

CENTRAL MISSOURI USA MISSION CENTER
YOUTH CAMBERSHIP FUND GUIDELINES

PURPOSE: The Central Missouri USA Mission Center Campership Fund was established to provide financial assistance, in the form of grants, to youth participating in mission center sponsored activities. The intent is to offset all or part of the fees associated with a particular event or program for those who could not otherwise attend due to lack of funds.

THE FUND: The Youth Campership Fund (sometimes referred to as Scholarships-Camp) was established in 1979 by conference action. It has been useful in giving assistance to many having financial needs. Church members and friends make contributions, generally through the offering envelopes, to the Campership Fund. Contributors cannot specify a particular applicant to receive benefit from the fund. Activities and specific fund-raising events may also be scheduled to solicit monies. Congregational funds, when available, may be coordinated with the Campership Fund to assist youth. Recipients who desire to return these funds may do so by contributing to the Campership Fund so that others may take advantage of the fund when necessary.

Funds may be requested by youth, through the calendar year of their high school graduation, who have membership or attend a congregation in the Central Missouri USA Mission Center.

PROCEDURES: The following procedures are to be followed by those applying for assistance from the fund:

- 1) The completed application form is to be submitted to the Mission Center Office (PO Box 350, Warrensburg, MO 64093). Application forms are available from the Mission Center office and can be sent by mail or email to those requesting forms.
- 2) The form must be submitted to the Mission Center Office *at least two weeks prior to the beginning of the activity*. Campership funds will not be used to pay late registration fees.
- 3) The Mission Center President and/or Financial Officer will review completed forms. Applicants will be notified following a decision.
- 4) Separate forms must be submitted by each individual applicant unless all youth are from the same family and are attending the same camp or activity.
- 5) Requests may not be made for more than two activities per calendar year per applicant.
- 6) Grants are subject to monies available in the fund.

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