GUTS! 2020 Summer Outdoor Adventure Application

Completed application and registration deposit can be mailed to:

**GUTS! Program, YWCA, 1130 W. Broadway, Missoula, MT 59802**

Or scanned and emailed to tsneeringer@ywcaofmissoula.org

**Name of Camper**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Age at camp\_\_\_\_\_ Ethnicity\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Camper Cell phone (if they have one)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Camper Email (if they have one)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

School Attended \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Grade completed before summer\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Does the camper qualify for free or reduced lunch program at school?

□ YES □ NO

**Parent/Guardian #1**

Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to camper\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_City:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_State:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Zip:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone #\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Cell Phone #\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian #2**

Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to camper\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_City:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_State:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Zip:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone #\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Cell Phone #\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Emergency Contact** (an additional contact in event the adult listed above cannot be reached)

Name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to camper \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Phone#\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Once accepted, GUTS! will send you an enrollment packet (also can be found on our website). How do you prefer to receive this information?

* By Mail
* By Email

**Preferred Trip:**

* Youth Leadership Training Trip (ages 16-19) - June 15- 19 ($25)
* Wild Horse Island Adventure (advanced Middle School hikers-ages 12-14) June 23-28 ($400)
* Sapphire Adventure (beginner Middle School hikers- ages 11-13) July 6-10 ($400)
* Flathead Reservation Adventure (ages 14-17) July 20- July 25 ($400)
* Girls on Wheels Bike Adventure day camp (ages 9-11)- Aug 3- Aug 7 ($200)

-If interested in the Bike Day Camp, do you have a bike and a helmet? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* \*\*I’m not sure what camp is right for me, but would like to talk to a GUTS! staff member

Has the camper participated in GUTS! before? If so, please list past groups or trips in which the camper

participated: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**TUITION AND SLIDING SCALE INFORMATION**

The full tuition for GUTS! 2020 Summer Outdoor Adventures is $400 for overnight trips, $200 for our Bike Day Camp, and $25 for Youth Leadership, however, we offer a sliding scale based on your financial situation. A deposit of at least half the total cost you will pay is due within a week of acceptance to reserve your camper’s spot on our trip. **The full amount of what you plan to pay is due by June 4th**. Checks payable to the YWCA Missoula.

We want to ensure that **every participant** is able to attend a summer trip regardless of ability to pay.We asks that applicants self-certify their household income. Please consider the following and use it as a reference.

185% of the federal poverty rate is as follows:

1 in household earning less than $20,036

2 in household earning less than $26,955

3 in household earning less than $33,874

4 in household earning less than $40,793

5 in household earning less than $47,712

6 in household earning less than $54,631

7 in household earning less than $61,550

8 in household earning less than $68,469

**Please select the payment option that best fits your financial situation:**

* Full tuition: $400 for Wild Horse Island Adventure, Sapphire Adventure, Flathead Reservation Adventure; $200 for Bike Camp, $25 for Youth Leadership.
* Nearly full scholarship: Households earning 185% or less of the federal poverty rate. **We ask for a minimum contribution of $40 to cover the cost of food for your child.** I can contribute $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ towards the cost.
* Partial scholarships: Households earning more than 185% but have limited resources and/or special needs. **We ask for a minimum contribution of $40 to cover the cost of food for your child.** I can contribute $\_\_\_\_\_ towards the cost.
* I would prefer to discuss this in person/over the phone.

**Optional Donation**: I would like to pay an additional $\_\_\_\_\_\_ to help fund another participant who is unable to pay the full cost. This contribution is tax deductible.

**Cancellation Policy:** Cancellations less than 30 days before trip departure result in loss of 100% of your tuition. Cancellations at least 30 days before a trip will be fully refunded. YWCA Missoula will not refund or reduce tuition for late or non-arrival, early withdrawal or participant cancellation for any cause.

**Payment Plan:**

* My deposit of $\_\_\_\_\_ is included with this application □CASH □CHECK
* I plan on mailing my deposit **within the week**  □CASH □CHECK
* I will call the YWCA to process a credit card payment **within the week**.

**GUTS! Summer Outdoor Adventure Applications are due April 29th.**

Applications can be dropped off, emailed, or faxed to:

YWCA Missoula, 1130 W. Broadway, tsneeringer@ywcaofmissoula.org

phone: 406-543-6691 fax: 406-543-6777

**Medical and personal history**

***If you would prefer to discuss any of these questions with GUTS! staff directly please indicate that.***

**Please check the box if your child has experienced any of the following:**

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| * Surgery
 | * Knocked unconscious/ head injury
 | * Experimentation with alcohol, tobacco or drugs
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| * Chronic/recurrent illnesses
 | * Back/joint/orthopedic problem
 | * Fainting or dizziness
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| * Recent infectious disease
 | * Heart condition
 | * Cutting or other self-harm
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| * Recent injury
 | * Passed out/chest pain during exercise
 | * Panic/anxiety attack
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| * Asthma/wheezing/ shortness of breath
 | * Concussion/severe headaches
 | * Difficulty exercising
 |
| * Diabetes
 | * Seizures, epilepsy or other neurological disorders
 | * Eating disorder
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| * Wear glass/contacts
 | * Addictions
 | * Mental health issues
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Please explain\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Any other relevant medical issues? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Allergies? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please describe any physical and or emotional conditions that might affect the camper’s ability to participate in the specified activities on the GUTS! trip of their choice (i.e. extended backpacking, biking, or water activity). If so, what restrictions or accommodations will need to be made?

Has the camper had a significant life event happen that continues to affect their life? (history of abuse, death of a loved one, family change, adoption, disaster, etc.)

Has the camper ever been to a sleep away camp before? Have they ever been homesick?

Describe any camping or wilderness experience the camper has had in the past:

How does the camper do in group and social settings? How does your child do in school environments?

Describe your child’s eating habits:

If your child does not exercise regularly, what is their plan to prepare for the trip?

What role did your camper play in choosing us? How do they feel about attending? Any special convincing needed?

Do you or your child have any concerns about attending a GUTS! trip?

Anything else you would like to share with us?

**GUTS! Camper Section**

**We want to get to know the GUTS! Camper! Please have them complete the following questions. You may skip any that you don’t want to answer:**

1. What’s your preferred name?
2. What are your gender pronouns?
3. Describe any outdoor experiences you have had in your life. What did you learn from them? What was most challenging?
4. Do you want to do GUTS!? Why?
5. What will be the most challenging part of GUTS! for you?
6. What personal strengths and skills will you bring to the GUTS! groups?
7. Describe your fitness level. If you do not exercise regularly, how do you plan to be prepared for our trip?
8. What questions do you have before camp starts?