

ST. LOUIS YOUTH CAMPS

A NON-PROFIT SCHOLARSHIP ORGANIZATION, HELPING CHILDREN ATTEND CAMP WELOKI

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Thank you for your interest in sending your child to Camp Weloki. One of the goals of *St. Louis Youth Camps* is to provide learning experiences for children from all social-economic backgrounds. One of the ways that we make this happen is by having fund raising events so we do not have to exclude any child who wants to come to camp because of financial reasons.

If you feel that your child would benefit from an experience at Camp Weloki please do not hesitate getting your application turned in. Every year we have more requests for scholarship assistance than we have funds available. Applications are reviewed in the order that they are received.

The decisions of the scholarship committee are based on both the financial situation of the family and on how much the child could benefit from camp. Please feel free to explain your child's situation on the application in order to help us make a decision. You can also include a note from your child as to why they would like to attend Camp Weloki.

We hope that you take advantage of this great opportunity for your child to learn, grow and have a ton of fun this summer.

St. Louis Youth Camps-Scholarship Committee
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Overview of Scholarship Application Process **Please read and follow directions carefully**

Step 1- Applicant sends a completed Scholarship Application packet to *St. Louis Youth Camps* at the address listed above. In order to keep the process fair for everyone it is **mandatory** that all of the information asked for be included.

The Scholarship Application Packet includes **all** of the following:

1. A completed "Scholarship Assistance Application"- **it is important to fill this out completely, including the question "how much financial assistance are you asking for?"** All information will be kept confidential.
2. A completed Camp Weloki registration form, one for each camper. Please select session choice and give a second and third choice. Also include any session that your child would not be able to attend due to other obligations.
3. A copy of your most recent federal income tax filing (**front page only**)

A deposit is not necessary at this time. You can however secure your child's spot when you apply for scholarship by sending a deposit as indicated on the camp registration form.

Step 2- Your application is reviewed by the St Louis Youth Camp Scholarship Committee

Step 3- You will be notified in by e-mail or writing of the amount of scholarship being granted and asked to respond by a specific date. The amount of deposit necessary to hold your child's spot will also be included.

Step 4- Sending of deposit and securing of spot. If you decide to accept the scholarship and enroll your child in camp, a deposit will be necessary at this time, if not already sent. **A spot in camp cannot be held without a deposit.**

ST. LOUIS YOUTH CAMPS – CAMP WELOKI
SCHOLARSHIP ASSISTANCE APPLICATION
(CONFIDENTIAL)

CAMPER'S NAME(S) _____
PARENT/GUARDIAN _____
ADDRESS _____
CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
E-MAIL ADDRESS: (PRINT CLEARLY) _____
PHONE # HOME _____ WORK _____
MARITAL STATUS: _____
WHO REFERRED YOU TO THIS ORGANIZATION? _____
WHY DO YOU WANT TO SEND YOUR CHILD TO CAMP?(USE A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER IF NECESSARY)

WHY ARE YOU ASKING FOR SCHOLARSHIP ASSISTANCE? (USE A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER IF NECESSARY)

HOW MUCH FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE ARE YOU ASKING FOR? (IT IS HELPFUL TO ASK FOR A REASONABLE AMOUNT OF ASSISTANCE – OUR GOAL IS TO HELP AS MANY FAMILIES AS POSSIBLE- FULL SCHOLARSHIPS ARE NOT PROVIDED) PLEASE INDICATE A DOLLAR AMOUNT OR PERCENTAGE OF TUITION: \$ _____ OR _____ %

EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION: PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT _____
PHONE # _____ ADDRESS _____
POSITION _____ SALARY/WAGE _____
LENGTH OF EMPLOYMENT _____
OTHER SOURCES OF INCOME: _____
HOW MANY CHILDREN DO YOU SUPPORT IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD? _____
ARE YOU DEPENDENT ON AN OTHER PERSON FOR SUPPORT? _____

MONTHLY EXPENSES
RENT/MORTGAGE _____
AUTO PMT _____
EDUCATION LOAN PMT _____
MEDICAL INS. _____
AUTO INS _____
OTHER _____
TOTAL EXP _____

MONTHLY INCOME
SALARY _____
BONUS/COMMISSION _____
MAINTENANCE _____
CHILD SUPPORT _____
OTHER _____
TOTAL INCOME _____

THE INFORMATION ON THIS APPLICATION IS TRUE AND CORRECT AND I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE OVERVIEW OF THE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PROCESS:

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN: _____ DATE _____