



4-H CAMP  
SHANKITUNK



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## Delaware County CAMPER ACCESS MENTOR PROGRAM (DCCAMP)

**Goal:** Provide financial and programmatic support to 27 youth/families to attend the overnight camping program at 4-H Camp Shankitunk at no cost to them.

**Program Value:** \$500.00

**Program Cost to participants:** \$0 (Fully Funded)

### Description:

This scholarship program is designed to support the mental, emotional, and social health (MESH) and wellbeing of youth through positive youth development experiences in an outdoor camping environment.

What's included:

- Camp Fee
- Supplies for Success
- Welcome/ Essentials Care Package
- Cabin Photo to take home
- Priceless – Personalized support from camp staff in completing necessary forms, pre-camp parent/guardian outreach, in camp activities and check-ins/support.

### Eligibility:

- Must meet camp enrollment guidelines:
  - Be 8 years old by January 1, 2019.
  - Cannot have turned 17 by January 1, 2019.
  - Must be able participate safely and independently within reasonable accommodation
- Youth must be first time participants at 4-H Camp Shankitunk (Will be verified by our registrar)
- Youth must reside in Delaware County
- There is no disclosure required; however, we hope to reach youth who may have had adverse childhood experiences (ACEs) or been affected in some way by the rural county opioid crisis.
- There is no defined income eligibility; however, we hope to target youth who would benefit from this experience and might not be able to afford it otherwise.

**Application:** Form and 100-word narrative titled "I want to attend 4-H Camp Shankitunk because . . ."

**Deadline:** Applications must be received by March 29, 2019

**More Information:** Please visit our website at [www.campshankitunk.org](http://www.campshankitunk.org), call Corrine Tompkins (607) 865-6531, or email [crb222@cornell.edu](mailto:crb222@cornell.edu) with any questions, to receive an application, or to recommend a camper/family who may be eligible for this program.

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