

Financial Aid Application Muirlands 6th Grade Outdoor School Camp Cuyamaca

Dear Parents and Students:

We are pleased that you would like to participate in the 6th grade outdoor school at Camp Cuyamaca. On the following pages, you will find our Financial Aid Application. A scholarship fund has been established for the 2015 Muirlands Outdoor School trip. Partial scholarships will be awarded according to financial need. Funds are limited, applicants are **not** assured of receiving financial assistance.

In order to qualify for financial aid, you must submit this application (pages 2 and 3) by the deadline of November 14, 2015. Please drop off the application to the school office (ATTN: 6th Grade Camp) or email the application to mmsgrade6camp@gmail.com.

Students applying for scholarships also need to submit their registration card to World Expeditions as soon as possible, and no later than Nov. 13th. Applicants do not need to send the deposit.

Once all applications have been processed, applicants will be notified of their scholarship status by mid-December.

Scholarship awardees will be required to make a minimum payment of \$100 in mid-January after being notified of their scholarship status. Depending on amount awarded, any final balance will be due in mid-February.

Any applicant whose request is denied will need to make a \$100 deposit within two weeks of notification in order to remain on the confirmed list. The final balance will be due in mid-February.

If you have any questions, please contact Michelle Scherrer at shellscherrer@san.rr.com

Thank you,
Muirlands 6th Grade Camp Parent Coordinators

Note: 6th grade camp is independently organized and is not a school-sponsored or funded program.

SCHOLARSHIPS

1. Students applying for financial assistance must fill out and submit the attached application (pages 2 and 3). **They must also send in a registration card to World Expeditions.**
2. If the scholarship fund is not sufficient to meet the needs of all applicants, a copy of your 2014 income tax return will be requested to verify need-basis for distributing limited funds.
3. Applications may be picked up from the 6th grade camp box in the school front office, or may be downloaded from the link on the Muirlands weekly splash.

6th Grade Outdoor School – Application for Financial Aid

All information given on this form will be kept strictly confidential and used solely to determine eligibility and the amount of scholarship assistance for 6th grade camp. In completing this application you are agreeing to participate in fundraising activities for the trip. **It is the responsibility of every family to contribute the maximum amount possible to pay for this optional educational activity.**

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| Student Name _____ | | |
| Father's name: _____ | | |
| Mother's Name: _____ | | |
| Home Address _____ | City _____ | Zip _____ |
| Email(s): _____ | | |
| Phone(s): _____ | | |
| Are you currently receiving free/reduced lunch through the school? Yes No | | |
| Do you own/rent your house? (circle one) Own Rent | | |
| Monthly mortgage/rent? \$ _____/month | | |
| Father's occupation _____ Company _____ Salary \$ _____ | | |
| Mother's occupation _____ Company _____ Salary \$ _____ | | |
| Other Income _____ Salary \$ _____ | | |

To assist in determining the amount of aid required, please complete the following. Keep in mind that full scholarships may not be available. Available funds will depend on donations and fundraising efforts. **Make every effort to cover a portion of your trip's expenses by your family's efforts.**

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| A. Full Amount of Fees: | \$ 35.00 |
| B. Amount Able to Pay: | |
| C. Financial Aid requested: (subtract B from A) | |

Explanation of Need for Financial Assistance
(in your own words)

If you need additional space to explain your financial need, please use a separate sheet of paper.

SIGNATURES:

I am sincerely interested in participating in the Outdoor School at Camp Cuyamaca, and am willing to put forward my best efforts to contribute to the cost of the trip.

STUDENT printed name _____

I support my student's desire to participate on this trip and verify that the information submitted on this application is true.

PARENT printed name _____

PARENT signature _____ Date _____

All information will be kept confidential.