



FPYC

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FLAMING PINE YOUTH CAMP

Counselor Application

Name _____

Date of Application _____

Permanent Address _____

Zip _____ Phone _____

School Address _____

Zip _____ Phone _____

Age _____ Gender _____ Marital Status _____

Church membership _____

Email address: _____

EDUCATION

College

Major Subjects

Years Attended

Degree

CAMP EXPERIENCE (As a staff member)

Position

Camp

Date

Director

Address

CAMP EXPERIENCE (As a camper)

Camp

Date

Director

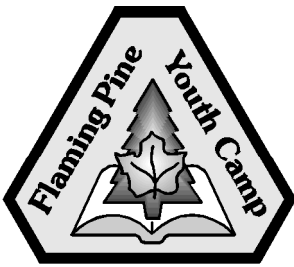
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Describe any experience you have had in youth oriented activities such as Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, YMCA/YWCA activities, etc. (include comments about your church camp experience if applies).

What First Aid Training have you had?

Describe any outdoor experiences you have had - family camping, backpacking, wilderness trek, etc.





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Have you ever worked with a group of boys or girls in any capacity? Yes No
If yes, explain briefly what you have done:

What work or service have you done at your home congregation or at the congregation that you attend while at school? Describe briefly:

Write a brief statement about why you want to be a camp counselor.

Describe the characteristics an ideal Christian youth camp should have. What opportunities and experiences should it provide for young people?

Number in order of preference (1, 2, 3) the age groups listed below with which you prefer to work at camp and a brief statement explaining your choices.

___ Grades 4 - 6 (ages 9 - 11) ___ Grades 7 - 9 (ages 12 - 14) ___ Grades 10-12 (ages 15 -17)

REFERENCES Please give at least three references. If possible, include some of the following: church leaders, former employers, camp directors, and former teachers. Do not use as a reference any one who is a relative. Give complete name, address, zip code, and phone.

Name	Address	Zip Code	Phone	Relationship to you
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If counselors are not needed for every session, would you be interested in a one week unpaid "vacation" during the summer? Yes No

Are there specific days off you are requesting during the summer? When _____





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(you may use additional pages to answer if you wish)

What are your personal goals for future service in the Lord's work?

What do you perceive to be the greatest needs in the church today?

Describe influences/circumstances which led you to faith in Christ.

What 3 words would your most recent supervisor use to describe you?

What 3 words would your co-workers use to describe you?

What 3 words would you use to best describe yourself?

For what have you most often been criticized?

For what are you most often complimented?





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Are there other skills that we should know about that would enhance your work as a counselor such as: Song leading, choral direction, drama, arts/crafts, Bible class teaching, orienteering, canoeing, fishing, sport specific coaching/teaching, guitar. List these and others:

Your chance of being selected as a counselor is greatly increased if you can get lifeguard certified. You will be reimbursed for your training/certification and paid an additional \$25 per week over regular pay. Are you willing and able to become lifeguard certified? _____

I have read and understand the statement of purpose of Flaming Pine Youth Camp as defined in the letter to counselor applicants. If selected to be a counselor, I agree to abide by and uphold the rules of the camp.

Date

Signature

Please send completed applications to:

Best choice: Fill out this document and email to Brett Osborne: brettduluth@aol.com.

Questions?? Call Brett at 218 724 5341 or email above.

Notes:

Counselors are expected to be at camp for the entire summer, starting at 5 PM on the first Sunday of Counselor training, and staying through to Sunday morning after completion of the last session. Are there any circumstances we should know about that would preclude your ability to be there the entire time?

Very little personal 'break times' are provided. For example, in most sessions, two 40 minute class periods Monday through Friday are provided and a break from Saturday afternoon until worship on Sunday may be provided most weekends, depending on campers that are staying over that will need to be supervised. Other times may be arranged.

CPR certification is provided during counselor training for counselors who are not CPR certified.

There is opportunity to increase your summer pay through fund raising opportunities provided through FPYC by the counselor soliciting additional funds for 'support' for the work at camp. More details can be provided upon request. Contact Barry Ries at barry.ries@mnsu.edu

