

\$300 RYLA Cancellation Fee Acknowledgement

The Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) program is funded through sponsorships by local Rotary Club <u>and</u> made possible by hundreds of volunteer hours from Rotarians. Rotary Clubs pays \$300.00, raised in the normal course of fundraising, to fund each Student's attendance. Since we solicit and collect donations from the public at large, we are obligated to be responsible stewards of these donations. Our loss of these funds, caused by a student's failure to attend, requires us to charge a cancellation fee.

Here is a small sampling of what your student's \$300 scholarship is worth to others we serve:

- 492 children immunized against polio
- 520 posters promoting immunization
- 520 aprons to identify health workers, volunteers, and vaccinators
- 2080 finger markers to identify children immunized
- 182 vaccine carriers to keep vaccines cold

Please understand a student's "no show", or late arrival or early departure hurts many people, and of course, the students attending the program itself. This is why we need your signed commitment:

Commitment to Reimburse

hereby commit to reimburse the Rotary Club providing my student's program fees to attend RYLA if for any reason my student fails to attend or withdraws before any qualified substitute could be found. Any student who fails to cancel after 15 days prior to the Friday start of the program will be subject to this cancellation fee. Prorated reimbursements may be accessed, at the sole discretion of the RYLA committee, should my student arrive late or need to leave the program early. Date:

(Print name of participating Student)