

2009 Indiana Free Will Baptist Youth Camp Staff Application

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Check desired ministry area: Counselor Cook Program Staff

Basic Information

Name _____
First MI Last

Address _____
Street Address City State Zip

Phone numbers (_____) _____
Home Cell

Best times to reach me at home _____

Employer _____ address _____

Position at work _____ Years at current job _____

Email _____ Social Security # _____

Name of your Church: _____

Church Address: _____ How long have you attended this church? _____

Your Pastor's Name: _____ Pastor's Phone: _____

Emergency contact _____ Phone _____
name and relationship

My space and/or Face Book Name and Address _____

Family Information

Marital status (circle one): Single Married (anniversary date _____) Divorced

If married, spouse's name _____

If you have children, their names and ages:

1. _____ 4. _____

2. _____ 5. _____

3. _____ 6. _____

Volunteer or Paid Ministry Experience

(list most recent first)

Church (name, city, state, and zip) Dates Area of service Contact person Phone

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

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Tell Us About Yourself

1. When (how many years have you been saved) and how did you become a Christian?

2. When and where were you baptized?

3. Do you use illegal drugs, alcoholic beverages or tobacco?

A criterion to serve at Youth Camp is that our Volunteer Staff abstains from illegal drugs, alcoholic beverages and tobacco. If you use any of those, you will not be allowed to serve as a Camp Volunteer.

4. Have you been faithful to attend Sunday School the last 12 months?

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5. What is your Sunday School's Teacher's name and phone number?

SS Teacher's Name: _____ Phone: (_____) _____

6. Have you been faithful to attend Church the last 12 months?

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7. What is your Pastor's name and phone number?

Pastor's Name: _____ Phone: (_____) _____

(Your Pastor must sign this before you send it)

As Pastor of the applicant, I recommend them as an active and very faithful part of our church:

Pastor's Signature: _____

8. How many years have you served on staff at the Indiana FWB Youth Camp?

9. Are you a certified Red Cross Life Guard?

10. What week/s do you want to serve? Teen Week or Junior Week

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References

Please provide three character references (other than family members) who can identify your strengths and weaknesses and describe your background, physically and **spiritually**.

1. _____
Name Address Home / work phone Relationship
2. _____
Name Address Home / work phone Relationship
3. _____
Name Address Home / work phone Relationship

Self-Description

Please circle the words that best describe you, and cross out words that least describe you.

trustworthy dependable active compassionate reliable self-starter punctual flexible
laid-back quick thinker spontaneous decisive teachable team player humorous
thoughtful solitary leader cautious risk taker patient reflective honest
organized creative disciplined faithful

What are your spiritual gifts?

Please list any personal weaknesses, areas where you need to grow, or special concerns that could affect your ministry with campers.

1. _____
2. _____

Medical Information

Have you had any prior injuries that might be aggravated by working in youth camping ministry?

Are you currently taking any medication prescribed by a doctor for physical or other conditions that would affect your ministry?

Do you have any medical conditions that might be hazardous to others?

If you answered yes to any of the questions above, please attach another page and explain completely.

Your Doctor's name: _____ Phone # (____) _____

Insurance Company: _____ Policy# _____

Insurance Company's Phone # (____) _____

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Background information

Have you, at any time, been involved in or accused, rightly or wrongly, of sexual abuse, maltreatment, or neglect?

yes no

Have you ever been accused or convicted of possession / sales of controlled substances or of driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs?

yes no

Have you been arrested or convicted for any criminal act more serious than a traffic violation?

yes no

Have you ever been involved romantically or sexually with any student in the youth ministry, or had sexual relations with any minor after you became an adult?

yes no

Have you ever been a victim of any form of child abuse?

yes no

If yes, would you like to speak to a counselor or pastor?

yes no

Have you ever been asked to step away from ministry or work with students or children in any setting, paid or volunteer?

yes no

If the answer to any of the above questions is yes, please attach another page and write a full explanation.

Miscellaneous Information

1. We operate the camp on a no visitation and no partial week's policy for Campers and Staff members. This helps in keeping the spirit of camp consistent through the week.
2. The Awards Banquet theme for this year is "Patriotic".
3. Messages/Classes/Bible Bowl/Verse Memorizations and Cabin/Staff Devotions will all be from the King James Version of the Bible, therefore we need for you to bring a KJV.
4. Please beware of all the staff guidelines for Men and Ladies. Dresses, skirts, culottes, pants and shorts **must be to the knee cap when sitting and loose fitting.** Sleeveless/Tank top shirts may only be allowed during rec times. Men Staff - Hair off collar, off ears and out of eyes. No shave marks/colors. No jewelry except Wedding bands and class rings.
5. Ladies Hair should be longer then the man's guidelines with no far-out styles/colors. Piercing only allowed in ears.
6. Be flexible and willing to humbly serve the campers in the Love of Christ.
7. There is no Staff Fee for those 20 years old and older. 19 year olds and younger is \$75.00. Teens may serve at Camp during Junior Week if they attend Teen Camp and are going into at least the 9th grade.
8. Optional: If you would like an Indiana FWB Youth Camp **Staff** Shirt, please include \$15.00 and your adult size: Small - Medium - Large - XLarge - XXLLarge - XXXLarge
9. Checks payable to: FWB Summer Camp
10. Teen Week Dates: July 26 – Aug 1, 2009 Junior Week Dates: Aug 2 – Aug 8, 2009
11. The FWB Youth Camp is conducted on the campgrounds of:
Beechwood Lake Christian Camp – Rt #5, Box 106 – Bloomfield, IN 47424.
The phone number at Beechwood Camp is 812-825-7770
12. Once this full application is in your file; you will only need to keep it updated in years to come. We will keep your original application on file. Every year to follow will be an abbreviated version of this original.

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Waiver / Release

I, the undersigned, give my authorization to the Indiana FWB Youth Camp representatives—hereafter referred to as The Camp—to verify the information on this form. The Camp may contact my references and appropriate government agencies as deemed necessary in order to verify my suitability as a youth camp worker. I give permission to the camp to run a Criminal background check and will be willing to submit to the reports and the decisions of the camp.

The information contained in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I authorize any references or churches listed in this application to give you any information (including opinions) that they may have regarding my character and fitness for camping ministry. In consideration of the receipt and evaluation of this application by The Camp, I hereby release any individual, church, youth organization, charity, employer, reference, or any other person or organization, including record custodians, both collectively and individually, from any and all liability for damages of whatever kind or nature that may at any time result to me, my heirs, or family, because of compliance or any attempts to comply, with this authorization. I waive any right that I may have to inspect any information provided about me by any person or organization identified by me in this application.

Should my application be accepted, I agree to be bound by the constitution, statement of faith and policies of The Camp, and to refrain from conduct unbecoming to Christ in the performance of my services on behalf of The Camp. If I violate these guidelines, I understand that my volunteer status will be terminated. By signing this application, I state that all of the information given about myself is true.

I further state that I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THE FOREGOING RELEASE AND KNOW THE CONTENTS THEREOF, AND I SIGN THIS RELEASE AS MY OWN ACT. This is a legally binding agreement which I have read and understand.

Print name
Date

Signature

Parent's Signature if under 18

Please mail all five COMPLETED pages and checks back to:
Indiana Free Will Baptist Youth Camp
129 Southwood Drive
Wabash, IN 46992

Or fax all five COMPLETED pages back to:
260-563-4569

Or e-mail all five COMPLETED pages to:
PastorPhillips@efwbc.com

Please have your application fully completed and returned by June 1, 2009.

Indiana FWB Youth Camp Director

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