



## April 2014 Sea Scout Update

Happy Spring, Central Region! In the past month, there has been a lot of buzz about the newly elected officers to serve in the 2014-2015 VOA's. If you ran but weren't selected, there are still opportunities out there for you to hold a position! There are openings in the Sea Scout Central Region and Area Flotillas. The duties and responsibilities are very similar to those in Venturing. The "Boatswain," has similar duties and responsibilities as the Venturing President, and Boatswain's Mates are similar to the Vice Presidents. If you are looking to apply, please email to me at: [centralregionboatswain@gmail.com](mailto:centralregionboatswain@gmail.com) and I can send you more information about



the positions and the application!



### Central Region Rendezvous-

Registration for the Central Region Rendezvous is now open! You can access it by going to: <http://alincolnbsa.doubleknot.com/event/2014-sea-scout-rendezvous/1488648>. Sign up soon because your early bird discount ends April 30! After that, registration

increases by \$5. The Rendezvous is May 16-18, 2014 and is for every Scout of the Sea Scout and Venturing age who wants to enjoy the fun! One of the many events that will be at the Rendezvous is kayak jousting. There will also be swamped and paddle-less canoe races, cardboard canoe races, Catalina sailing, Sunfish sailing, and lots more. Sign up now! There's only 4 1/2 weeks left until the Rendezvous! For more information go to:

<https://sites.google.com/site/crseascoutrendezvous/>

and visit us on Facebook at: <https://www.facebook.com/CentralRegionRendezvous?ref=hl> See you there!



### National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience(NAYLE) at Northern Tier-

How would you like to say that you were the first person to experience NAYLE(National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience) at Northern Tier? Well you can! That's because NAYLE will be held at Northern Tier this summer on July 6-12, 2014 and July 13-19, 2014. You can say you were the first because this is the first time that NAYLE is being taught at Northern Tier!

The only prerequisite for going to NAYLE is that you have to have attended NYLT(National Youth Leadership Training). During NAYLE, you will be able to expand upon the team building and ethical decision making skills learned in NYLT while canoeing and camping in the wilderness of Northern Tier. NAYLE emphasizes leadership, teamwork, and selfless service using the core elements of NYLT to make these skills intuitive. Sign up now to be a part of this Pilot Course, one of the first people to attend NAYLE at Northern Tier! For more information and to register:

<http://www.ntier.org/About/Summer%20Canoe%20Trips/IndividualPrograms.aspx#NAYLE>

### National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience(NAYLE) at Florida Sea Base Summary-

The March NAYLE at Sea Base Session was a great success and was a great experience for 12 youth from across the nation to build on their leadership skills. The April NAYLE at Sea Base Session will be starting on April 12 and it will be great to hear how it goes! This course is

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highly recommended to attend and you can choose from three completely different environments that you would want to experience! Jump in!

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