

6.7 Event Scholarship Policy

- **Scholarships (youth camp and mission trips)**

All applications must be VOTED on by the NSBC Youth Scholarship Committee. All requests will be prayerfully considered on a case by case basis and are subject to approval by the committee and based on available funds. Scholarships should only be requested if a financial need exists. It is the responsibility of the committee to confirm this need.

- **Non-Member Scholarships (CAMP ONLY-DOES NOT APPLY TO NSBC-BASED MISSION TRIPS)** All non-member scholarship applicants must complete the following tasks (in order) PRIOR to being considered for scholarships:

1. Complete scholarship application in its entirety (including submission of letter(s) of recommendation);
2. Schedule an interview with parents/guardians to confirm the need and desire to attend the camp;
3. Submit two (2) letters of recommendation from a) an educator or authoritative figure in the community b) family member (other than parent/guardian by the date listed on the application).

- **NSBC Non-Member Scholarship will include:**

100% of basic camp fees (Applicants may be asked to contribute--financially--if possible. The amount contributed will not influence--positively or negatively--the committee's decision to request or deny assistance.)

All scholarship funds will be directed to a youth designated account and will only be used for the approved purpose. If the applicant cannot attend the camp, all funds will be returned back to the Youth Scholarship Committee.

- **Member Scholarships**

All member scholarship applicants must complete the following tasks (in order) PRIOR to being considered for scholarships:

1. Complete scholarship application in its entirety (including submission of letter(s) of recommendation);
2. Schedule an interview with parents/guardians to confirm the need and desire to attend the camp;
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Submit two (2) letters of recommendation from a) a Bible study leader b) family member (other than parent/guardian) by the date listed on the application.

○ **NSBC Member Scholarship will cover:**

75% of total cost (basic camp/mission trip fee) (25% of total cost of camp/mission trip fee will be from funds secured by youth; 50% of that amount MUST be raised through church-approved fundraisers AND/OR through APPROVED service hours at NSBC @ \$7.50/hour)

All scholarship funds will directed to a youth designated account and will only be used for the approved purpose. If the applicant cannot attend the camp, all funds (except those raised by applicant, directly) will be returned back to the Youth Scholarship Committee.

○ **Sponsorships**

Camp sponsors are those individuals who dedicate his/her time to supporting the NSBC Ministerial Staff during camp and mission trip activities. The sponsors must be FULLY committed to following directions of the staff and its leaders and will, at NO TIME, leave the facility or location for personal reasons. Not all sponsors will require financial assistance; however, the same commitment applies to ALL sponsors.

All sponsors must also complete an NSBC Worker Screening Form in order to work with minors.

Scholarship Application Form

We now require all students in grades 7-12 who are seeking financial assistance, participate in fundraising opportunities. If you are not currently participating in our fundraising opportunities, we ask you to contact the youth department to sign up. Through the fundraising opportunities, students can earn most of the funds needed.

Once your student has contacted the youth department, you will receive confirmation, either by phone or mail, and an interview will be scheduled.

Contact Information

Recipients Full Name: _____ Phone: _____

Parent(s) Name: _____ email: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Scholarship Information

Grade: _____ Age: _____

1. What opportunities would you be willing to participate in to help raise funds for this event?

2. Are there any special circumstances in your family that have resulted in your need for financial assistance (i.e. loss of job, illness, etc.)?

3. What are your expectations from your participation in this event?

4. How much will you be able to pay? _____

Would you be willing to make monthly payments? __ yes __ no If so, how much? _____

5. What is your church affiliation? (circle one)

Member Long time attendee Friend of NSBC student/family Attend another church

For Office Use Only:

Date Received: _____ Fundraising participant: _____ Scholarship amt.: _____

Letter sent _____ deposit received: _____