

Camp Tamarack Scholarship Program

Because of the increased demand on the Scholarship Program, we have updated our application process. Please read everything carefully and be sure to provide all necessary documents.

Camp Tamarack Summer Camps are pleased to be able to offer scholarships for campers whose families are not able to afford to send their children to camp at Camp Tamarack. The money for these scholarships is received as donations for the specific purpose of sending a child to camp. Scholarships are available for only one week of camp per camper.

All applications must be accompanied by a letter of reference from someone in a position of authority who is able to support your position. The reference can be from an individual who is involved with the family (teacher, minister, F.C.S.S or social worker, or a person with similar authority). Proof of income must also be provided. This could be a pay stub, last years T4 or tax statement. Other required documents are listed on the Budget Worksheet that is attached.

There are very limited funds available for scholarships and many families who apply. Families are asked to contribute what they can afford towards the registration fees of the camper. This allows Camp Tamarack to stretch our Scholarship donations as far as possible.

As we rely solely on donations to sustain the Camp Tamarack Scholarship Program, thanking sponsors in recognition of donations is very important. Your camper may be asked to make a hand made thank you card or letter at some point during the week (this could also be done at home, if you desire) and would only include the campers first name. The camp may also choose to use pictures taken during the week to send along with a thank you card or letter.

In order to complete the application process for this scholarship please complete the attached form and return it, your references, proof of income and fees and other documents to:

Camp Tamarack Association Box 1333 Grande Prairie, AB T8V 4Z1 Or Fax to (780)539-5754 Attention: Verna Milford

Sincerely,

Verna Milford Camp Director

Scholarship Application Form

Please complete this form and return it with your letter of reference and other documents to: Camp Tamarack Association, Box 1333 Grande Prairie, AB. T8V 4Z1. Or fax/email to (780) 539-5754, camptamarack@telus.net

Have you applied f	or a Scholarship through	ı Camp Tamar	ack before?				
Name: Parent/Guardian			Birthdat	e: Y	M	D	_
Address:							
Address City Home Phone:		P. Code					
Email:							
Spouse's Name:			Birthdat	e: Y	M	D	_
How many people	live in the home?						
Names of Children	living in the home:						
			_ Birthdate: Y	M	D	Sex: _	
First	Last		_ Birthdate: Y	M	D	Sex:	M/F
First	Last						M/F
First	Last		_ Birthdate: Y	M	D	Sex: _	 M/F
			_ Birthdate: Y	Μ	D	Sex:	
First	Last						M/F

Please explain how the camper(s) would benefit from summer camp:

At Camp Tamarack Summer Camps, we believe that everyone should be able to enjoy the summer camp experience, however, as financial assistance is limited, we request that all participants pay a portion of the camp fee. This fee can be half of the regular fee or as much as is reasonable in your circumstance. Scholarships are only available for one week of camp per child – those wishing to attend more than one week will be required to pay the whole fee for subsequent camps. For more information please call Karen at 538-4694.

During the program, pictures and videos may be taken of camp activities. Such pictures and videos cannot be released without the consent and permission of the parent/guardian of the camper. I, the undersigned, hereby give my/our consent and authorization for

_______ to be photographed and/or videotaped, knowing that these pictures and/or videos may be used in thanks to those individuals and companies who have sponsored his/her week at camp.

Printed Name:	Relationship
Signature:	Date:
Witness:	Date:

Budget Worksheet

Applicant's Name: _____

Income Source (per month)	Document Required (receipt, statement or pay stubb)	Total Income	Comments
Wages (entire family)	Document		
Tips (if applicable)			
WCB	Document		
AISH or Social Assistance or other Gov't assistance	Document		
Family Allowance	Document		
Child Support			
Child Tax Credit			
Other Income	Document		
Total Income			

Expenses	Document Required (receipts, invoice, bill or statement)	Monthly Payment	Comments	
Rent or Mortgage	Document			
Home insurance	Max \$35			
Utilities	Document			
Phone	Document			
Alberta Health Care	\$44 each			
Mandatory Medical Needs	Document			
Loan Payments (explain in comments section)	Document			
Household Expenses (Food, clothing, other)	\$250/month for over 14 yrs; \$100/month for under 14 yrs.			
Credit Cards (min payment only)	Document			
Childcare	Document			
Other	Document			
Total Expenses				

Income	- Expenses	= \$	
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Guideline for calculating discount amount:

Revenue – Expenses =	Discount:
\$400/month or more	No discount
\$300-399/month	10%
\$200-299/month	20%
\$100-199/month	50%
\$0-99/month	75%
If in negative	Full Scholarship