



## Campership Financial Aid Eligibility Guidelines

Our aid, or “Campership Fund” as it is better known, is derived from donations received from various sources. We would appreciate if you would contact your local Department of Human Services office for information on funds available thru them and/or any organizations, clubs, churches or groups who may want to sponsor your camper. CAA's full fee is \$550.00.

**Campership-** If your camper does not receive agency funding and can't afford the full camp fee, financial aid can be available through the camp in the form of a campership. If you claim your adult camper as a dependent on your tax return, please use your household income and documentation to file for a financial aid. You will need to attach your 2017 IRS 1040 tax form along with corresponding W-2's to complete the financial aid process. **Every camper is responsible for partial payment- aid will not exceed \$350. Assistance will cover the approved amount for a residential week.**

### Eligibility:

- *Must show significant financial need as proved with the 2017 IRS 1040 tax form and W-2.*
- *If adult campers are claimed as dependents on your tax return, it is the household income which determines need.*
- *Previous years do not determine aid for the 2018 camp season, re-application is required for campership each year.*
- *Camperships are not granted for those choosing to attend more than one session.*
- *Camperships are not granted for weekend respite camps, only full-week residential respite.*
- *Fall-Winter-Spring respite weekends are not eligible for financial aid.*
- *Aid shall not exceed \$350. Remaining amount is camper's responsibility to pay.*

Please complete the Financial Aid application and return to us as soon as possible. If you are applying for more than one camper you will need to complete a form for EACH person. We will send you information on the granted amount of financial aid, if any, within 60 days.