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To: Region 1D Local Union Presidents, Unit Chairs, Editors, Financial Secretaries
and Recording Secretaries

RE: **2017 Summer Scholarship Program held at Black Lake**

Greetings:

The Scholarship Program will again be offered for ONE WEEK ONLY this year. We expect the week to fill quickly, so please get your applications in early.

This is the fourth year minor grandchildren, as well as minor children, will be allowed to attend the Summer Scholarship Program provided they meet the program guidelines. Also, all participants of the program, children and adults, will be required to sign a Code of Conduct form when they arrive at the Center.

The Walter and May Reuther UAW Scholarship Program will begin Sunday, July 23 and end Friday, July 28. Please feel free to make as many copies of the enclosed application as are necessary and publish this information in your LU newspaper or newsletter if possible.

Participants in these programs must be members in good standing, and the Local Union President or Financial Secretary must sign each application. However, the Local Union is not responsible for lost time. Each member must use other avenues for their wage supplement, i.e. vacation, shutdown, etc. Eligibility is limited to active and laid-off members. Past participants in the Summer Scholarship Program are not eligible to reapply.

The Scholarship program is designed for family participation and the entire family attending must participate. Spouses and children will be involved in fun, recreational and educational activities. The adult program includes 16-18 year olds.

The Children's Program runs from 8:45-4:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday. Day Care for children 3-5 will be provided in a playful environment with creative activities, music and games in the gym and at the beach. Day Camp for children ages 6-7 will have a more athletic theme of daily trips to the swimming pool and gym in addition to music, golf, games and creative art projects. Youths between the ages of ages 8-11 enjoy a variety of outdoor activities including golf, gym, swimming along with unique arts and craft workshops.

Young adults who are ages 12-15 will enjoy a schedule filled with Union Involvement Workshops combined with golf, swimming and gym games. Because many children age 16 through 18 years are entering the work force, we offer those teens a program to prepare them for facing the realities of a working world. As young adults, they will be scheduled together in class with working adults.

Parents must meet their children shortly after 4 p.m. daily when the supervised classes are completed. Parents are also responsible for the supervision of their children in all areas of the Center when they are not in class.

On Thursday evening, an adult-only activity is scheduled. Care is provided for children (ages 3-11) from 7:30-11 p.m. A field outing is planned for 12-18 year olds.

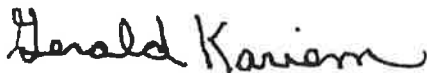
Participants not accompanied by their spouse and/or children, will be assigned to a room with another participant.

All participants must submit a \$50 refundable fee with their application, in advance, to the Regional Office. The check should be made payable to: UAW FAMILY EDUCATION CENTER. Applications received without a registration fee cannot be processed. Upon completion of the program, the \$50 fee will be refunded. However, *failure* to notify us of your cancellation 10 days in advance of the session will result in forfeiture of any registration fees paid. Only Union-made vehicles are allowed to park on the Center and must have vehicle VIN beginning with 1, 2, 4 or 5.

Scholarship participants from the same Local Union or area will be expected to travel together in a single car whenever possible.

Region 1D is limited to 32 adults and 16 children for the week. Therefore, it is necessary to return the application as soon as possible to reserve your space.

In Solidarity,



Gerald Kariem
Director



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2017 Family Scholarship Application

Fill out this form completely. The July 23-28, 2017 session begins on Sunday and ends on Friday. It is available in Spanish.

Legal FIRST Name: _____ LAST Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Local Union # _____ UAW Region: _____ Date of Membership: _____

Employed at: _____ Location: _____

Home Phone: (_____) _____ Social Security #: (Last 4 digits only) _____

Email: _____ Age of applicant: _____ Marital Status: Married Single Male Female

Single participants not accompanied by spouse or children/grandchildren are roomed with another participant.

