

Hikers Name _____

Sponsor Form

Camp Hawkeye

Find your way home

Spring is here and so is
the time for hiking!



2010 Hikathon
Hawkeye Campership Fund
(HCF)



Supporting Youth Development
at Camp

	Name and E-mail of Sponsor (e-mail is important)	Pledge Amount	Check or Cash	Count- down to your goal \$ _____
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~ What to talk about with a potential sponsor ~

Introduction: (for a camper)

“Hi, how you doing? Can I talk with you for a quick minute about a fundraiser I’m doing? It helps bring kids from underserved communities to Camp Hawkeye.” My name is _____. I go to your school name. I’m participating in the Hawkeye Hikathon May 15th & my goal is to raise \$200. All donations go directly to the Hawkeye Campership Fund. This is the non-profit organization of camp. I can share more details about this with you.

Tell them briefly more about the event and why you chose to be a part of it.

Make sure to tell them you appreciate their support in achieving your goal.

Thank them for sharing their time with you.

Questions that may come up & Answers that are suitable.

What is the Hawkeye Hikathon?

- ☆Fun annual fundraiser
- ☆Event to meet staff and campers
- ☆Activity to bring families, friends, and supporters of Camp Hawkeye together
- ☆Occasion to explore nature and hike up one of New Hampshire’s beautiful mountains.
- ☆An excuse to get off the couch, soak up some sun, and breathe the fresh mountain air.

Why do you raise money?

- ☆To help bring kids from underserved communities to Camp Hawkeye.
- ☆Camp is a valuable, enriching experience that every child should have.
- ☆To provide a portion of the tuition to make it easier for the families who can not afford to pay otherwise.

Where does the money go?

- ☆Directly to the Hawkeye Campership fund. Check out the website: www.hawkeyecampershipfund.org

Why Camp Hawkeye?

- ☆Most fun camp
- ☆Pressure free environment
- ☆Place to learn and mature
- ☆Diverse Community
- ☆Campers & staff come from around the world
- ☆Smaller community, easy to make friends of a life time
- ☆The experiences are very different from those offered at home or at school.

6 Easy Ways to Help You Reach Your Goal Of \$200

(Make sure to follow each step, if you do you will be successful)

1. E-mail everyone you, your family, or pets know. Like your Aunts, Uncles, Grandparents, family friends, neighbors, and parents. Ask them to sponsor you,. Checks written out to Hawkeye Campership Fund.

2. Call everyone that you don’t have an email address. First ask how they’re doing and what’s new ; then share the fundraiser information; ask “Will you sponsor me towards my goal of \$200?”

3. Ask your teachers, school administrators, and coaches if they would be willing to help students like you attend Camp Hawkeye. Make sure you have a positive relationship with these teachers. Let them know their support means a lot to you, and any contribution makes a big difference.

4. Commit to your goal, raising \$200 or more, and talk about it with friends or family. Take action each and every day. You can do this by asking at least 5 new people a day to help support you.

5. Conquer procrastination. Start asking for donations now, the sooner you receive the first one the easier the task will be. Don’t wait until the last minute, people will feel rushed, you will get stressed, and they will choose not to support you.

6. Remain Positive. Not everyone you ask is going to donate. But there are plenty of people out there who are willing and want to help children come to camp. The more people you ask the greater the possibility of reaching your goal becomes.

If you need any help with this please call Jess at 781-315-1297.
She will be happy to help.