TO THE CHAPTER REPRESENTATIVE

Please put your Chapter name and your name, address and phone number on the brochures and forms which you distribute. Send/give out applications with the Brochure. Applications must be submitted back to you prior to 16 MAR 2023!

When you have **interviewed** and made your selections, send or give the selected students the Parental and Medical Authorization and Release Form. This form should be returned to you, with parent/guardian signatures, **before 20 MAR 2023**.

Please forward all paperwork to COL Minor, Assistant to the AZYLC Director NLT **20MAY 2023**. Please remember this program is for *all* students. We would like to maintain a balanced class, such as cadets vs. non-cadets, male vs. female, etc.

TO THE STUDENT

- 1. Complete the application form give to your sponsoring Chapter representative (16 MAR)
- 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 the signature of your parents or guardians. Return this form to your Chapter Representative as soon as possible after interview **but before 25 MAY 2023**.
- 4. If you are selected, and complete the required paperwork, you will receive a welcoming letter from the AZYLC Director by **25 MAY 2023** with information vital to your stay.
- 5. Your Chapter representative will notify you of transportation arrangements.

YOUR CHAPTER REPRESENTATIVE

Is:		
Chapter:		
Address:		
Phone:	 	
Email:		

THE ARIZONA CHAPTERS OF THE MILITARY ORDER OF THE WORLD WARS (MOWW)

Proudly announces the twenty-ninth annual

ARIZONA YOUTH LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE (AZYLC)



10-13 July 2023

Conducted on the campus of ASU WEST Glendale, Arizona

A FREE PROGRAM FOR
2022/2023 Sophomore & Junior
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS
WHO DESIRE TO BECOME LEADERS

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ABOUT MOWW

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 Companions in the 90+ 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 TO BE SERVED".

Companions unselfishly donate their time and resources in the conduct and support of, local patriotic programs and activities such as the AZYLC.

Today the twenty-one MOWW Youth Leadership Conferences are conducted in locations around the country including AZYLC 2019 at ASU West in Glendale, 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 school year 2023.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

This year's (School Year 2022/23) Sophomore and Junior students - i.e. <u>next year's Juniors and Seniors</u> - are sponsored by MOWW Chapters who will pay the cost of transportation, board, room and tuition for students to attend AZYLC.

TO THE PRINCIPAL

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

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 signature is required on the *PARENTAL AUTHORIZATION & RELEASE* and *PARENTAL AUTHORIZATION TO CONSENT TO TREATMENT OF A MINOR* form.

CURRICULUM

The AZYLC curriculum includes the study of the U.S. Constitution, free leadership and enterprise, theory 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 student dorms. Small 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.