

## TAYLOR WIDMER GASPER RIVER SCHOLARSHIP

The Taylor Michael Widmer Gasper River Scholarship is being established by family and friends in memory Taylor Widmer who passed away August 7, 2014.

Taylor Widmer started attending Gasper River during middle school and fell in love with it. It truly changed his life. Although not a counselor, he was a mentor to many who attended camp. His joy, loving spirit and openness helped other campers feel special and welcomed. Taylor worked very hard to conquer the wall climbing element and prided himself in going up first to help others over. Being the first person of his group to ascend the wall during the high obstacles elements, it will now be known as the Taylor Widmer Wall. What an impact he had on others! After attending camp, he came back to Owensboro fired up in the faith and was truly a disciple of Christ evangelizing others.



Taylor scaling “the wall” at Gasper.

Although his life ended way too early, the scholarship in Taylor’s memory serves as a reminder of a talented, caring, loving young man who put Christ first. His summers at Gasper River helped built up his strong faith. The scholarship will provide incentive for more individuals to attend summer camp and experience the love of God. Through this scholarship, Taylor continues to bring others to Christ.

The scholarship will be awarded to 3 individuals (2 high school and 1 middle school) who are parishioners of Immaculate Parish for Gasper River Summer Camp. The scholarship will pay the entire fee for the recipient to attend one summer session. Application process is open to anyone 3<sup>rd</sup> grade and above from Immaculate Parish. Applications are due February 1<sup>st</sup>. Scholarships will be selected by February 5<sup>th</sup> and recipients will be notified shortly afterwards.

Gasper River will be notified of scholarship recipients. However, recipients will be responsible for applying for camp and filling out all forms.



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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_ Grade entering \_\_\_\_\_

Have you previously attended Gasper River Summer camp?    Y        N

Parents' names \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Parent email \_\_\_\_\_

On a separate piece of paper, please answer the following:

1. Why do you want to go to camp?
2. What would receiving this scholarship mean to you?
3. How do you see camp affecting your relationship with Christ? With others?
4. State your involvement in church activities.

Please check which Camp Session you are interested in attending:

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| _____ Explorer Camp (3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> grade)   | June 10-13 / July 15-18 / July 29-Aug 1                           |
| _____ Expedition Camp (5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade) | June 3-8 / June 10-15 / July 8-13 / July 22-27                    |
| _____ Quest Camp (7 <sup>th</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade)      | June 3-8 / June 17-22 / July 8-13 / July 22-27 /<br>July 29-Aug 3 |
| _____ Camp L.I.F.E (High School)                                | June 17-22 / June 24-29 / July 1-6 / July 15-20                   |
| _____ Made for More (boys only)                                 | June 24-27  |
| _____ Camp Identity (High School)                               | July 1-6  |

Applications must be completed and received by February 1<sup>st</sup>. Please return this form and answered questions directly to Diane Willis, Director of Faith Formation or email to [dwillis@immaculateparish.org](mailto:dwillis@immaculateparish.org)