

Campership Fund Application

Campership applications must be submitted in the year for which they apply.



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA
ORANGE COUNTY COUNCIL

Youth Applicant Name:

Campership Funds are available from the Orange County Council for any Orange County Council Scout to attend a Orange County Council camp or day camp program. Funds come from donations from donors who wish to help Scouts attend camp.

Return forms to Orange County Council: 2 Irvine Park Rd, Orange CA 92869 Email: Nicola.Varela@scouting.org Fax: 714.546.0415

- Only one (1) Campership Fund** request will be granted per applicant, per year to allow us to serve as many people as possible. Orange County Council authorizes funds based on income and extenuating circumstances. Generally, the Council Campership Grant is 50 percent of the camp fee. In extreme circumstances, the maximum the Council can grant up to 70%.
- The campership committee feels that it is important for a Scout to contribute some portion of his fees through personal resources or unit fund raising projects, thus meeting the spirit of the 9th point of the Scout Law - A Scout is Thrifty" - a Scout pays his own way.
- Each person requesting financial aid must fill out a separate form.
- A reservation for a camp or program must be made before this request for financial aid will be processed. You may need to check with your unit to be sure a reservation has been made.
- Incomplete applications will be returned without processing.
- Programs such as the Philmont contingent, National Order of the Arrow Conference (NOAC) and National Jamboree have separate scholarship programs and applications, and are not eligible.
- Funds are not available for: out-of-council camps, Scouts or adults from other councils, or adult leader camp fees.
- Once awarded, Campership Funds are not transferable to another person. **If a recipient does not attend** the activity for which the funds were requested, the funds are forfeited and the fee due for the event at time of cancelation will still be due.
- Each recipient will be asked to complete a postcard thanking campership fund donors at the camp or activity.**
- Turn in the application early to ensure consideration. Applications may be submitted after January 1. Limited Campership Funds are available each year and are granted on a first-come, first-served basis.
- All **completed and signed requests** for Campership Funds must be submitted on this form at least three weeks prior to the start of the camp or activity. Forms may be faxed to the Orange County Council at the above number or emailed to the address above. It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that the form arrives in the Orange County Council office on or before the deadline.
- Applications received less than three weeks before the camp or activity will be returned without processing.
- The family of the applicant will receive written notification of any decision, by e-mail, prior to camp.

Please fill out the information below and the backside of this form. Incomplete forms will not be considered.

The maximum Campership amount is 50% of the cost of the camp, class or activity.

Amount of Aid Requested \$ _____

	_____ Signature of Parent / Guardian	
	_____ Print name here	
_____ Email Address	(_____) _____ Daytime Phone #	_____ Date

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Please type or print and fill in all areas so they are readable.
ALL INFORMATION IS KEPT CONFIDENTIAL AND WILL NOT BE SHARED.

Circle the type of unit the applicant is a registered member of: Pack Troop Crew Post Ship	Unit Number (Required) (Pack #, Troop#, Crew #, Post #, Ship #)	District (Required) (not Council)	Circle <u>ethnicity</u> of applicant: (<i>optional</i>) African American Caucasian American Indian Hispanic Asian Other
Dates attending Camp: Name of person attending camp: (<i>one person per form</i>)		Date of Birth: (Month / Day / Year) / /	Email Address:
Mailing Address:			Cell Phone Number: ()
City:	State:	Zip:	Home Phone Number: ()
List names and ages of other children in the home (<i>only children under 18 years of age</i>):			
How many people live in the household? _____		Total average monthly family income before taxes: \$ _____ per month	
Additional information that affects your need for Campership Fund Assistance (Be specific and attach additional sheets if needed): _____ _____ _____			
Did your family participate in the Friends of Scouting Campaign?*		Yes No	
Did this youth participate in the Council Adventure Card sale?*		Yes No	
Did this youth participate in the Council popcorn sale?*		Yes No	
<i>* For statistical purpose only. Participation is not required</i>			
UNIT ENDORSEMENT This area is extremely valuable to the Council Campership Committee. Failure of the Unit to provide this endorsement may result in the application being denied or delayed until further information can be obtained. Information should be provided in this area as to the Scout's attendance at meetings, overnight camping, advancement efforts, citizenship, family support to the unit, Scout spirit, and participation in Council fundraising activities like popcorn sales. In many cases, the unit will be aware of the financial need of the Scout. Confirmation of this fact or further explanation is helpful. Do not merely repeat information already provided. Please include the number of registered youth and number of youth attending camp. This is helpful to the committee in evaluating multiple applications from the same unit. _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____			
Name of Unit Leader: _____		Phone Number: _____	
Email Address: _____		# of registered youth in unit: _____ # of youth attending summer camp: _____	
Unit Leader Signature: _____			

OFFICE USE ONLY Approved or Denied: _____ Date: _____ Amount Awarded \$ _____ Initial: _____ Added to camp reservation: YES or NO Date: _____
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