



PHILADELPHIA
OUTWARD BOUND SCHOOL

Youth Leadership Corps: Apprentice Program for YLC Alumni

Overview:

After participating in a Youth Leadership Corps program of the Philadelphia Outward Bound School, three (3) alumni will be selected to gain a deeper learning experience to discover and refine their leadership potential. POBS is introducing this new, year-long **Apprentice Program**, whose participants will play a pivotal role in selecting and developing next year's YLC students and model Outward Bound's core value of service by engaging in positive ways with their schools, neighborhoods and communities.

Roles & Responsibilities:

- Serve as an advocate for participating students.
- Assist in the recruiting efforts and student selection process for YLC.
- Be the primary coordinator for each crew's post expedition service project and YLC alumni meet up's.
- Attend the summer YLC expedition as an Instructor assistant and role model
- Assist POBS Program Team in outreach and preparation for enrolling students.

Requirements & Qualifications:

- NJ or PHL Youth Leadership Corps Alum
- Must be at least 18 years of age
- Desire to give back through service to your community.
- Background screening (Covered by POBS)

What are the benefits?

- Gain valuable training in organizational and planning experience.
- Participate as a role model and leader on YLC 14-day summer expedition.
- Outward Bound leadership training & professional experience.
- 100 Accredited Community Service Hours.
- Experience in working with a non-profit educational organization.
- Discover your community: Learn by Doing!
- \$1,000 scholarship for an Outward Bound USA course to advance personal development.
- Excellent resume builder for college and career.

POBS Youth Leadership Corps Apprentice Program: 2015-2016 Timeline

Month		To Do
December 2015	Selection of 2016 Apprentice	Welcome! POBS will take the time to outline the goals and vision for your apprenticeship and help you build a leadership development plan for the program.
January – February 2016	Recruitment	Assist POBS team in student recruitment and school/community outreach (distributing flyers, making presentations, and sharing your experience with interested students)
March 2016	Interview / Selection of Students	Help POBS team interview and select YLC candidates - do they have what it takes to be part of the Youth Leadership Corps?
July 2016	Training and 2016 Expedition NJ YLC: 7/10/16 – 7/23/16 PHL YLC: 7/25/16 – 8/7/16	POBS will provide specialized training to prepare you for your role on the expedition course. You will be part of the Instructor team and help facilitate a YLC expedition crew as an Instructor assistant.
August – September 2016	Service Project	Post-expedition, you will help your YLC crew coordinate a meaningful service project that impacts your community.
October 2016	<i>Building Adventure 2016</i> Annual Fundraiser	Help raise money for Youth Leadership Corps and get the chance to participate in this annual fundraising event!
November 2016	Alumni Celebration and Gathering	Work with POBS team to bring your crew together to celebrate their service and engage their families and community in a special event.
December 2016	Completion of Apprenticeship Program and Inauguration to YLC Committee	Recognition of your service to the POBS YLC program and inauguration into an elite leadership team as a member of the YLC Committee. In this role, you will help us continue to select YLC alumni Apprentices and improve this unique program that inspires youth leaders to make their world a better place.