

Church of the Saviour ADVENTURE CAMP Leadership Development Counselor (LDC)

STATEMENT OF BELIEF

WE BELIEVE THAT JESUS CHRIST IS “THE VISIBLE IMAGE OF THE INVISIBLE GOD” AND THAT IN HIM “ALL DEITY DWELLS IN BODILY FORM.” WE BELIEVE THAT “ALL SCRIPTURE IS INSPIRED BY GOD: AND IT IS OUR FINAL AUTHORITY FOR FAITH AND LIFE. OUR STAFF DOES NOT CONDONE, OR PERSONALLY USE DRUGS, ALCOHOL, OR TOBACCO. WE BELIEVE AND TEACH THAT PREMARITAL SEX AND HOMOSEXUALITY ARE IN VIOLATION OF GOD’S WORD. IN EVERYTHING WE DO, OUR PURPOSE IS TO GLORIFY CHRIST AND HONOR HIS WORD.

Date of Application:

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Please attach a recent photo.

NAME: _____ **Birthday:** _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ **E-mail:** _____

Grade entering in the Fall: _____ **School:** _____

Church attending: _____

Church phone number: _____

LDC RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Come to camp with a helpful and cheerful spirit (Proverbs 17:22)
- Show love to the campers in your group by:
 - Using kind words and actions (Colossians 3:12)
 - Modeling correct behavior (Titus 2:7a)
- Remember that you are present to help your senior counselor and the campers.
- Tell your sr. counselor if you have any problems/questions/concerns with camp or the camp program.
****This is a very important responsibility.****
- Think *safety first!*
- Talk about the camp themes and memory verses with the campers (this is your ministry too!)
- Remember that socializing with your friends is secondary to your time with campers.
- Note: The LDC’s cost for camp is determined as follows – (plus \$27.50 if riding the bus)
 - Year 1** (9th grade in the Fall) - full cost of camp
 - Year 2** (10th grade) - 3/4 cost of camp
 - Year 3** (11th grade) - half the cost of camp
 - 12th grade** - no cost ... Co-Counselor position

Do you have the ability to perform all the requirements of the position for which you have applied given the responsibilities described above? **Y or N**

Signature – sign during personal interview with staff member: _____

1. Please type (at least one page single spaced) a spiritual autobiography and testimony explaining when and how you became a Christian and important decisions and experiences that have impacted your Christian life.
2. Where will you go when you die and why? Please give *two verses* to support your answer.
3. List Bible study courses you are involved with and/or have finished.
4. What do you do (or at least try to do) daily to help yourself grow to be more like Jesus?
5. Which three people have had the greatest impact upon your life and why?
 1. _____ -- _____

 2. _____ -- _____

 3. _____ -- _____

6. Describe the various teams, clubs or youth activities of which you have been/are a part. Include the year of your involvement.
7. List hobbies or interests.

8. What experiences have you had working with younger kids/youth (Hint: church work, babysitting, family siblings, camp work, mission trips)? List past and present. What were/are your responsibilities in each area?

9. Please number in order of preference the areas where you would like to help out while at camp (first choice is "1," etc.). Please "*star*" those activities which you could lead.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Challenge Course | <input type="checkbox"/> Archery | <input type="checkbox"/> Basketball | <input type="checkbox"/> Volleyball |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Canoeing | <input type="checkbox"/> Swimming | <input type="checkbox"/> Soccer | <input type="checkbox"/> Crafts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nature | <input type="checkbox"/> Music | <input type="checkbox"/> Cooking/Baking | <input type="checkbox"/> Rocketry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drama | <input type="checkbox"/> First-Aid | <input type="checkbox"/> Cheerleading | <input type="checkbox"/> Sewing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art | <input type="checkbox"/> Puppetry | <input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper | <input type="checkbox"/> Mime |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Photo/Video | <input type="checkbox"/> Hiking | <input type="checkbox"/> Fishing | <input type="checkbox"/> Sling-shot |

10. What do you feel *campers* should gain from their camp experience?

How will you make this happen?

11. What do you feel *you* should gain from your experience at camp?

How will you make this happen?

12. Have you ever been convicted of anything other than a traffic violation? **N or Y**
(A conviction will be considered only to the extent that it bears on your ability to perform the job(s) for which you are applying.)

13. Why are you applying to the Leadership Development Counselor (LDC) program?

14. Describe your best qualities or greatest success.

15. What about yourself would you like to change or hope not to repeat?

17. Do you use alcohol, illegal drugs, or tobacco in any form? **N** **or** **Y** (If yes, please explain.)

18. List three words or phrases that best describe you.

PERSONAL REFERENCES -- Please send the *two reference forms* to persons who will serve as a reference for you. At least one should be a spiritual reference: youth leader, pastor, elder, etc. *No peers or relatives.* Please list their names and addresses below so that if forms are not received, we may contact them.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Relationship to applicant: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Relationship to applicant: _____

RELEASE

The information contained in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I authorize Church of the Saviour to verify the information on this form by contacting my references and appropriate government agencies. I authorize any references, churches, or other organizations listed in this application to give Church of the Saviour any information they may have regarding my character and fitness for working with children, and I release all such references from liability for any damage that may result from furnishing such evaluations to Church of the Saviour.

Should my application be accepted I agree to be bound by the by-laws, statement of faith, and policies of Church of the Saviour, Wayne, PA, and to refrain from unscriptural conduct in the performance of my services on behalf of the church. I understand that the personal information contained on this form will be held confidential by Church of the Saviour.

Applicant's signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Parent's signature: _____ **Date:** _____