



## *Participation Kit*

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Dear Participant Attendee,

Rotary focuses on developing leadership skills and self-confidence for the youth to allow them to build and develop their surrounding communities and societies. As such, Rotary and Rotaract Club of Aley come together to welcome you to RYLA Aley 2018's training program entitled **"It's all about YOUth: Winds of Inspiration."**

This year's exciting program aims at boosting your personal development and leadership skills through a creative and inspirational approach, and allows you to participate in team-building activities.

This superb illuminating retreat will take place on the **31<sup>st</sup> of August, 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> of September 2018** at **"Ramlieh Hostel, AFDC Training Center"** located in Ramlieh, Aley Caza, Lebanon,

Our chosen destination is set in Ramlieh's beautiful forest and natural site to ensure that your experience is free of any interruptions and is completely safe for you to enjoy.

We hope that through RYLA Aley 2018, you will enhance your professional and personal skills and create wonderful memories while having a blast!

Sincerely yours,  
The Organizing Committee

**\* Program:**

| Friday, August 31, 2018     |                                          |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| 18:00 – 20:00               | Registration – Don't forget your IDs     |
| 20:00                       | Opening Ceremony                         |
| Saturday, September 1, 2018 |                                          |
| 07:30 – 08:50               | Breakfast                                |
| 09:00 – 10:30               | <b>Session 1: Discover Charisma</b>      |
| 10:35 – 10:45               | Coffee Break                             |
| 10:50 – 12:20               | <b>Session 2: You are the forest!</b>    |
| 12:20 – 12:50               | <b>Session 3: Inspirational Talk</b>     |
| 12:50 – 14:00               | Lunch                                    |
| 14:00 – 15:15               | <b>Session 4: Skiracle sessions</b>      |
| 15:30 – 16:00               | <b>Session 5: BDL Circular 331</b>       |
| 16:15 – 17:15               | <b>Session 6: AUM Meditation</b>         |
| 17:30 – 20:00               | Free Time + AFDC Activities              |
| 20:00                       | Dinner                                   |
| Sunday, September 2, 2018   |                                          |
| 07:30 – 08:50               | Breakfast                                |
| 9:00 - 11:30                | <b>Session 7: Rural Entrepreneurship</b> |
| 11:40 – 11:50               | Coffee Break                             |
| 12:00 – 14:00               | <b>Session 8: Future of Work</b>         |
| 14:30 – 16:30               | Lunch + Closing Ceremony                 |

**\* Location & Directions:**

Ramlieh Hostel, AFDC Training Center



Located in a pristine small forest in the quaint village of Ramlieh in Mount Lebanon, Ramlieh Hostel offers unique features with cheap rates, ranging from rooms, food and seminar services to eco-tourism activities of exploring natural and cultural heritages and sites of surroundings.

Visitors have the opportunity of enjoying several adventurous and exploratory activities in nature, besides interacting with locals in a friendly environment.

Ramlieh Hostel, a Hosteling International member in Lebanon, offers unique accommodation with 22 twin rooms. For an enjoyable and relaxing stay, all rooms are furnished with comfortable beds and provided with sheets and towels, closets, air conditioning and heating systems. Each room has its own toilet and shower.

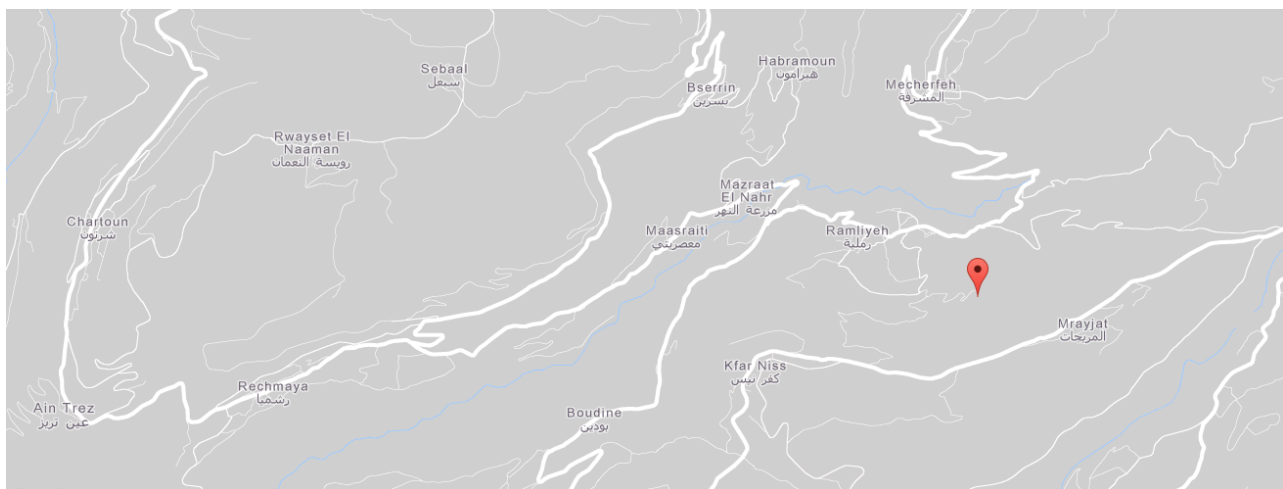
- A cafeteria that serves only Lebanese traditional food prepared by women from the local community. Taste the natural healthy food and beverage while taking a retreat from crowded everyday life...
- Enjoy the cozy sitting room, with a flat TV screen and a chimney where long pleasant nights are worth trying...
- Conference rooms can accommodate up to 100 people, equipped with an LCD projector, screen, flip charts, sound and translation system etc... all the services needed for a professional conference, training and any other sorts of meetings are available.
- The hostel is also equipped with a computer lab and wireless internet is available.
- Experience open areas for field activities in the forest surrounding the hostel.





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## Directions:



## Rope Activities:

Feel the Adventure!

You are encouraged to try our adventurous activities: zip-line and sky-walking tours. In these activities, you will be asked to pass on high circuits and over high-swinging bridges, then fly back to the ground. All the process will be monitored by professionals to ensure your safety while you take on the adventure!





**\* Code of Conduct:**

- You are kindly requested to respect the program schedule as punctuality and attendance are mandatory.
- You are kindly requested to respect the speakers' schedule during the workshops and maintain a professional conduct. Please refrain from asking any questions unless the related speaker allows a Q&A session.
- You are kindly requested to wear your name tag at all times.
- You are responsible towards the safety of the accommodations, facilities and/or premises. A breach of the conduct or any disrespect towards properties or personnel of the resort will allow the Organizing Committee to dismiss you from the event and penalize you with all the expenses covering the infractions.
- If you require to leave the premises, you are kindly requested to first notify any RYLA Organizing Committee member of your departure and whether you will be returning or not.
- Please note that your personal safety falls under your sole responsibility. As an attendee, you are requested to practice safe measures and remain alert at all times. If any injury or incident should occur, the RYLA committee and Ramlieh resort will hold no responsibility towards the attendees who are kindly requested to notify any relevant authority and the Organizing Committee members of the incident.

\*Kindly note that the Organizing Committee will be available at all times for all your inquiries.





**\* Dress Code:**

- Dress in comfortable and casual clothing during all sessions.
- For the Opening/Closing ceremonies:
  - Ladies:* Leave your heels behind, Dress real pretty, Dress real fine.
  - Men:* Dress for comfort, Dress for fun.
- Bring your sweatpants and your running shoes to enjoy the sports activities on Saturday afternoon.
- Don't forget to bring your hoodies for late nights' gatherings

**Reminder: ID is a must**

**Looking forward  
to meeting you  
all there!**