Indicate: Smoking Non-Smoking

If spouse and/or children/grandchildren accompany UAW applicant to the Family Education Center, please complete the following:

Spouse's Legal FIRST Name: _____ LAST Name: _____ DOB _____

List children's complete LEGAL names, birth dates and sex:

First Name	Last Name	Birth Date	Age	Sex
_____	_____	_____	_____	Male _____ Female _____
_____	_____	_____	_____	Male _____ Female _____
_____	_____	_____	_____	Male _____ Female _____
_____	_____	_____	_____	Male _____ Female _____

The Scholarship Program is open only to active UAW members' children and grandchildren. Program is not open to other relatives or children under 4 years of age. For each child, you may be required to provide a birth certificate or proof of legal guardianship.

Please indicate any special needs of yourself/family members, i.e., disability, sleep apnea, medical condition: _____

Release of Photographs and Videos

I agree to allow the UAW to use my name and photograph and/or image in union publications, videos, advertising or brochures. I also agree to allow the UAW to use my child's photograph and/or image in union publications, videos, advertising or brochures.

Both member and spouse must read and sign application:

UAW Member's signature: _____ Spouse's signature: _____

DRIVING: Attach \$50 registration fee made payable to UAW Family Education Center. Applications received without registration fee cannot be processed.

FLYING: No registration fee required. See "Frequently Asked Questions" to determine eligibility and actual costs of airfare.

If flying, once approved, your UAW Regional Office will provide you with instructions.

UAW Member: Application must be submitted to your Local Union

Local Union: Mail to UAW Regional Office

Applicant is a member in good standing with one year's seniority.

Local Union President or Financial Secretary

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Since 1970, thousands of UAW members and their families have participated in the Walter and May Reuther UAW Family Education Center Scholarship Program – changing their lives and those of their loved ones forever!

Located in scenic Onaway, Michigan on Black Lake, the Center was envisioned by legendary UAW President Walter Reuther to be a place where UAW members and their families could come together to learn and relax.

Through educational and recreational activities, the Family Scholarship Program provides an opportunity for adults and children to learn and think about how our union empowers us to change our workplaces and communities for ourselves and future generations.

These lessons are learned through daily adult and children's programs and family activities. Below are the most frequently asked questions about the UAW Family Scholarship Program.

Who can participate in the program?

All active or laid off UAW members in good standing are eligible to apply for a Family Scholarship if you have never attended the program before. You must also be willing to use your regular vacation, personal leave or union leave time (where permitted by contract) to attend. Past participants are not eligible to reapply.

Your spouse and children/grandchildren 4-18 years old may attend with you. You may be required to provide a birth certificate or proof of legal guardianship for each attending child.

Children under 4 years old cannot be accommodated and other relatives, non-relatives and retirees are not eligible to participate – no exceptions!

What costs does the Family Scholarship cover?

The UAW pays all lodging, food and program costs for the entire one-week session. The scholarship does not cover costs for group photographs or other personal spending. Expenses for meals, tolls or other costs incurred during travel to and from the Center are also not covered.

Tell me more about the children's program.

The children's program is designed with the children's age in mind to ensure age-appropriate lessons and recreational activities. Children's groups are 4-6, 7-10, 11-14, and 15-18. Teens 15-18 may participate in the adult program depending on their registration numbers for that week.

The 4-6 year olds learn in a playful environment with creative activities, music and games in the gym and at the beach. The 7-10 year olds enjoy a variety of outdoor activities, including swimming, golf, gym and other recreational activities along with unique arts and crafts workshops. The 11-14 year olds enjoy a schedule filled with Union Involvement workshops, along with golf, swimming and gym games. The 15-18 year olds participate in a workshop that focuses on child wage and hour, and health and safety laws to inform them of their job rights and responsibilities.

Instructors are experienced union members who have been trained to work with children. All children will be required to sign a Code of Conduct form with their parent or guardian to emphasize responsible behavior while at the Center.

Will I need any special clothes?

Attire is informal and casual clothes are acceptable for classes and evening activities, though you may wish to pack additional items, Wednesday's free afternoon and Thursday evening's adult-only activity.

For more information visit: uawblacklake.com.