



Montana Natural Resources Youth Camp Donation/Sponsorship Request

For 39 years, the Montana Natural Resources Youth Camp has provided youth with an opportunity to study in an outdoor classroom. Today's scientific principles, economic realities, historical heritage, and social perspectives help these future leaders in their quest to gain a natural resources perspective that is informed and progressive. Campers learn about forests, streams, soils, geology, rangeland, wildlife, and recreation and spend half a day rafting the Clark Fork River's Alberton Gorge. In between the field sessions, professionals who volunteer from various natural resources-based agencies and industries, specialty evening programs, guest speakers, hands-on learning through discovery, and campfires provide for a lasting summer camp experience.

Historically, our funding has come from grants, donations, and camper fees. For the past few years, our budget has been tight, and we have seen less grant funding from agencies that typically support our camp. We have not changed our camp fee in four years, which is \$300 per child. However, it costs approximately \$900 per child to host the camp with a volunteer staff. These costs include the rental of the entire Lubrecht Experimental Forest facility, transportation, insurance, our annual rafting trip, various activities, and general supplies. Please consider donating to our camp.

Company/Organization _____

Contact Person _____ Email Address _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Sponsorship Donation Amount _____

Please indicate any specific information on how you would like the sponsorship or donation to be spent. *For example, to cover camper sponsorship and travel stipends or to help cover facility expenses.*

I wish to have my donation confidential: Yes No

All donations will be listed on our camp website and poster at
<https://www.montana.edu/extension/forestry/mnryc/index.html>

Make checks payable to Montana Natural Resources Youth Camp (MNRYC) and mail to:
MSU Extension Forestry, c/o Montana Natural Resources Youth Camp
W.A. Franke College of Forestry and Conservation
32 Campus Drive, Missoula, MT 59812-0606

For questions or more information contact: Please go to the camp board of directors' webpage at https://www.montana.edu/extension/forestry/mnryc/board_of_directors.html or call 406-243-2773

The Montana Natural Resources Youth Camp is a 501 (c) 3 non-profit organization; all donations, including sponsorship donations, are tax deductible. A copy of our IRS tax-exempt status letter and past 990 tax forms are available upon request if needed for your records.

Federal Tax ID Number: 81-0477555

