

2020 KAY LEADERSHIP CAMP SCHOLARSHIPS

January 2020

TO: KAY Sponsors
FROM: Cheryl Gleason, KAY State Director
RE: **KAY LEADERSHIP CAMP (KLC) SCHOLARSHIPS**



At this time of the year, KAY clubs across the state identifying students to assume leadership roles in their clubs. And in order to equip these new officers and board members to be the best they can be, KAY clubs are beginning the process of securing these leaders and other members of their club to attend KAY Leadership Camp (KLC).

As you are aware, the purpose of KLC is to develop leadership potential, to enrich personalities, to create an awareness of citizenship responsibilities and to develop a desire to become involved in those programs and projects which help to build a better world.

KAY officers, board members and any KAY member (boy or girl, grades 6-12) wishing to attend may do so with their sponsors approval. **IT IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THAT THE CLUB PRESIDENT ATTEND CAMP.** There is no limit on the number of students that can represent their club at camp, and camp delegates do not have to be an officer or board member in their club.

ATTENDANCE AT KLC MATTERS A GREAT DEAL! IT WILL ABSOLUTELY PROPEL YOUR CLUB TO A SUPERFANTASTIC YEAR OF LEADERSHIP & SERVICE!

KAYAN (Kansas Association for Youth Alumni Network) has set aside funds to assist KAY members across the state to attend KLC. Attached is a scholarship application form available to all KAY clubs. Please read the application form carefully. **It is to be filled out by the KAY Sponsor.** The application deadline is **APRIL 15.**

While we encourage all KAY clubs to have several members attend KLC, this application is intended to assist clubs in sending at least one member to KLC. Clubs are expected to be prepared to match a KAYAN scholarship amount.

Not only will the experience of having a member of your club experience this life-changing experience—the ideas, self-confidence, spirit, and enthusiasm your camper will bring home will make a profound impact for your KAY club.

NOTE: All applications/requests for financial assistance will be kept confidential.

QUESTIONS: Please contact the State Director with questions or additional financial needs that have not been identified. (C/T: 785-231-8895; W: 785-273-5329; cgleason@kshsaa.org)

2020 KAY LEADERSHIP CAMP (KLC)

**APPLICATION FOR
KAYAN KLC SCHOLARSHIP**

KAY Clubs and/or students unable to attend KAY Leadership Camp due to financial challenges may qualify for a partial registration scholarship only as a means of financial assistance. Within certain limits, KAYAN (Kansas Association for Youth Alumni Network) will provide financial assistance for camp registration to be determined by the KAY State Director.

KAY SPONSORS: Please complete, sign and return this Scholarship Application with student essay **NO LATER THAN APRIL 15.**

STUDENT NAME: _____ 2020-2021 GRADE _____

KAY CLUB/TOWN: _____

PHONE: CELL/ HOME : _____ EMAIL: _____

YR. IN KAY: _____ 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR (Mark one): KAY OFFICER KAY BOARD MEMBER
 KAY MEMBER

YR. ATTEND KLC _____ KAY PARTICIPATION: POOR OK GOOD SUPER

SPONSOR NAME: _____ C-PHONE: _____

OUR KAY CLUB IS REQUESTING A MATCHING SCHOLARSHIP FROM KAYAN.

- We are requesting funds for our Club President
- We are requesting funds for a member who has never attended KLC

We are able to pay the following (please mark one):

- \$50 \$75 \$100 \$125 \$150 \$162.50 (1/2 camp fee)

Our club received a KAYAN Scholarship for KLC 2019 YES NO If YES, Amount = _____

Our club had students attend KLC in 2019 YES NO If YES, how many _____

STUDENT ESSAY

This scholarship application must be accompanied by a one – two page, original student typed essay.

- Guidelines for the essay:
 - Why you joined the KAY club at your school
 - What you have enjoyed about being a member of the KAY club
 - Lessons and skills you have received from your KAY participation
 - What is your favorite service project and why
 - Why you want to attend KAY Leadership Camp
- Please be sure to put your name at the top of the essay

SCHOLARSHIP NOTIFICATION

Scholarship recipients will be notified through their KAY sponsor no later than May 1.

SCHOLARSHIP REFUND:

- KAYAN KLC Scholarships awarded to KAY Clubs must be used for 2020 KAY Leadership Camp.
- Should a KAY Club receive a KAYAN Scholarship and not attend KLC 2020, the KAY Club will be responsible to reimburse KAYAN the amount of the scholarship awarded.

APPLICATION & STUDENT ESSAY DUE TO KAY STATE DIRECTOR BY APRIL 15, 2020

The information you provide on this form will be used for the purpose of determining the facts relevant to the approval of this scholarship application.

BY ACCEPTING A KAYAN KLC SCHOLARSHIP, I understand that the student must attend KLC 2020 or our club must refund the amount of the scholarship awarded.

In addition, the student(s) attending KLC on this scholarship are expected to return to their club and be an active member for the school year.

KAY Club Sponsor

Date

Principal

SCAN/E-MAIL THIS COMPLETED FORM & STUDENT ESSAY TO:

Cheryl Gleason, KAY State Director
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DEADLINE FOR THIS REQUEST TO REACH THE KAY STATE DIRECTOR IS APRIL 15, 2020.

