## NYLT COURSE RULES, POLICIES, & PROCEDURES

\*Staff and participants are required to live by the Scout Oath and Law. Respect for others is a must. Therefore, all staff and participants will respect peers and adults.

\*The Scoutmaster/Course Director has full authority to dismiss from the course, without recourse or refund, any participant guilty of a violation shown below.

\* Possession of contraband

\* Stealing

\* Hazing or bullying

- \* Violent, destructive, or disruptive behaviors
- \* Degrading remarks, name-calling, or vulgar/foul language or actions
- \*All youth staff and participants are required to use the buddy system, ensuring that someone knows where they are at all times.
- \*Any participant taking medications must take these medications to the medic during registration. These medications may be stored in the health lodge and given at the appropriate times by an adult staffer. The participant taking medications is responsible for reminding the adult staff to provide them with their medications.

## \*Participant eligibility:

- o Must be a registered member of a Scouting unit.
- Must have a current BSA Health and Medical Record form parts A, B, and C.
- Scouts must be 13 years of age and fall within the maximum age allowance for their program registration. In addition, they must be a First-Class Scout and have completed Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops.
- O Venturers and Sea Scouts (male and female) must be at least 14, or 13, have completed eighth grade, and fall within the maximum age allowance for their program. They must have completed Introduction to Leadership Skills for Crews or Ships. It is recommended that they have had at least one year of camping experience. While NYLT is not an outdoor skills course, it is important that each participant have a basic camping and outdoor cooking experience.
- o Have a unit leader recommendation.