



# ROTARY CLUB OF PALMERSTON NORTH

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## **ROTARY YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARD 2014 Seeking Future Leaders!**

The Rotary Club of Palmerston North is inviting applications for sponsorship of an individual to the District 9940 RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Award) 2014 Programme.

Each year an elite group of future leaders are selected to attend RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Award). Rotary Clubs throughout the world organise RYLA Programmes for candidates who've been selected for their leadership qualities. The RYLA Programme aims to recognise, encourage and educate young leaders in the community and workplace by offering them an intensive leadership training experience.

By sponsoring RYLA, Rotary demonstrates its respect and concern for future leaders. The programme encourages, assists and trains selected future leaders in responsible and effective leadership.

RYLA also recognises publicly the high qualities of those who are rendering service to their communities. This is a programme that provides both personal and career skills. In recent years, organisations, clubs and societies have also sponsored members who are showing leadership potential.

The RYLA Programmes continue to build on their outstanding success.

The Rotary Club of Port Nicholson has the privilege of hosting and organising the RYLA 2014 Programme at Silverstream Retreat in the Hutt Valley for District 9940 which covers all of the lower North Island from New Plymouth and the Wairarapa to Wellington.

It's an experience for 56 young people, between the ages of 18 and 24 inclusive as at 22 January 2014, who've demonstrated potential as leaders.

The RYLA programme will challenge participants mentally and physically with a wide variety of subjects and activities planned over a five-day period beginning with registrations on Wednesday morning through to the conclusion Sunday afternoon.

RYLA 2014: Wednesday 22 January 2014 to Sunday 26 January 2014.

**P.O.BOX 1454    PALMERSTON NORTH    NEW ZEALAND**

**Club meetings on Mondays at 12 noon, Convention Centre, 354 Main St, Palmerston North**

**[www.pnrotary.co.nz](http://www.pnrotary.co.nz)**

Along with other Rotary Clubs and organisations throughout the District, the Rotary Club of Palmerston North is now seeking potential nominees to sponsor to attend RYLA 2014.

The sponsorship will cover the attendance fee of \$830 (incl. GST) for this high class, five day programme. The successful candidate must arrange and separately cover the cost of his/her transport to and from the venue. Applications must be made in writing using the RYLA 2014 Application Form which is available to download from <http://www.ryla9940.co.nz/> For further information contact Kevin Smith of the Rotary Club of Palmerston North or visit [www.ryla9940.co.nz](http://www.ryla9940.co.nz)

APPLICATIONS CLOSE WITH THE SECRETARY, ROTARY CLUB OF PALMERSTON NORTH, PO BOX 1454, PALMERSTON NORTH ON 30 September 2013.

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