Boy Scouts of America Grand Canyon Council



CAMPERSHIP APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

*** PLEASE READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY
BEFORE COMPLETING THE ATTACHED APPLICATION FORM ***

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Campership funding is provided by a trust that restricts funds to **youth members** of the Grand Canyon Council attending GCC summer camps and qualified events.

In evaluating this application, please provide comments on as many of these factors as is possible or appropriate:

- 1. Financial need, including family income, number of persons in the family unit, siblings being supported in this or other camping experiences, family medical bills, unemployment, cost of parents attending Council sponsored training programs, etc.
- 2. Efforts by the Scout to help pay his own way.
- 3. The Scout's efforts in advancement and leadership areas.
- 4. Family factors, such as single parent family, no parent family, institution living situation, etc.
- 5. Special needs of the Scout that warrant specific consideration.
 - The Council Campership Committee is concerned about the <u>individual</u> needs and the Unit's individual evaluation of the Scout for whom the request is made.
 - Camperships are limited to no more than 75% of the activity fee not including any additional
 unit fees. Each Scout, his family, or his unit must provide a minimum of 25% of the activity
 cost plus any additional unit fees for incidentals.
 - Additional information: If the space provided is not adequate to provide all information you believe is important, please attach a separate paper.

CAMPERSHIP APPLICATIONS MAY BE SUBMITTED AT ANY TIME. The first round of notifications will be emailed out by March 1st. After March 1st, camperships will be approved on a rolling basis depending on need and availability of funds. **APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE COUNCIL OFFICE NO LATER THAN MARCH 31 FOR SUMMER CAMPING ACTIVITIES.**











SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Scout and Family Information

This area **MUST** be completed by the Scout or his family. Multiple applications from a single Unit for the same amount of assistance (and, in particular, the maximum amount available) generally indicate that the Unit has directed the Scout and/or his family in identifying the amount of assistance needed. **Applications are evaluated on the basis of individual needs, not unit needs.**

2. Monetary Effort of the Scout.

A Scout is THRIFTY. A Scout works to pay his way. This is the ninth part of the Scout Law. The Council Campership Committee is very interested in what the Scout has done to assist his family in providing him with this camping experience. This is a character-building opportunity for Scouts to learn the importance of being THRIFTY. Please submit the amount of funds raised by the Scout for the event he is attending and include a brief explanation of his fundraising efforts. Fundraising efforts are a crucial factor for the Council Campership Committee.

3. Family Needs.

Describe in the space provided the general circumstances that require campership assistance for your Scout to attend camp. (Use an additional page if needed.) The amount of family income is important in evaluating the need, but this information is not mandatory. In the case of divorced parents, it is assumed that child support is being received unless otherwise indicated.

4. Unit Endorsement.

This area is extremely valuable to the Council Campership Committee. Failure of the Unit to provide its endorsement and comments may result in the application being denied or referred back for additional information.

Insert the number of registered youth in the unit and number of youth going to camp in the space provided.

Information the unit can add or confirm concerning the financial need is very important.

Information should be provided in this area as to the Scout's attendance at meetings, overnight camping, and participation in the Council fundraising activities through Scout-O-Rama and/or Popcorn Sales. The Council Campership Committee needs information concerning the Unit's evaluation of the Scout's advancement efforts, his citizenship, the value of this camping experience to the Scout, the efforts of the Scout family in support of your Unit, etc.

Verify that the information supplied by the family in the Family Information Section as to cost provided by the family and by the unit is correct. If money raised from unit activities (i.e. Scout-O-Rams Ticket Sales, Popcorn Sales.) is awarded to the Scout based on his individual efforts, it should be shown as being provided by the family. If this money is allocated by the unit without reference to the individual Scout's efforts or on the basis of need, it should be shown as being provided by the unit.

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CAMPERSHIP APPLICATION

(CAMPERSHIPS ARE NOT TRANSFERABLE & HAVE NO CASH VALUE)
(ALL BLANKS MUST BE FILLED IN)

GRAND CANYON COUNCIL 2969 N. GREENFIELD RD, PHOENIX, AZ 85016-7715 602-955-7747, ext. 239

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FAMILY INFORMATION

This section <u>MUST</u> be filled out by the Scout's family. Briefly describe the circumstances, including

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