

# SUMMER CAMP

## Camper Scholarship Application



Dear Parent/Guardian,

We would like to thank you for your interest in Pathfinder Ranch Summer Camp. Our program is dedicated to building life-long memories, friendships and skills for children from diverse backgrounds. We believe in this mission, and we will do our best to provide this for your child.

To be considered for a camper scholarship you will need to fill out the Camper Scholarship Application. We ask that you and your child take the time to fill out the necessary forms completely, and return them to Pathfinder Ranch by the following dates order to be eligible for consideration:

- First Round of Applications: Due April 8<sup>th</sup>, 2022
  - Applicants will be notified by April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022
- Second Round of Applications: Due April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022
  - Applicants will be notified by April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2022
- Third Round of Applications: Due May 13<sup>th</sup>, 2022
  - Applicants will be notified by May 20<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Once we receive the application we will review it and make our decision based on the timeline above. The Summer Camp Scholarships will be awarded based on need and available funding. Scholarships will be applied to your account balance and are applied only to the Summer Camp registration fee.

In this packet you will also find a list of Frequently Asked Questions relating to our camper scholarships. The FAQ should answer most general questions, but if you have any further questions, please contact us at (951) 659-2455 and we will be happy to help.

Our staff look forward to providing a safe and memorable summer for your child.

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## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### **How does the Scholarship work?**

Families who would like to receive financial assistance to pay for Summer Camp are encouraged to submit a Summer Camp Scholarship Application. The amount of the scholarship will be applied to the final invoice for the Summer Camp Registration, reducing the cost of attending Summer Camp. Scholarships will not be distributed as cash.

### **How do I register for Summer Camp?**

You may register for Summer Camp at any time, even if you are waiting to hear about the status of your Scholarship Application. To register for 2022 Summer Camp, please go online to [www.PathfinderRanch.com](http://www.PathfinderRanch.com) and click on the "Create or Access your Account" button. Only a deposit is required to secure your Summer Camp registration, and the deposit can be submitted by cash, check or debit/credit. The remaining balance can be paid on a scheduled payment plan.

### **Why are you asking for my income and household information?**

General scholarships are awarded based on financial need. We trust applicants to be honest in reporting so we can ensure scholarships go where they are most needed. The information you provide is not used for any other purpose. It will not be shared with any other organization or anyone who is not directly involved in the scholarship determination process.

### **Where do the Scholarships come from?**

Our Scholarship Fund is the result of generous donations from community members, clients, and philanthropic organizations. One of the largest contributors to this fund is the Palm Springs Pathfinders.

If you have any other questions, concerns or are interested in learning more about the camp, please visit our website ([www.pathfinderranch.com](http://www.pathfinderranch.com)) or give us a call at (951) 659-2455.

NOTE: Please keep pages 1 - 2 of this packet for your reference. You only need to return pages 3 – 4 to be considered for a Camper Scholarship.

The section below is to be filled out by the Parent/Guardian

CAMPER NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ BIRTH DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ GENDER: \_\_\_\_\_  
LAST FIRST MI

HOME ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
STREET ADDRESS

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

1<sup>st</sup> PARENT/GUARDIAN: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

WORK PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>ND</sup> PARENT/GUARDIAN/DESIGNEE: \_\_\_\_\_









HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

WORK PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

ANNUAL INCOME OF HOUSEHOLD IN WHICH THE CAMPER RESIDES: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ PER YEAR

TOTAL NUMBER OF PEOPLE LIVING IN THE HOME IN WHICH THE CAMPER RESIDES: \_\_\_ CHILDREN \_\_\_ ADULTS

Please have the Camper answer the following questions in order to help us determine Scholarship Eligibility

1) Have you ever been to Summer Camp? (check one of the boxes) <input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO (if YES, please answer the "star" questions only.....if NO, please answer the "moon" questions only)	
2) What were your favorite things about Camp? 	2) Why do you want to come to Summer Camp? 
3) How long did you stay at Summer Camp the last time? 	3) Have you ever stayed a night away from home? 
4) Name one NEW thing you want to try at Camp? 	4) Name one NEW thing you want to try at Camp? 
5) If you could go anywhere in the world, where would it be and why? 	5) If you could go anywhere in the world, where would it be and why? 

References: this section is to be filled out by someone outside of the family (ex: teacher, coach, church leader, etc.)

REFERENCE NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

STREET ADDRESS

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

WORK PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT: \_\_\_\_\_

IN WHAT WAYS DOES THE APPLICANT CONTRIBUTE TO THEIR COMMUNITY?

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WHY DO YOU THINK THE APPLICANT WOULD BENEFIT FROM ATTENDING SUMMER CAMP?

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Please return pages 3 & 4 of this packet to Pathfinder Ranch  
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