

Scholarship Application

Name:

Address:

Phone & Email:

What class or event do you wish to attend?

Where:

What is the cost?

Tuition:

Travel:

Lodging:

Other:

Briefly, describe how attending the particular class/event will advance your blacksmithing skills and be helpful in promoting the craft of blacksmithing. Identify the specific skills you expect to learn during this learning experience. (Additional pages if necessary)

I understand that as a requirement of receiving this scholarship, I will be required to submit an article about the education experience attended with appropriate notes and diagrams to the BAM newsletter no later than 3 months after attending the event AND within 1 year of the event, I will present a demonstration of the newly learned skills at a BAM meeting or complete a video to be placed on the BAM library. One third of the total scholarship amount will be awarded before the event, one third on submission of the article to the newsletter editor, and one third after presenting the demonstration at a BAM event.

Signed _____ Date _____

Send Scholarship applications to:

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Release From Liability

I wish to apply for a scholarship or grant to be applied to blacksmith classes offered by a third party/organization for myself or for my child who is under the age of 18. I understand some of the activities involve risks including, but not limited to, bodily injury, death, or property damage. I also understand the importance of following all instructions, heeding safety warnings, and not engaging in any activity I am not able to perform safely based on my physical condition or otherwise.

In consideration of accepting this scholarship and participating in the class(es), the undersigned, on behalf of herself/himself and his/her child under the age of 18, agrees not to make any claim against and to release from any liability for damages of any kind, the Blacksmiths Association of Missouri (BAM), and their respective officers, directors, shareholders, employees, and agents (the "Released Parties") arising out of participation in class activities, whether such damages are caused by the instructor's negligence or otherwise, and whether for bodily injury, death, property damage, or loss of any kind or nature, including, without limitation, claims concerning the right of privacy and/or publicity arising from the recording, use or distribution of the student's likeness in any promotional publicity of BAM or the third party/organization conducting the class.

I certify that I understand the terms of this Release from Liability, that I am age eighteen (18) years or older, or the parent/legal guardian of the student identified below and authorized to execute this Release from Liability on his/her behalf. This Release will bind me, my representatives, successors, heirs, and assigns.

Student Name (please print) _____

Student Signature (if student is over 18) _____

Guardian Signature (if student is under 18) _____

Guardian Name (if student is under 18) _____

Date Signed _____