Yellow Ribbon Conference!

You won't want to miss the next Yellow Ribbon Conference. We hope you'll join us June 8-10 in Westminster Colorado. This will be a great opportunity for the Yellow Ribbon Family to gather and learn from each other, some amazing workshops, speakers and more. Be prepared to highlight what you and your group/Chapter are doing with YR!

Registration opens 1/25. Hotel information will be available soon.

Register beginning next week and plan to be a part of the Yellow Ribbon Conference in 2018. Check out www.yellowribbon.org/conference for all the information! We'll see you in June!

Where is YR?

February -
6 - YRI Board Mtg.
8-9 Train The Trainer, YRI

June -
8-10 - YRI Conference

1000 Kick Challenge
Mark your calendars for the Second
It is a New Year and we have many new things rolling out for Chapters & Trainers in 2018. As a reminder ALL Chapters are required to renew annually to have the legal permission for use of all Yellow Ribbon materials. ALL Trainers must re-certify every two years.

We’re excited for new Power Points to be rolling out in February that will replace all current & older versions. The new slides are the only ones that are allowed to be used as part of Yellow Ribbon trainings/presentations. Chapters & Trainers must be current by March 1st 2018 to continue using the Yellow Ribbon Program in their communities. All current will begin receiving the updated materials as they roll out.

The next opportunity to recertify is at our Train The Trainer Feb 8-9 in Westminster, CO. If you have any questions please drop an email and we’ll help you get renewed, recertified and taken care of.

**Youth Council**

Our [International Youth Council](#) (IYC) is excited to introduce our new President, Kayla H.(CA), Vice President, Gregorio V. (KS), and YRI Board Representative Lauren E. (KS). We’re so excited for your leadership alongside that of all the IYC in 2018.

The IYC is made up of youth/young adults from around the globe with an interest in sharing their voice at the table to further the mission of Yellow Ribbon in making suicide prevention accessible to everyone.

**Thank You!**

A BIG Thank You to all who donated to Yellow Ribbon this past year. Your gifts of time & financially helped that we may reach more with suicide prevention.