

# 2017 4-H Summer Camp Counselor Application



NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_ CURRENT GRADE \_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

USE SPACE PROVIDED. TYPE OR PRINT.

1. What camp position(s) are you interested in? (Rank your preferences 1st-3rd choice). See job descriptions for details.

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| ____ Counselor               | ____ Naturespace Assistant      |
| ____ Recreation Assistant    | ____ Lifeguard                  |
| ____ Arts & Crafts Assistant | ____ Music/Campfire-Coordinator |

2. Describe what parents of 4-H campers expect of a 4-H camp counselor when they send their child to 4-H camp: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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3. Being a camp counselor means assuming the responsibility for each camper's safety. It also means being a positive role model. Describe ways in which you intend to role model each value of the ARCH while at camp.

Accountability \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Respect \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Compassion \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Honesty \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Commitment (Keystone) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. Describe two experiences that have helped prepare you to be a counselor for 4-H Summer Camp. Be sure to include how the experience made a difference to you and how you will use what you learned from that experience at camp.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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5. Do you think it is important for 4-H Camp Counselors to see themselves as a team working to accomplish the same goals? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If yes, what skills can you contribute to the team of counselors while at camp? \_\_\_\_\_

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6. Describe your most challenging 4-H camp or leadership experience and what you learned from it: \_\_\_\_\_

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7. Please check the following activities that you have some experience in leading or teaching:

\_\_\_ Canoeing      \_\_\_ Campfires      \_\_\_ Music      \_\_\_ Skits  
\_\_\_ Certified Lifeguard      \_\_\_ Group games      \_\_\_ Other (specify)

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8. Please indicate three topics you would like to see included in this year's counselor training.

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9. You will be responsible for your assigned campers for three days of camp activities. How will their time at camp be special because you were their counselor?

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10. Any ideas for this year's theme? \_\_\_\_\_

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The training dates on June 28 and July 6 are **mandatory** unless you have contacted us in advance and training needs can be scheduled for other time. Please let us know if there is any conflict you know of that would not allow you to attend these trainings. I will attend both sessions \_\_\_ yes \_\_\_ no (Explain here if you have a conflict):

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**RETURN THIS FORM ON OR BEFORE APRIL 25 to: Ian Meeker, Bayfield County 4-H,  
P.O. Box 218, Washburn, WI 54891**

**Summer's just around the corner! Thanks for taking the time to fill out your application and sending it back to the office before the April 25<sup>th</sup> deadline. We'll be having a CAMP PLANNING MEETING ON MAY 3<sup>rd</sup> from 5:00-6:00pm at the Great Lakes Visitor Center.**