The Overflow Scholarship



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Standing Stones Camp

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History

Standing Stones Camp's journey began in 1995 and was developed by a group of enthusiastic young leaders who wanted to provide a safe environment where young people could have the opportunity to grow in their faith and fellowship with one another. Standing Stones Camp is the first annual Hmong Baptist Christian conference designed and tailored to meet the spiritual needs of youth and young adults of today. The camp is held for one week during the summer months and is open to anyone and everyone. We are part of the Hmong Baptist National Association (HBNA) and Southern Baptist Convention (SBC). The name Standing Stones was inspired from the book of Joshua. Standing Stones is a "memorial" to remind the youth and young adults of their commitment to Jesus from having experienced God firsthand.

Joshua 4:4-7

"Then Joshua called the twelve men from the people of Israel, whom he had appointed, a man from each tribe. ⁵ And Joshua said to them, "Pass on before the ark of the LORD your God into the midst of the Jordan, and take up each of you a stone upon his shoulder, according to the number of the tribes of the people of Israel, ⁶ that this may be a sign among you. When your children ask in time to come, 'What do those stones mean to you?' ⁷ then you shall tell them that the waters of the Jordan were cut off before the ark of the covenant of the LORD. When it passed over the Jordan, the waters of the Jordan were cut off. So these stones shall be to the people of Israel a memorial forever."

Instructions

It is Standing Stones' hope to be a resource for our community not only at camp but outside as well. This scholarship seeks to financially support <u>one</u> student for <u>one</u> school year in pursuit of their educational goals. The successful applicant will be awarded \$1000 towards their college of choice, \$500 per semester.

All application materials, except the scholarship application, must be emailed by **June 30, 2020** to <u>info@standingstonescamp.org</u>. Please submit these documents in PDF if you can. All late or incomplete applications will not be considered. Listed below are the qualifications and requirements in applying to be a candidate.

Scholarship Eligibility

- A U.S. citizen or legal resident
- Member of HBNA affiliated church
- Served their local church in leadership within the last two years <u>OR</u> turned in 2020
 Standing Stones Group Leader application
- Will be or is in their undergraduate program
- Minimum GPA of 2.7

Application

- A completed scholarship application. The link to our application can be found on our Standing Stones website at www.standingstonescamp.org/
- Essay (Between 1000 2000 words)
- Copy of unofficial transcript
- One letter of recommendation

Essay

- Share your personal testimony
- Share your involvement in church ministry
- Share your educational goals and reasons why you are pursing them

Additional Requirement

- If selected, the recipient is expected to submit additional documents for our Standing Stones' winner announcement (e.g. photo, short bio & thank you message)
- A commitment to academic success, failure to do so will result in loss of scholarship

It is our prayer this scholarship will only strengthen your faith and relationship with the Lord.

If you have any questions, please reach us on our Facebook page or email.