



Name: _____

Nation: _____

NATIONAL LEADERSHIP AWARD

- 2015 Evaluation Criteria; to be awarded early 2016 -

CRITERIA TO EARN NLA

The following are the minimum requirements to receive the National Leadership Award (NLA):

1. The NLA program is limited to National Commanders.
2. The National Commanders must earn at least 200 points using the evaluation sheet from each of the following three evaluation categories:
 - a. Training and personal growth—minimum of 75 points from this category.
 - b. Leadership responsibilities—minimum of 75 points from this category.
 - c. Administration and reporting—minimum of 50 points from this category.
3. The National Commander must consistently wear a clean and professional looking Royal Rangers uniform.
4. Must complete the Leadership Training Course and National Training Camp in order to participate in the program.
5. Must complete the Regional Report described in the Administration category.

RECOGNITION

Recipients of the NLA will be awarded a medal, a ribbon, and a handsome certificate to proudly display.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. The NLA evaluation form must be completed early March 2016, and sent with all documentation requested to the Regional RRI Coordinator postmarked before March 15, 2016.
2. The points recorded on the evaluation sheets must represent those earned the previous calendar year (January 1 – December 31, 2015).
3. The Regional Coordinator and the Director will give (or send) recognition to the National Commanders during the months of May and June 2016.

EVALUATION CATEGORIES

1. Training and Personal Growth

Leader’s Medal of Achievement: If you have earned the Leader’s Medal of Achievement (LMA), you are credited 50 points; these points are credited every year once the LMA is earned. Provide the date and location you received the LMA.

Date: _____
 Location: _____
 Total points earned: _____

Training Received: Place a check mark next to the training received in the previous calendar year only (provide date and location). Also mark those earned in previous years. Ten points may be earned for training received in the previous calendar year. A maximum of 30 points per year may be credited.

	Date	Location
<input type="checkbox"/> Church Leadership Orientation		
<input type="checkbox"/> Outpost Council Training		
<input type="checkbox"/> Ranger Fundamentals		
<input type="checkbox"/> Ranger Essentials		
<input type="checkbox"/> Leadership Training Course		
<input type="checkbox"/> Ranger Kids Training Conference		
<input type="checkbox"/> Ranger Safety		
<input type="checkbox"/> National Rangers Ministry Camp		
<input type="checkbox"/> National Training Camp		
<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced National Training Camp		
<input type="checkbox"/> Junior Leadership Foundations (help a student earn this)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Gold Bar Training Camp		
<input type="checkbox"/> Training Academy		
<input type="checkbox"/> National Academy		
<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced Academy		
<input type="checkbox"/> Academy Instructor		
Total points earned:		

Continuous Learning: Earn 10 points for each continuous learning opportunity completed for a maximum of 30 points per year (more may be earned, but only 30 may be credited).

List the Training Workshops (indoor related training) received in the previous calendar year (list date and location). NOTE: At least one continuous training

workshop must be earned by completing a Global University course at the Christian Service level or higher (For more information: http://www.globaluniversity.edu/sed_programs_cs.cfm or <http://www.globalreach.org/index.cfm?event=courselist&cid=3> to download courses)

Training Workshops	Date	Location
Total points earned:		

List the Skill Training (outdoor related training) received in the previous calendar year (list date and location):

Skill Training	Date	Location
Total points earned:		

Serving on Training Staff: Ten points may be earned for each time you personally served on staff at a Royal Rangers leadership training activity. List the event, date, location, and position/subject/responsibility. A maximum of 30 points per year may be credited.

Event	Date	Location	Position, subject, or responsibility
Total points earned:			

Regional Coordinator's Book Pick: 15 points for reading one of the Regional Coordinator's recommended books. A maximum of 15 points per year may be credited. Ask your Regional Coordinator for the recommended reading list. Provide book title and author(s).

Book Title	Author(s)
Total points earned:	

Total Training and Personal Growth Points Earned: _____
 (Minimum of 75 points needed)

2. Leadership Responsibilities

Regional (and/or global) Fellowship or Training Events: 5 points may be earned for attendance at each event (such as leadership conferences, regional camps, or training events). A maximum of 10 points per calendar year may be credited. List the event, date, and location.

Event	Date	Location
Total points earned:		

National Camporama: 10 points may be earned for conducting a national camp for students and leaders. If, as a matter of strategy, smaller regional camps are held in place of a large national camp, the National Commander may qualify for the points.

Date	Location
Total points earned:	

National Leadership Conference: 10 points may be earned for conducting a national leadership conference or council each year. If, as a matter of strategy, smaller regional conferences are held in place of a large national conference, the National Commander may qualify for the points.

Date	Location
Total points earned:	

National Training Events: 5 points for each national training event conducted. Points credited are not limited to the events the National Commanders conducted, but may also include events conducted by nationally trained staff. A maximum of 10 points may be credited.

Training Event	Date	Location
Total points earned:		

Ministry to Local Groups: 2 points may be earned for each outpost meeting or event visited in the calendar year. A maximum of 10 points may be credited.

