

CAMPERSHIP REQUEST

This form is for ORM events at **Acorn Camp, Camp Kinawind, Judson Collins Center** and **Lake Huron Retreat Center**.
For all other camps, please apply for a camp scholarship through that camp office.

Name of Camper _____ to attend _____
Event No. _____ Name of Camp _____

Street address _____ Date of Camp _____

City _____ Zip _____

Parent or Guardian _____ Parent Daytime Phone Number _____

Church/Organization _____ City located _____ District _____

Number of dependents living in household: _____

Does your child qualify for: Free School Lunch Yes No

Reduced School Lunch Yes No

If no, what is your annual household income from all sources: _____

Explain any unusual financial circumstances or obligations other than normal living expenses: _____

Cost of event \$ _____

Amount from Camper /Family \$ _____

Amount from local church/organization \$ _____

Amount from other sources \$ _____

Requesting from Campership Fund \$ _____

TOTAL (should equal Total Cost) \$ _____

Pastor's Signature _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

**Return to: Camperships
United Methodist Outdoor & Retreat Ministries
1309 N. Ballenger Hwy, Suite 1
Flint, MI 48504**

Office Use Only

Amount Granted \$ _____ Date _____ Approved _____

Camper # _____ Account _____

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

- The Conference Outdoor and Ministries office and some of the campsites have scholarship funds available to help children attend camp.
- We will consider individual requests based on the need of the family. We are not able to issue “blanket” scholarships to a particular church or for a particular event.
- **Scholarship requests must be received in our office a minimum of sixteen days before the event begins.**
- Consider how much your church can help. Our ideal formula is that the church pay 1/3, the family pay 1/3, and that 1/3 be requested from the scholarship fund.
- Each family will be expected to pay at least a portion of the camp fee, even if it is a very nominal amount in extreme circumstances. Generally the family will be expected to pay 1/3 to 1/2 of the cost of the camp.
- Scholarships will not be awarded for a camper to attend more than one event per year, with the exception of youth service/leadership events (i.e., CIT, Buddies).
- The scholarship cannot be used toward the required deposit; it will be applied to the amount due.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PROCEDURES

- A separate application form must be filled out for each individual. Return to the Outdoor and Retreat Ministries office: 1309 N. Ballenger Hwy, Suite 1, Flint, MI, 48504:
 - Completed Campership request form.
 - Completed camp registration form (from the camp brochure), or a copy of the confirmation if the camper has already registered.
 - The \$75 minimum deposit (unless the camper has already registered). If it is not possible to send the full \$75, please send as much of it as possible with an explanation. We can complete the scholarship request without the full deposit, but cannot complete the camper registration for his/her camp event until the \$75 deposit is received.
- For additional information, or to request a scholarship application form, please call the camp registrar at 800-334-0544 ext 354.