- 3 water bottles (1 quart each)
- Cup, bowl/plate, fork, knife, and spoon
- Flashlight with extra batteries
- Bandana or neckerchief
- ChapStick
- Bath towel & washcloth
- Sunscreen
- Toothbrush & toothpaste
- Required medications (sealed in waterproof bags)
- Watch
- Personal first aid kit

Optional
- Sunglasses
- Camera
- Money for trading post
- Insect repellent (non-aerosol)
- Hiking or trekking poles
JW & Hazel Ruby West Virginia Welcome Center
55 Hazel Ruby Lane
Mount Hope, WV 25880

Arrive and Check-in at Ruby Welcome Center visible from State Route 19.
Directions to E2 (NAYLE HQ):

From the north security gate, follow Jack Furst Drive, then turn left to Echo Pass. Follow Echo Pass to the next STOP sign. Turn left, then turn right; then turn left again, then turn right again. Continue on the road downhill until you reach the entrance to Echo Sub Camp. Then turn left, and follow the road downhill. When you have reached the Echo Sub Camp, follow the map (turn left, then right) to the NAYLE HQ.