**Stephanie Frucella Memorial “Making a Difference” Scholarship**

This camp scholarship is in memory of Stephanie Frucella, a 4th grade teacher. As a child, she loved to come to the Audubon Community Nature Center with her family to walk the trails and discover wildlife, flowers, and the beauty of nature. In her life, Stephanie strived daily to make a difference in the lives of her students and her community. Through this scholarship and others, her legacy will continue.

### Qualifications

This is a merit-based scholarship, for students going into grade 5 and older. Preference is given to campers who have demonstrated interest in volunteering, giving back to their communities, mentoring others, or wish to start volunteering as a CIT or JC for Day Camps.

### Include the following:

1. One application form (this paper) per applicant.
2. A sentence (or more) about why you (the parent) feel your child deserves this scholarship.
3. A handwritten essay by each child about: “how camp taught me to help nature,” “the importance of mentoring younger generations,” or “why it is important to give back to my community.”

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Name of child and age: |  |
| Camp Session: |  |
| Attending as camper, CIT, or JC: |  |
| Name of Parent: |  |
| Address: |  |
| City, State Zip: |  |
| Phone and Email: |  |
| Years at Day Camp: |  |
| Volunteer experience: |  |

### Timeline

First round applications are due May 1. Decisions will be made by May 15. If there is sufficient funding, more applications will be accepted, first come, first served.

Mail applications to the address above or email to the address below. Please direct any questions to Sarah Hatfield, (716) 569-2345 or shatfield@auduboncnc.org