



ROTARY YOUTH EXCHANGE

FINLAND

District 1410

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SUMMER CAMP IN RAISIO, FINLAND 2012

- NAME:** International RYLA Leadership Camp
- WHERE:** Raisio (15 km north of Turku, 160 km west of Helsinki)
- WHEN:** July 30th – Aug 12th, 2012
Family Period, July 30th - Aug 4th
Camp Period, Aug 5th - Aug 11th
- ARRIVAL:** Turku Airport , July 30th
- DEPARTURE:** Turku Airport, Aug 12th
- PARTICIPANTS:** 16 participants from EEMA countries
- AGE:** 18 - 20 years, we prefer two participants from a country, a boy and a girl
- PROGRAMME:** The camp consists of two parts. The participants will spend one week together with their host families to get an idea of the Finnish way of life. During the camp period we will all stay together in Linnavuori Nature Center, Masku www.linnavuorenerakeskus.fi.
Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) is Rotary's leadership training program for young people. If you feel that there is a leader inside you that needs training, this is the camp for you. Experienced professionals and a professional trainer will bring out your leadership skills and outdoor activities will teach you team building.
During the camp we will be living in shared rooms, girls and boys separated. The camp is located in a beautiful place by the nature and water. During the Finnish summer nights there is light almost the whole night and you can have fire by the water in the evenings.
- EQUIPMENT:** Your personal medication, suitable outdoor clothing and sleeping bag. The daytime temperature is normally between 15 – 25 degrees Celsius. Water temperature is around 20 C°. Take your swimsuit with you. In the evenings participants can go swimming and try the Finnish sauna.
- COSTS:** Participants pay their own costs to and from Turku and shall have their own pocket money.
- INSURANCE:** Participants must have valid insurance policy in case of sickness or injury.
- APPLICATIONS:** The applicant must use the official Rotary Youth Exchange – Short-Term Exchange Program (STEP) Application form when applying to the camp. The deadline for the applications is 15th April, 2012. We prefer electronic applications.
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