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Dear Friends & Previous Staff of Evergreen Bible Camp,

PLEASE NOTE TEEN WEEK IS EARLIER THIS YEAR AND WILL BE <u>JUNE</u> 14-19. IF APPLYING FOR TEEN WEEK, PLEASE RETURN YOUR COMPLETED STAFF APPLICATION BY **SUNDAY, APRIL 5**th.

Please READ & SAVE this letter until camp and refer to it before calling with questions, as it will have most of the information you need. An electronic copy is also available at evergreenbiblecamp.com

We are currently looking for committed Christians to fill the staffing needs for camp! We invite you to consider ministering at camp and submit a Volunteer Application Form. In 2020, our goal is to encourage our campers to rely on Christ rather than human strength (Philippians 4:13). We anticipate approximately 30 staff positions for Teen Week, 40 for Youth Week, and 35 for Junior Camp.

Camp Evergreen carefully considers all applications, but we are not able to promise that every application will result in a staff position. When making staffing decisions, we consider references, previous dependability as staff, as well as responsibility taken and shown in the application process. If you are new to camp, thank you for your interest in Camp Evergreen. We welcome you and any questions.

For teens applying to be staff who have attended or will attend Teen Camp as a camper, your cooperation with fellow staff, your attitude, and your spiritual maturity will have a bearing on if or how you will be used as staff. We encourage you to attend Teen Camp where you will have the opportunity for additional mentoring. Anyone age 18 and under should choose to volunteer for Youth Camp OR Junior Camp, but not both. It is very hard on our teenage staff to do two camps back-to-back, and we have had more applicants than positions for the past few years.

IMPORTANT! Due to so many staff applying for our Junior and Youth Camps each year, **getting your** application in on time is key if serving at camp is important to you. Late applications will not have priority in staffing assignments but may still be considered *if* there are open positions.

Staff Applications are now available at <u>evergreenbiblecamp.com</u>

There is one application for new staff, and a shorter one for returning staff.

Please have them turned in by Sunday, April 5th for consideration for positions.

On the website, the staff application form is located under the "Beliefs" tab. *This form will need to be printed, filled out and then returned by mail.* If you are not able to print out an application and would like one mailed to you, please contact Lori.

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Camp is fun, but it is also exhausting. All staff are expected to put their time, energy and focus on drawing the campers to Jesus during the activities each day. It is important to come to camp rested and ready to give your all.

STAFF TRAINING is the Saturday prior to the week you will be serving at camp. (Junior Staff will join the Youth Staff training on Saturday Aug. 8th.) Please arrive 30 minutes prior to your start time to be able to get settled into your cabin.

2020 Evergreen Bible	Campers	Campers	New Staff	Returning Staff	Staff Leave
Camp	Check-in	Check-out	Arrive	Arrive	
TEEN CAMP <i>June 14-19</i> Ages 13-18	1:30-3:30 on Sunday, June 14 th	8pm on Friday, June 19 th	Saturday June 13 th at 10am	Sat. June 13 th by 1pm (please RSVP to Lori for lunch)	noon Sat. June 20 th or when camp clean up is done
YOUTH CAMP Aug. 9-14 Ages 10-12	1:30-3:30 on Sunday, August 9 th	6:15pm on Friday, August 14 th	Saturday Aug. 8 th at 10am	Sat. Aug. 8 th by 1pm (please RSVP to Lori for lunch)	Fri. Aug. 14 th 7pm or sooner if responsibilities are complete &/or clean up is done
JUNIOR CAMP	4:30pm	5pm	Friday	Friday	Mon. Aug. 17 th when all camp clean-up is done & responsibilities are complete
Aug. 14-17	on Friday,	on Monday,	Aug. 14 th	Aug. 14 th	
Ages 7-9	August 14 th	August 17 th	at 3:45pm	at 3:45pm	

Camper Registration Forms will be available on our camp website <u>evergreenbiblecamp.com</u> by early March. There is money available to assist campers with the cost of camp. Please contact Lori if you know of campers who would benefit from this or have their parent or guardian call her.

Evergreen Bible Camp is a fun and meaningful place to get to know Christ in a personal way. Please pray that God would direct in filling camp staff positions. Also pray that He prepares hearts of campers and staff for the work He wants to do.

Please have all applications turned in by SUNDAY, April 5th to: Lori Thompson 1010 3rd Ave. SW Pine City, MN 55063

Sincerely,

Camp Evergreen Board Members

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