

Jackson County 4-H

Camp Scholarship Application

For financial assistance to attend Residential Camp at the Betsy-Jeff Penn 4-H Camp

Eligibility: Children ages 8-14. Preference given to Jackson County 4-H members.

Instructions:

1. Complete this application form in its entirety (please complete one form per camper)
2. Submit the form by email to kayla_thomas@ncsu.edu or mail to:
Jackson County 4-H, Kayla Thomas, 876 Skyland Dr. Suite 6, Sylva, NC 28779
3. Enroll your camper(s) in Jackson County 4-H at v2.4honline.com (Additional paperwork will include the signature of a licensed medical provider stating your child's physical ability to attend camp)
4. Submit a \$50 deposit to secure your camp spot

This financial information collected on this application is strictly confidential, and will only be reviewed by staff. Statements you and your child provide about your desire to attend 4-H Camp may be shared anonymously with potential donors (identifying information about your family will be removed).

Jackson County 4-H Camping Week: June 16-21, 2024

Name of Camper(s): _____

Age of Camper, as of June 16, 2024: _____ Grade: _____ Gender: ___Male ___Female

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Name of Parent/Guardian: _____

Occupation of Parent/Guardian: _____

Household **annual** gross income: _____ Average monthly expenses: _____
(include all child support, gov't assistance, if applicable)

Number of people in household: _____ Assistance, such as
WIC, Food Stamps, etc? _____

Total amount you are able to pay for 4-H camp, including the \$50 deposit: _____

The full cost of attending 4-H Camp at Betsy-Jeff Penn 4-H Camp with Jackson County 4-H is \$250 for traditional and adventure campers, and \$300 for trekker campers.

Has your child attended a residential camp of any kind before? Yes No

If yes, what camp(s)/year(s)? _____

Have you received financial assistance for 4-H Camp before? Yes No

If yes, what year(s) and in what amount? _____

Research shows the value of camp increases with repeated experiences, so our goal is for children to attend camp more than once, provided there is available funding.



Please give specific details regarding your need for financial assistance for your child to attend 4-H Camp at the Betsy-Jeff Penn 4-H Camp. Use a separate sheet of paper, if easier/needed.



Why do you want your child to attend 4-H Camp?

I, _____, affirm that all of the above information is correct.

Initial each statement:

_____ I understand that the \$50 deposit will be applied toward the total camp registration fee of \$250-\$300. If my child is not awarded a sufficient scholarship (based on the total amount I am able to pay), the \$50 deposit will be refunded if my child is financially unable to attend camp as a result.

_____ I understand that if my child is awarded a scholarship and does not attend Betsy-Jeff Penn 4-H Camp, I will be responsible for paying the cost of camp tuition, \$250-\$300. My child will not be eligible to attend other fee-based programs until this balance is paid.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Why I want to go to 4-H Camp



Camper's Name:

Age: _____ Grade: _____

Why do you want to go to 4-H Camp?

What do you look forward to most at 4-H Camp?

What do you hope to learn and do at 4-H Camp?

What 4-H activities are you involved in now?

What do you like to do in your spare time?