

TO THE CHAPTER REPRESENTATIVE

Please put your Chapter name & your name, address and phone number on the brochures and forms which you distribute. Send application with the Brochure. You should receive prior to 15 MAY!

When you have **interviewed** and made your selections, send or give the selected students the Parental & Medical Authorization & Release Form. This form should be returned to you, with **notarized** signatures, NLT May 15, 2013. Please forward all paperwork to the AZYLC Director before May 30, 2013. Please remember this program is for all students. We would like to maintain a balanced class, such as cadets versus non-cadets, male versus female, etc.

TO THE STUDENT

1. Complete the application form give to your sponsoring Chapter representative.
2. You should be interviewed by a member of the sponsoring Chapter. Your Chapter representative will arrange the interview.
3. If you are selected, you will receive one form which will require a **notarized** signature of your parents or guardians. Return this form to your Chapter Representative as soon as possible **but before May 30, 2013.**
4. If you are selected, and complete the required paperwork, you will receive a welcoming letter from the AZYLC Director BY June 14 with information vital to your stay.
5. Your Chapter representative will notify you of transportation arrangements.

YOUR CHAPTER REPRESENTATIVE

Is: _____
 Chapter: _____
 Address: _____

 Phone: _____
 Email: _____

**PROUDLY ANNOUNCES THE
 TWENTY THIRD ANNUAL ARIZONA
 YOUTH LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE
 (AZYLC)**



16-20 JULY 2013

**Conducted on the campus of
 ASU WEST
 Phoenix, Arizona**

**This program is supported by the Mary Lou
 Fulton Teachers College.**



**A FREE PROGRAM FOR 2012/13
Sophomore & Junior HIGH SCHOOL
**STUDENTS WHO DESIRE TO
 BECOME LEADERS****

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The Military Order of the World Wars (MOWW) is a patriotic, nonpartisan, nonsectarian association. MOWW is composed of commissioned and warrant officers of the seven branches of the United States Uniformed Services. Today the 18,000 members in the 150 Chapters throughout the nation are offered the opportunity to continue to serve their country in a non-self serving posture and to apply their efforts towards the fulfillment of the MOWW CREDO that "IT IS NOBLER TO SERVE THAN BE SERVED". They unselfishly donate their time and resources in the conduct and support of, local patriotic programs and activities such as the AZYLC.

Today the 23 MOWW Youth Leadership Conferences are conducted in 20 locations around the country including AZYLC at ASU WEST, Phoenix, Arizona.

OBJECTIVES OF THE AZYLC

- Identify the basic elements of leadership needed in the maintenance of a free society.
- Identify the basic concepts of the free enterprise system and the foundation upon which this great nation was built.
- Develop an appreciation for the Constitution as the significant foundation of our country.
- Develop an awareness of the responsibilities of every citizen toward the perpetuation of our rights and freedoms.
- Develop leadership skills to enable students to become better citizens and the future leaders of our country.

APPROVAL BY NASSP

The National Association of Secondary School Principals (NASSP) has approved this program for the NASSP National Advisory List of Contests and Activities for the year 2012 – 2013.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

This year's Sophomore and Junior students (School Year 2012/13) - (**next year's Junior's and Seniors**) - are sponsored by MOWW Chapters who will pay the cost of transportation, board, room and tuition.

TO THE PRINCIPAL

If you approve of your students attending the AZYLC, please forward this packet to a counselor, teacher, or department chairperson.

TO THE PARENT / GUARDIAN

This is a great opportunity for your young adult to gain a better understanding of free enterprise, the Constitution of the United States, develop new leadership skills and make new friends. Your notarized approval is required on the ***PARENTAL AUTHORIZATION & RELEASE*** and ***PARENTAL AUTHORIZATION TO CONSENT TO TREATMENT OF A MINOR*** Form.

CURRICULUM

The curriculum includes the study of the U.S. Constitution, free enterprise, leadership theory and application, and many other interesting topics. Students are given the opportunity to interact with instructors and peers. All social activities are planned and chaperoned. Students eat in the College dining room and live in the student dorms. Small group discussions, debates, skits, etc., are the means for student interactions. Teachers/ facilitators don't lecture; they present interesting discussion topics about relevant Constitutional issues for small group activities. Everyone participates and has fun learning with their peers. We encourage all AZYLC graduates to include this leadership conference in their resumes to higher education programs.