



2012 Summer Camp Scholarship Application

Thank you for your interest in a Nashville Zoo summer camp scholarship, made possible by the Predators Foundation. Applicants must be between the ages of 5-10 during the week of camp and have transportation to and from Nashville Zoo to be considered. Scholarship recipients will be awarded admission to one week of summer camp with optional aftercare included.

To maximize the possibility of being awarded a scholarship, please indicate **2** camp sessions that your camper could attend. In the event that your first choice week is unavailable, we will do our best to place you in another preferred session. Please be sure to fill out the entire application. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Deadline for receiving applications is **March 9, 2012**.

To apply for a Nashville Zoo Summer Camp Scholarship, please submit:

- Scholarship application (pages 1-3)
- (1) Copy of your most recent income tax return

(All requests and information submitted to Nashville Zoo are confidential and only used to determine financial need)

Awards are based on financial need and are processed in the order they are received. Award notifications will be mailed via USPS to recipients. Due to the anticipated volume of applications received, phone inquiries will not be accepted.

Please mail or drop-off completed applications to:

Nashville Zoo

ATTN: Summer Camp Scholarships

3777 Nolensville Pike

Nashville, TN 37211

Nashville Zoo kindly requests that scholarship recipients write a short note or draw a picture, illustrating how they enjoyed their time at Summer Camp. Such tokens are cherished by our supporting donors as evidence of their impact on the lives of children.





Please complete ONE registration packet PER child PER week. Please write legibly.

2012 Summer Camp Sessions:

June 4-8, 2012

June 11-15, 2012

June 18-22, 2012

June 25-29, 2012

July 9-13, 2012

July 16-20, 2012

July 23-27, 2012

First Choice Camp Session _____

Second Choice Camp Session _____

Nashville Zoo reserves the right to cancel or reschedule programs due to severe weather, zoo special events or unforeseen circumstances.

Camper Information:

Parent/Guardian/Contact Person _____

Child's Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Address _____ City _____ State ____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Contact Email Address _____

Describe how the camper would benefit from having the opportunity to participate in summer camp.

Please provide any additional information you would like the Scholarship Awards Committee to know when considering your request.

I hereby attest that the information provided is accurate. I also understand my responsibility to provide transportation as well as appropriate food and beverages for the scholarship recipient.

I realize that scholarships are subject to funds available and that awards will be made in an equitable fashion at the discretion of the Nashville Zoo's Scholarship Awards Committee.

Parent's/Guardian's Signature

Date



Zoo Camp T-shirt

T-SHIRT ORDER				
One t-shirt is provided per camper, per camp week. If unsure, order one size larger.				
Youth 6-8 ____	Youth 9-11 ____	Youth 12-14 ____		
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Adult S ____	Adult M ____	Adult L ____	Adult XL ____	Adult XXL ____
If a size is not included on the registration form, camp staff will choose a T-shirt for your child depending on available sizes in our inventory.				

Zoo Camp Medical Information (Please Print):

Child's Name: _____ Birthdate: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Phone #: _____ cell #: _____ work #: _____

Any difficulties with vision, hearing, or speech of which the staff needs to be made aware?
If so, please explain:

Any conditions limiting classroom or physical activity? If so please explain:

Any significant allergies? If so, please explain: _____

Are immunizations current: (approx. date) _____

Emergency Contact: _____
(name/phone #/relationship to camper)

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Nashville Zoo Education Department

Release:

_____ has my permission to participate in all activities offered at Nashville Zoo at Grassmere. I authorize Nashville Zoo at Grassmere and its employees to take all necessary steps to insure my child's health and safety in case of an emergency. I agree to hold Nashville Zoo at Grassmere and its employees free and harmless from damage or injury sustained by participation in or the operation of its programs. I also authorize Nashville Zoo at Grassmere to use my child's name and photograph for education and public relations purposes related to Nashville Zoo at Grassmere.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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Code Word:

A code word must be registered with every camper to insure the proper individual picks him or her up each day. The code word will be made available only to the necessary zoo staff. Otherwise, only you and anyone you designated to pick up your child from camp should know the code word.

The code word you choose could be a household pet's name, a nickname, or simply the name of an object picked at random.

Remember, if a friend or relative comes to pick up your child and doesn't know the code word, your child WILL NOT be released to that individual.

Child's Name: _____

Code Word: _____

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU KEEP A RECORD OF YOUR CODE WORD

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Zoo Camp Scholarship Cancellation and Change of Week Policies:

Cancellation and Change of Week Policy: Parents are required to notify Nashville Zoo Summer Camp department at their earliest convenience, if camper will be unable to attend the week of summer camp they are registered for. Nashville Zoo will attempt to schedule the camper for a different week of camp. Due to limited camp availability, there will be no guarantee that Nashville Zoo will be able to accommodate the request and camper may have to forfeit their space in camp. 615-833-1534 x105

Yes, I have read and understand the camp scholarship cancellation and change of week policies.