



## 2009 Camping Programs of Baltimore Yearly Meeting

# Camp Scholarship Information

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Catoctin Quaker Camp • Shiloh Quaker Camp • Opequon Quaker Camp • Teen Adventure

### **Greetings Camp Parents:**

We know that providing the funds necessary to send a child to camp can sometimes present a financial hardship for families. To ensure that as many children as possible have the opportunity to experience camp The Camping Program Committee of Baltimore Yearly Meeting provides financial aid through the Barry Morley Camper Financial Aid Endowment and camp fees. Funds are limited. If you are in need of financial support, please review the following information about funding sources and scholarships for Summer 2009.

First, we ask that you carefully consider your true financial need for scholarship assistance. Bear in mind that funds are limited and some families have greater need than others. You can help other families by limiting your request to cover only what you must have for your child to attend camp.

If you are unable to pay the full registration fee for your child, several options are available to you. As a first step, please check with your Monthly Meeting or church, if you have one, to see if there is a camp scholarship program in place. You might also find support through your Meeting's religious education budget. So be sure to ask for funds in both places.

If your personal family contribution plus support from your Meeting or church is still not sufficient to cover your child's registration costs, please review the enclosed application instructions and fill out the attached application form. Send the completed form to the Camping Program Office at 413 S West End Ave, Lancaster PA 17603. Application deadline is February 1, 2008. The information you provide will help us distribute the limited funds to those who have the greatest need.

If you do not need financial assistance, please take a moment to consider whether you can help defray the cost of camp for another family by making a contribution to the Barry Morley Camper Financial Aid Endowment. Even a small gift of \$25 above the registration fee can go a long way toward ensuring the continued growth of this valuable program.

We will notify parents by April 1st of the amount of funds granted. Please don't let a lack of funds prevent any child from coming to camp.

In the Light,

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## Application Guidelines

The application form **must be filled out completely**. Incomplete forms may result in delayed decisions and may not be considered for funding.

You may estimate expenses. Please confirm any commitments for scholarship assistance from your Monthly Meeting or church prior to submitting this application.

Applications must be received at the Camping Program office by **February 1**.

## Selection and Notification Process

Only people who are directly concerned with granting financial aid for camp will have access to this information. The Scholarship Sub-Committee of the BYM Camping Program Committee, in collaboration with appropriate staff, will review all applications submitted by the February 1 deadline. Priority will be given to those applications who demonstrate the greatest need for support.

All applicants will receive notification of funds available by April 1.

## Scholarship Application Form

The Baltimore Yearly Meeting Camping Program Committee receives camper scholarship support through the Barry Morley Camp Financial Aid Endowment and camp fees. Funds are distributed to those who have the greatest need for support. The fund is limited so please consider your *true* need so we can make sure that as many children as possible have the opportunity to enjoy a Quaker camp experience.

## Camper Information

Camper Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Camp(s) Attending:  Catoctin  Shiloh  Opequon  Teen Adventure

Number of weeks attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Returning camper:  Yes  No

Quaker:  Yes  No If yes, what meeting? \_\_\_\_\_

## Primary Parent Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Ph: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Ph: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Cell Ph: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ St: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a single parent with sole financial responsibility for your child?  Yes  No

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer Address \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ St: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Ph: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Ph: \_\_\_\_\_

Your individual *yearly* income from work *before* deductions for taxes and social security:

- \$15,000 – 30,000     30,001 – 40,000     40,001 – 50,000     50,001 – 60,000  
 60,001 – 70,000     70,001 or more

Your *yearly* income from any other sources *before* deductions. Include rent from tenants, interest, dividends, royalties, gifts, etc.: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Your *yearly* subsidy income such as free housing, food stamps, etc. \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Source of support: \_\_\_\_\_

If you are unemployed, please give most recent position, employer, city, and dates of employment:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## Partner Information

If you are not a single parent, please provide the following information regarding your partner:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Ph.: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Ph: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Cell Ph: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ St: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer Address \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ St: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Ph: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Ph: \_\_\_\_\_

Partner's individual *yearly* income from work *before* deductions for taxes and social security:

- \$15,000 – 30,000     30,001 – 40,000     40,001 – 50,000     50,001 – 60,000  
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Your *yearly* income from any other sources *before* deductions. Include rent from tenants, interest, dividends, royalties, gifts, etc.: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Your *yearly* subsidy income such as free housing, food stamps, etc. \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Source of support: \_\_\_\_\_

If you are unemployed, please give most recent position, employer, city, and dates of employment:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Complete the following two questions if applicable:

If you are separated or divorced, does one parent pay child support to the other?     Yes     No

If yes, please explain who pays and how much is paid per year: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## Debt / Equity Questions

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Check all that apply: You  own  rent your home      Monthly mortgage payment or rent on home: \_\_\_\_\_  
Approximate market value of home if owned: \_\_\_\_\_      Mortgage remaining on home: \_\_\_\_\_

### Additional financial obligations:

new car payments	_____	monthly payment
boats	_____	monthly payment
vacation homes	_____	monthly payment
school tuition	_____	annual amount
college tuition	_____	annual amount
medical/dental	_____	annual estimate

Number of dependents (including camper): \_\_\_\_\_

**Given the number of applications we receive each year and the limits of the Camp Scholarship Fund, the Awards Committee can most favorably consider an application that is clear and complete.**

Please supply as much *additional* information as possible to provide a complete picture of your family's finances including other adults that contribute to the financial well being of the applicant. We encourage you to use a separate sheet of paper if needed. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### Fee, Scholarship, and Parent Contribution Calculator

Camp Fees	\$ _____
Amount requested from Monthly Meeting or Church	\$ _____
Work grant (7 days = \$475)	\$ _____
If I really stretch, I can pay:	\$ _____
Scholarship amount requested:	\$ _____

I have submitted the camper application for my child.

Your Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Name (Printed): \_\_\_\_\_

Printed name of camper: \_\_\_\_\_

