



2021 Financial Aid Application

Camp Millhouse is a non-profit residential summer camp for children and adults with varying disabilities. We are not a United Way agency and we do not receive government funds. In order to continue to thrive, we rely on camper fees and generous donations to keep our program going. The actual cost to support one camper for one week is \$1,300 which includes expenses for staff, nurses, food, utilities, maintenance, programs, and improvements. The minimum donation required per camper is \$600. All individuals requesting financial aid must pay the \$200.00 deposit when submitting their camper application in order to be considered for a scholarship. No exceptions. In addition, we must receive this completed application with all income and expense information filled out and the required letter (see below).

This Financial Aid Application covers requests for funds from either Camp Millhouse or the Racing for Steve-O Foundation. The completed application must be submitted to the Camp Millhouse office. Financial aid resources are limited and varies each year as we rely on generous donations from the community. We aim to make our monies stretch as far as possible and strive to assist those in most need. Because of these limitations, we strongly encourage families to seek out additional funding sources. We suggest asking your local churches, family and friends, or organizations such as Kiwanis or Lions Clubs or Tri-Kappa groups. You would be surprised who is willing to help if you are willing to ask. We also offer payment plans to stretch out the payments. All camper fees must be PAID IN FULL by MAY 1st. Check or money order may be mailed to the camp office. We also accept credit/debit card payments. Contact the office for more information on payment options.

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

Please choose one of the following:

I am applying for a Camp Millhouse Scholarship (max \$400)

I am applying for a Racing for Steve-O Scholarship – must live in 1 of the following counties: in MI-Berrien or Cass, in IN-St. Joe, Elkhart, LaGrange, Kosciusko, Marshall, Fulton, Starke, LaPorte and Porter (max \$400)

Camper's Name: _____

Camper Phone#: _____

Camper Address: _____
(street) (city) (state) (zip code)

Parent/Guardian: _____

Parent/Guardian Ph#: _____

Parent/Guardian Address: _____
(street) (city) (state) (zip code)

Parent/Guardian Email: _____

Best way to contact you: _____

Scholarship Requested: _____ (Maximum of \$400)

Please return completed application and additional documentation required to:
Camp Millhouse, 25600 Kelly Road, South Bend, IN 46614
For questions, please call 574-233-2202

All information provided will be kept confidential. Financial need is not the only thing considered when awarding a scholarship. We are an equal rights organization and do not discriminate based on applicant's disability, race, ethnicity, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, religion or political views. If applicant is granted a scholarship but does not attend camp during the 2020 season, they forfeit their award. Please do not wait to submit your camp application pending a scholarship award. Spots fill very quickly and we cannot guarantee a spot will be open. Camp Millhouse is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization as defined by the Internal Revenue Service. Applicant waives any and all claims against Camp Millhouse, its Board of Directors or staff arising out of the applicant's participation.

Essay (required): Please include a letter (on a separate sheet of paper) describing why it is important for the camper to attend Camp Millhouse. If you are a returning camper, what does Camp Millhouse mean to the camper and their family? If you are new to Camp Millhouse, what are you most looking forward to at camp?

Has the family or camper volunteered or helped to fundraise for Camp Millhouse? Yes ____ No ____

Do we have permission to use quotes from the application essay for use on our website, in social media and for public relations needs? Yes _____ No _____

Has applicant received a Camp Millhouse scholarship in the past? Yes ____ No _____

Instructions for providing household income:

1. If the camper is older than 18 years of age and files taxes as a single member household then only the camper's income should be submitted for purposes of financial aid.
2. If the camper is over 18 years of age and is counted as a member of the household unit, all household income should be provided.
3. For campers less than 18 years of age please report all household income.

Number of individuals living in the household (*refer to above instructions if needed*): _____

Total household income: _____

Household Expenses:

Rent/Mortgage: _____

Utilities: _____

Other (Please explain): _____

IMPORTANT: Please attach proof of income. Include all that apply: Social Security award letter (or copy of most recent bank statement showing amount of benefit deposit, copy of recent paystub, most recent W2 or page one of your tax return) Please include supplemental income such as child support (paid or received) in your total expenses and/or income above.

*****Upon receipt of your request, we will review your information and contact you with a decision within 2 weeks.**
Only one Camp Millhouse scholarship per camper per summer. The undersigned has read all of the above information and confirms all answers and information given is true and accurate to the best of their knowledge.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____