



LEEUWIN
Ocean Adventure Foundation

APPLICATION FOR GEOFFREY EVANS TRUST SCHOLARSHIP

The Geoffrey Evans Trust provides scholarships to deserving young people from 14-25 years of age with an interest in a career in the marine environment or maritime industry, who wish to participate on a Leeuwin Youth Explorer Voyage.

The Leeuwin Ocean Adventure Foundation operates 7 day/6 night voyages on the sailing vessel *STS Leeuwin II* primarily for young Western Australians. Voyages are suitable for individuals from all walks of life and backgrounds.

The Voyage program is designed to help young people build skills such as self-confidence, communication, team work and leadership – all of which are critical to obtaining, and making the most of education and employment opportunities.

For schools age participants, the School Curriculum and Standards Authority has endorsed Leeuwin voyages as a suitable program for young people in years 10, 11 & 12 to earn 5 points towards their Western Australian Certificate of Education, which is equivalent to one semester of study in one subject (endorsed as a Personal Development or Outdoor/ Physical Education program).

The full fare for a 7 day/ 6 night voyage on the *STS Leeuwin II* is \$2,250 for the 2016/17 sailing season. Scholarships from the Geoffrey Evans Trust cover up to \$1,875 leaving \$375 (minimum) to be covered by the applicant or other sponsors. The voyage fare covers: the sail training program, all accommodation and meals, use of wet weather gear, shore visits (weather permitting), and a 12 month membership (which provides access to the Leeuwin volunteering program and other benefits).

Eligibility for a scholarship is assessed on the information provided by applicants via the attached form. Please complete each question and send your application to:

Geoffrey Evans Trust Scholarship Officer
Leeuwin Ocean Adventure Foundation Limited
PO Box 1100 Fremantle Western Australia 6959
Fax to: 94304494
Or Email: philippa@sailleeuwin.com

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

To apply for a Geoffrey Evans Trust Scholarship applicants you meet the following criteria:

1. You are between the ages of 14 and 25 when your preferred voyage departs
2. You have completed all relevant sections of the scholarship form.
3. You are interested in a career in the marine environment or maritime industry.
4. You live in the Great Southern Region.

If you are successful in securing a scholarship

5. You will fill out an application and medical form which will be assessed by the Foundation for final approval. You will receive confirmation directly from the Leeuwin Ocean Adventure Foundation on whether your scholarship has been approved.
6. Your contribution towards the voyage fare will be paid in full to the Foundation 60 days before the voyage departs.
7. Any images, video footage or testimonials from your participation on the voyage can be used by the Foundation or its partners for any promotional purposes.
8. The Foundation may in its absolute discretion withdraw the scholarship at any time.

If successful your scholarship may only be used towards the costs incurred in participating in a Leeuwin Ocean Adventure - Youth Explorer or Open Explorer voyages.

Please complete the attached form for each applicant. The Leeuwin Ocean Adventure Foundation will be the principal determinant of successful scholarship recipients.

Please note that all information supplied will be treated confidentially.

Please tell us why you need financial support? _____

Can you please describe your career aspiration (please indicate the schools/courses/university studies you're planning to complete and your desired career. Eg. Being in the fishing industry, marine surveyor, professional sailing, marine chef, marine law, a sub sea commercial role, tugboats, water police, stevedore, marine biology, marine engineer, marine architect, etc.)

Is there any more that the applicant, parent/ guardian, teacher or leader would like to add in support of this application?

Please select your preferred voyages: (Dates/ numbers found at www.sailleeuwin.com)

First preference: Voyage No. _____/2017

Second preference: Voyage No. _____/ 2017

Third preference: Voyage No. _____/2017

I declare all information provided in this form is true and correct:

Signed; Applicant: _____

Date: _____

Parent/Guardian(if under 18 y/o): _____

Date: _____