

# Boy Scout Troop/ Venturing Crew 1372

## VFW Post 1811 - Camper Aid Application

\*\*\*\*Adapted for Troop/Crew 1372 Use Only\*\*\*\*

Scout's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
MM/DD/YYYY

Patrol: \_\_\_\_\_ Rank: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/ Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Day Time Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Camp Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

*I have read and understand the requirements to apply for Campers' Aid*

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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*Scout please write an essay on, " What I have learned from the camping and outdoor experiences in scouting, and what I expect to learn from the summer camp program."*

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*Essay must consist of 250 words or more, 1 pg, double spaced and 12 point font.  
Do not put your name on the essay. The bottom of this form will be numbered along with the top, cut from the top and stapled to the essay by the Scout Master, Assistant Scout Master, Advisor, or Committee Chair.*

*Please return this form into the Troop Committee Chair, Scout Master, Assistant Scout Master.*

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*The VFW Post 1811 has graciously agreed to sponsor some scouts for this year Summer Camp.*

*The VFW Post 1811 Campers' Aid Sponsorship are available for any Troop/ Crew 1372 Scout to attend camp. Please follow the guidelines and print legibly.*

**All VFW Post 1811 Camper Aid requests are due by March 7th, 2015.** The Camper Aid Committee will then convene and make award designations. Requests received after March 2th will only be considered if sponsorships are still available.

**Parents/Guardians:** Camper aid is to help Scouts attend camp, who under normal circumstances would not be able to attend camp. We ask that if you are able to pay for camp that you not participate in the application process.

- Please complete this application fully, along with why the scout wants to go to camp and how they would benefit from that experience.
- Camper aid will cover a portion up to the full price of the camp registration fee, depending on the price of the camp fees that year. All awards are granted based on the availability of funds.
- Each scout requesting sponsorship must fill out a separate form.
- Incomplete applications will be returned without processing.
- All requests will be considered in a confidential manner. Families will be notified if sponsorship is awarded after the committee meets.
- **Each recipient is encouraged to write a letter about their experience at camp to the VFW Post 1811 after the completion of camp.**