Frequently Asked Questions about RYLA

What are the Camp Dates?

- RYLA camp will be held <u>January 31 February 2, 2020 at Camp Zephyr</u> which is a camp located on Lake Corpus Christi, just 30 mins north of Corpus Christi city limits.
- Write the dates on your calendar and CONFIRM you will be able to attend the full weekend.

When do I have to check-in?

• NOTE: RYLA check-in at Camp Zephyr is from 10:30 am to 11:30 am Friday. Due to the fast moving program, no late check-ins will be allowed.

Closing ceremonies will be from 10-11 am on Sunday. Dorm check-out and release will be at 11:30 am Sunday.

How do I get to Camp Zephyr?

 <u>Transportation to RYLA is provided by your sponsoring Rotary Club</u>. Campers are not allowed to drive themselves to RYLA. Check with your sponsoring Rotary Club RYLA Coordinator to arrange for transportation to and from Camp Zephyr. Your school counselor can provide you the contact name if not found on any of your forms.

Can I get an Excused Absence for my school if needed?

If your High School needs a signed "Excused Absence" form, please <u>contact Ms. Lysa</u>
 <u>Chapman at the Rotary Club of Corpus Christi</u> via email: <u>rotarycc@swbell.net</u> or 361-882-8672 office.

Who pays for Camp?

• Your sponsoring Rotary Club is paying \$300.00 for you to be a camper and in addition is providing transportation, food, housing and supplies. Campers have no fees to attend. It is an award.

What does the Camper have to bring to RYLA?

 A complete list of things is located in Section 6 of the RYLA Handbook – "What to bring to RYLA for Campers"

What forms do I and my parents need to fill-out to register for RYLA?

- Complete and sign the listed documents, and return to your school counselor within 2 weeks
 - 1. Application/Nomination Form
 - 2. Consent, Waiver, Medical Release Form
 - 3. Youth Protection Policy Form
 - 4. Photography Release Form
- A copy of these forms and information on RYLA are available at http://www.rotarycc.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/07/2020-Camper-Forms-complete.pdf

What if I have to cancel?

 NOTIFY IMMEDIATELY your school counselor or RYLA Coordinator so that another alternate camper may be able to attend.