



EVENT SCHOLARSHIP REQUEST FORM

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Camp Fire USA is committed to providing services to all children without regard to race, gender, creed, national origin, sexual orientation, economic status or mental or physical disabilities. Accommodations for persons with disabilities will be provided upon request whenever possible.

Please complete one form for each child and return to Camp Fire office **at least 2 weeks before the event registration date.**

Program Center in _____ Group Leader _____ Program Level _____

Leader's Address _____ City _____

ZIP _____ Day Phone (_____) _____ Other Phone(_____) _____

Name of Event _____ Date of Event _____

Full Fee \$ _____ Amount Requested \$ _____

Child's Name _____ Age _____

Will parent be accompanying child on this event? ___ Yes ___ No Are scholarship funds needed for parent? ___

Please note that scholarship funds are available for 50% of the cost of an event. Each child may apply for event scholarship funds only twice during a program (school) year.

Signature of Leader or Parent _____ Date _____

For Processing send to Camp Fire office **at least 2 weeks in advance of registration date to:**

Camp Fire USA
Attention: Receptionist 206 461 8550 or 800 451 CAMP
4241 21st Ave W Suite 200 FAX 206 525 3351
Seattle WA 98199

Leader will receive confirmation of the acceptance or denial of your request within 1 week. Approved funds will be deposited directly into the event account. Group or family will not receive any funds directly.

Office Use Only Event Exch. Acct. # _____ Date received _____	_____
Amount Granted \$ _____ Approved Date _____	Program Director
Copies to: Registrar _____ Leader _____ Accounting _____	





Camp Fire USA

CENTRAL PUGET SOUND COUNCIL

SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS FOR GROUP PROGRAM

The following information applies to annual Council registration fees and group participation costs. The financial assistance form for day camp or resident camp is a separate form and is available through the Camp Fire office.

GUIDELINES FOR USE AND AVAILABILITY OF SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

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Individuals may apply for assistance for any or all of the following expenses:

- 1. Membership Fees:** Full registration fee is \$20 for youth and \$5 for adults, with a maximum of \$45.00 per family. Participant is encouraged to pay a minimum of \$1.
- 2. Group Dues:** Since all youth are expected to participate in the Council product fundraiser, and by doing so they can earn currency and group refunds, reimbursement for group dues will be determined as follows. Leaders may request \$4 per registered youth per month for the months of September through December and \$2 per month for the months of January through June. Groups are expected to use sales product refunds to assist all youth in participating fully in the Group Program.
- 3. Emblems, Beads, Vests and Program Books:** When a Group Program Scholarship Request Form is approved by the Council office, a store credit will be issued for each child which they may use to purchase a vest, program book, and/or emblems and beads at 50% off, up to a maximum amount determined by the Council.
- 4. Council and Program Events:** A separate Event Scholarship Request Form is needed for each Council and Area event, such as the Pacific Science Center Camp-In, Mom-Kid Weekend, and Carnival of Beads. The leader of a group must send the form to the Council Office at least two weeks in advance of the event. The Council will then notify the leader. The credit will cover no more than 50% of the cost of an event.

In order that as many children as possible can have the experience of participation in special events, each child may receive assistance for only 2 events per program year (September - mid June).

The Council expects that individual council currency should be used before scholarship funds are requested.

PROCEDURE FOR APPLYING FOR SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

1. The applicant or group leader fills out Sections I, II, and III of the Group Program Scholarship Request Form. The signed form should be sent to the Council office to the attention of the Receptionist at the following address:

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2. Once Scholarship Funds are approved, a letter of confirmation will be sent to the parent and the Group Leader or Coordinator. Scholarship money for events will be transferred to the appropriate event account. A check for reimbursement of group dues will be sent directly to the Group Leader for deposit into the group treasury. No funds will be given directly to the family.
3. Participant must file a new application form at the beginning of each program year (school year).