Group	Date	Location
Total points earned:		

Promotional Events: 5 points may be earned for each non-Royal Rangers conference or event attended where either a booth was set up and manned for the duration of the event, and/or at which a presentation was made. A maximum of 10 points may be credited.

Event	Date	Location
Total points earned:		

New Outposts: 1 point may be earned for each new-chartered outpost established in the nation in the previous calendar year. Unlimited points may be credited on net gain (ie. If 6 outposts are closed and 10 new ones are opened, only 4 points are earned). List the number of chartered outposts at the beginning of the previous calendar year, and the number at the end of the year.

Number of new-chartered outposts:	
Number of outposts closed:	
Net growth:	
Total points earned:	

Ranger of the Year Program: 5 points if the Ranger of the Year program was operational during the previous calendar year.

Total points earned:

Numeric Growth: Points may be earned by numeric growth of chartered members. 5 points for 5-10% growth; 6 points for 11-20% growth; 7 points for 21-30% growth; 8 points for 31-40% growth; 9 points for 41-75% growth; 10 points for 76-100% growth. List the number of chartered members at the beginning of the previous calendar year, and the number at the end of the year.

Number of chartered members at the start of the year:	
Number of chartered members at the end of the year:	
Total points earned:	

Written Strategic Plan: The National Commander may earn 25 points each year for preparing a written strategic plan for the development of the Royal Rangers ministry in the nation. It should include a plan for the following year (calendar events, goals, dreams, etc.), and projections for 3 and 5 years. This should not be prepared alone, but with all key national staff members at an annual planning retreat/meeting. To receive credit for points, include a copy of the strategic plan.

25 points earned if written strategic plan is sent to the Regional RRI Coordinator with this evaluation form:

Personnel: The National Commander may earn 5 points for presenting a national organizational chart with the names of the individuals in each position. Five bonus points may be credited if the chart includes the names of the individuals who hold the positions, and if the chart includes positions that are to be added or developed in the following years, based on the national strategic plan.

5 points for national organizational chart:

5 bonus points if chart includes names:

Total points earned:

Quarterly Communication: The National Commander may earn 15 points for sustaining quarterly communication (via a newsletter or magazine; print and/or electronic) with local outposts. To receive credit for points, include a copy of at least four such communiqués.

15 points if copies of the communiqués are included:

National Website: Earn 15 points for maintaining a national website. (Site may not allow unsolicited/unpaid advertising.) Website must accurately identify the legal trademark owner (per the *Cooperative Values and Practices* of RRI). Please list the website address for review.

Website address:

Total points earned:

Signed Chartering Steward Agreement: The National Commander may earn 10 points if the nation has a signed Chartering Stewardship Agreement with Royal Rangers International. Ten bonus points may be credited if the nation has also legally registered the Royal Rangers name and logo (per the Agreement), and sent the Regional Coordinator a copy of the documentation translated into English, if necessary. These points may only be earned once; in the first year they are accomplished, but not in subsequent years.

10 points for signed CSA with RRI:

10 bonus points for legally registered RR name and logo:

Total points earned:

Total Leadership Responsibility Points Earned: _____
(Minimum of 75 points needed)

3. Administration and Reporting

National Executive Committee/Body: 15 points may be earned each year for appointing national staff members to key positions (such as, but not limited to, National Chaplain, National Training Coordinator, Productions Coordinator, Camps Coordinator, etc.) To receive credit, provide a list of positions and the names of those assuming these responsibilities on a separate sheet.

Total points earned:

National Executive Committee/Body Meetings: 10 points may be earned for each duly convened meeting with the National Executive Committee/Body. A maximum of 20 points may be credited.

Event	Date	Location
Total points earned:		

Chartering: 15 points for having an annual renewable chartering system for the outposts in the nation. Chartering should include an annual reporting system from the outposts.

Total points earned:

Regional Report: 25 points for completing a one-page report for the Regional Coordinator each year. The report should at least include the following from the previous year: Starting chartered student membership number, and year-end number; Starting registered leaders membership number, and year-end number; Starting chartered outposts number, and year-end number; Significant numbers that indicate spiritual development (number of salvations, those called to ministry, filled with Holy Spirit, etc.); Total income and total expenses, and year-ending balance/deficit; List of key national events or highlights; Photos; A brief written description of what God is doing in your nations through Royal Rangers. Send this with this evaluation form to the Regional RRI Coordinator. NOTICE: This report is required to earn the NLA.

Total points earned:

Annual Contribution: 15 points for paying the annual dues to Royal Rangers International (\$100 per year, or 0.5% of the gross annual income -whichever is greater- from the national Royal Rangers ministry.). Send payment or proof of payment to the Regional RRI Coordinator.

Total points earned:

Total Administration and Reporting Points Earned: _____
(Minimum of 50 points needed)

Thank you, and may God richly bless as you express your commitment to personal and ministerial growth!