



MICHIGAMEA LODGE 110 ORDER OF THE ARROW



CHIKARA YASUDA SCHOLARSHIP

For some years, I have been longing to participate in a joint activity with American Scouts and to become friends with them. Knowing of this Intentional Camp Staff Program, I jumped to a conclusion that my dream will finally come true.

I will tell you more about my dream. That is to teach my knowledge and skills, within my capability, to Scouts of other countries, while playing together with them. In return, I may learn songs and games. I also wish to exchange views with Scouts, so that I may reach a deeper understanding into their Scouting as well as the community in which their Scouting prevails. By sharing with each other, the same experiences and friendly discussions, I wish to make many friends.

World peace will not come rapidly. Through constant efforts on the side of individuals, especially through younger generations, it can be easily attained. For this final objective, I wish to know more about American Scouts and to make American Scouts know a little more about Japan.

In Scouting **Chikara Yasuda**

THE ABOVE STATEMENT IS A COPY OF CHIKARA'S APPLICATION FOR THE INTERNATIONAL CAMP STAFF PROGRAM

Chikara Yasuda served on the Calumet Council Summer Camp Staff at Kishwaukee Scout Reservation. In 1976, after returning from Kishwaukee Scout Reservation, Chikara was killed in an automobile accident. He was 20 years old and lived in Iruma City, Japan. Chikara was a student at the Green Language School and a high school graduate. As Junior Assistant Scoutmaster, he had attended the Tokyo Wood Badge Preliminary Course. Apart from these other outstanding qualities, Chikara was the first international Scout elected into the Michigamea Lodge 110 Order of the Arrow. Because of the excellent qualities and concern for others that Chikara showed, to those of us on Camp Staff with him, and because of his great Scouting abilities, we of Michigamea Lodge offer this fund for some Scout to go to camp because we know Chikara would not want to see anyone miss the excitement of Camp.

This scholarship pays the full registration cost of attending one week of summer camp for one scout in the Calumet Council each year, whose name will be added to the Chikara Yasuda Scholarship Plaque at the council office.

To become eligible for this scholarship a Scout must:

- Be a registered Boy Scout for one year, an active member in his troop, and advanced one rank in the last year.
- Secure a letter of recommendation from Scoutmaster or another non-relative Scout Leader. Letter should discuss Scout Spirit shown in unit
- Order of the Arrow membership is NOT required.

The Scholarship Deadline is May 1

Send completed Applications only to:

Calumet Council - BSA
Michigamea Lodge 110
Attn.: Chikara Yasuda Scholarship - Confidential
8751 Calumet Avenue, Munster, Indiana 46321

Chikara Yasuda Scholarship Form

Please Complete with Accuracy:

Attach Additional information.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Current Position: _____ Years in Scouting: _____

Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Scout Rank: _____

Troop: _____ District: _____ Date Earned: _____

- Attach a brief statement of why you deserve this scholarship (see page 2).
- Attach a Letter of Recommendation from Scoutmaster or another Adult Scout Leader who knows the candidate referring to the applicant's Scout Spirit, abilities, and achievements in Scouting. If there are any financial or special considerations, please let us know, but this is not a part of the criteria for this award. Letter must be from someone who is not related to the applicant.
- Attach a copy of applicant's advancement record.

Qualifications:

Applicant must be a registered Scout.

Applicant must be an active member in a troop for twelve (12) months.

Applicant must have advanced one rank in the last twelve (12) months.

Applicant will attend one week long summer camp experience.

Name of Summer Camp attending: _____

Dates: _____

Cost: \$ _____

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION IS MAY 1st

Boy Scout Signature

Date

Scoutmaster Signature

Date

Name: _____

Do you have aspirations on attaining the rank of Eagle Scout? **Yes** **No**

Why: _____

Past Scouting Positions: _____

Involvement in School/Community/Church: _____

Future Plans in Troop/Order of the Arrow/Community/Church/Life in General: _____

Why do you want to attend Summer Camp and what do you expect to get out of the experience?

Tell us about your best Scouting experience?

