

## Bar 717 Ranch Campership Application

Thank you for your interest in the Bar 717 Ranch. For more than 80 years we have provided children the opportunity to join our large Ranch camp family here in the beautiful mountains of northern California. As a small, family-owned business, participant fees support the Ranch and all of our summer programs. We recognize that the cost of attending a session may be beyond the reach of many families, but our goal has always been that every child who wants to should be able to attend a session of camp.

To help us achieve that goal, the Bar 717 Ranch Campership Fund was created in 1980. The Fund provides tuition assistance to families who would not otherwise be able to afford a session of Camp Trinity for their child. The Campership Committee of the Bar 717 Ranch Advisory Board coordinates an annual fundraising campaign. Contributions to the Fund come from camp families, alumni, current and former Staff, individuals, foundations...and even our campers. Last summer, CILTS (Campers In Leadership Training) split three cords of firewood to be sold locally with the proceeds donated so a deserving child could attend camp in the future.

Camperships are awarded based on financial need, typically for up to a maximum of one-half the amount of the session tuition. Partial awards allow us to maximize the number of children who can benefit from the Fund. If your child wants to come to camp, then we will join you in partnership with our fund donors to do everything we can to make that happen. If the 50% family tuition contribution is more than your family can pay, then please indicate how much of the camp fee you are able to afford. Campership recipients are typically eligible to receive awards for two (2) years. Only one application is accepted per family please.

Campers who receive a Campership award will be asked during their time at camp to write one or more thank you letters to our donors. Your child's Counselor will be on hand to help, and these letters may be shared with potential donors to aid us in securing future contributions.

A child's summer camp experience includes new friendships, wonder, fun, challenges, and personal growth. We hear all the time from kids that 'Camp is the one place I can really be myself', and 'Camp is like my home away from home.' There is no better feeling than making that experience a reality, so we look forward to reviewing your Campership Application.

**The deadline for all Campership Applications is March 1, 2014. Recipients will notified by email by March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2014**

To apply for a Campership, please complete and return to the Ranch office:

- Campership Application.
- Camper essay.
- A copy of the first page of 2013 Income Tax return (Form 1040). If this is not available by the deadline, please estimate the current amount on the Campership Application and also include a copy of Form 1040 for the most recent year available.
- Any other information you believe may be relevant in helping us make a decision.

Completed applications can be faxed, scanned and emailed, or sent to: Attn. Kent Collard

Mail  
Bar 717 Ranch  
Star Route Box 150  
Hayfork, CA 96041

Fax  
(530) 628-9392

Email  
[camptrinity@bar717.com](mailto:camptrinity@bar717.com)

**BAR 717 RANCH/CAMP TRINITY  
CAMPERSHIP APPLICATION**

**Camper Information:**

Camper's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last Name) (First Name)

Camper's Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(No. & Street) (City) (State & Zip)

Current Grade in School: \_\_\_\_\_ Name & Address of School: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Camper Lives With: Mother Only: \_\_\_\_\_ Father Only: \_\_\_\_\_ Mother & Father: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother & Stepfather: \_\_\_\_\_ Father & Stepmother: \_\_\_\_\_  
Other (Please Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent's / Guardian's Confidential Statement:**

Father or Stepfather's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last Name) (First Name)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
(No. & Street) (City) (State & Zip)

Mother or Stepmother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last Name) (First Name)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
(No. & Street) (City) (State & Zip)

Parent' Current Marital Status: Married: \_\_\_ Separated: \_\_\_ Divorced: \_\_\_  
Father Living/Mother Deceased: \_\_\_ Mother Living/Father Deceased: \_\_\_

Number of persons living in household of child applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of dependents of supporting parent(s)/guardian(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Has camper earned any of his/her own tuition? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ If yes, how much? \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Are other family members/friends contributing to camp tuition? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ If yes, how much? \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total taxable personal income for person(s) supporting above child for most recent calendar year: (include wages, salaries, interest, commissions, dividends): \$ \_\_\_\_\_. Please attach copy of

Total non-taxable income of same person(s) for same period: (Social Security, child support, welfare, veteran's benefits, etc.) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Camperships are available for any sessions (please see business sheet for dates and fees). If we are only able to offer your child a partial campership, how much of the fee are you able to pay? \$ \_\_\_\_\_

I certify, that to the best of my knowledge, the above statements are true.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent or Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

