



# Lawrence Parks and Recreation

## Wee Folks Scholarship Form

### Guidelines:

Through our Wee Folks Scholarship Program, The Lawrence Parks and Recreation Department (LPRD) offers Douglas County youth, 17 and under, the opportunity to participate in recreational activities regardless of financial conditions. Wee Folks Scholarships cover half the cost of registration fees for eligible programs up to \$800 per year.

**Who Qualifies:** Any Douglas County youth 17 years and under that meet the qualifications.

**Required Documents:** Acceptable requirements include a copy of a KanCare Insurance Card, copy of a USD 497 reduced lunch letter notification, or documents that show the individual receives state or federal benefits (i.e. Housing Authority, DCF, etc...).

### Important Information:

- Copy of a KanCare insurance card, or other acceptable documentation.
- Required documentation and scholarship application may be turned in at the Community Building, 115 W. 11<sup>th</sup> St., or Sports Pavilion Lawrence, 100 Rock Chalk Way, at the time of registration. Documents may also be emailed prior to enrollment [scholarships@lawrenceks.org](mailto:scholarships@lawrenceks.org).
- If approved, the scholarship will cover half of the eligible program registration fee. The remaining 50% of the program fee must be paid at the time of enrollment up to \$800 per calendar year.
- An activity registration form must be filled out and turned in at time of enrollment.
- Some programs are not eligible for scholarships (see guide). These camps include those that are facilitated by a third party (i.e. skateboarding, Lego and STEM camps), please check the activities guide for eligibility.
- Scholarships do not cover late fees, or other fees associated with eligible activities.
- All scholarship registrations must be completed in person.

**Questions:** For questions regarding the application and enrollment process please contact the Community Building, 785-832-7920, or Sports Pavilion Lawrence, at 785-330-7355. Appointments in advance are encouraged to ensure faster service.



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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Required Documents: Copy of a KanCare Insurance card, USD 497 Reduced Lunch Letter, or documentation showing the child receives state or federal benefits (DCFS, Housing Authority, etc...).

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

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I, \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent/Guardian), give permission to authorize LPRD staff to verify the information contained on this application. I understand that deliberate misrepresentation of information subjects the child/children to disqualification for scholarship consideration. I hereby certify that all of the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. LPRD reserves the right to request proof of any of the above information. Failure to supply the necessary information could result in denial of financial assistance. If a program uses supplies, facilities, or issues equipment with a related cost, applicants may be asked to cover the cost of those supplies, facilities, or equipment. This includes late fees associated with youth sports. I understand that all information provided will remain confidential.

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