



## Camp Ta-Pa-Win-Go Junior Staff & Junior Counselor Application

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant's E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Address (if different) \_\_\_\_\_

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### Church Information

Church Attending \_\_\_\_\_

Church Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Church Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Youth Pastor or Youth Leader Name \_\_\_\_\_

Youth Leader Phone \_\_\_\_\_

### Educational Information

School Attending \_\_\_\_\_

Grade completed by approaching summer: (circle)      8th      9th      10th      11th      12th

### Health Information

Are you in good health? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any physical handicaps? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, please explain \_\_\_\_\_

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Are you allergic to any medications or food? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, please list \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you have any other allergies? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, please list \_\_\_\_\_

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## Personal Testimony

What does it mean to you to have a personal relationship with the Lord?

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If you were to die today, do you believe you would go to Heaven? Why or why not?

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In your own words, please explain what God's word says in:

Romans 3:23

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Romans 6:23

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Romans 5:8

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Romans 10:9-10

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Romans 10:13

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Please share how God has been working in your life over the last six months

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Using Scripture please explain your belief about Eternal Security.

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Using Scripture, please explain your belief about Creation and Evolution.

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Using Scripture please explain your beliefs about homosexuality.

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I have read the "Statement of Faith" on Page 8 of this application and I am in agreement with it:

- ☐ Yes  
☐ No

If there are areas that you do not agree with our Statement of Faith, please indicate those areas so we may contact you concerning them.

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### Other Information

Why would you like to serve at Camp Ta-Pa-Win-Go?

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What do you feel you have to offer the teens and children the Lord sends to Camp Ta-Pa-Win-Go?

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Will you make the spiritual and physical needs of the campers under your care your greatest concern at all times? \_\_\_\_\_ Are you willing to fit into the work of camp where needed? \_\_\_\_\_

## Social Media

At camp, kids are going to get to know you and want to "follow" you on social media. Because of this and for your own spiritual growth, it is very important that who you follow and what you post and share is appropriate, clean, and Christ honoring. In the space below, please write your usernames on each social media account you use.

Instagram \_\_\_\_\_

Snapchat \_\_\_\_\_

TikTok \_\_\_\_\_

Facebook \_\_\_\_\_

Twitter \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

## Areas of Service

Please select the position(s) you are interested in serving.

- \_\_\_\_\_ Jr. Counselor (Ladies & Guys) completed 9th Grade and **MUST** attend training days  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Dish room/Dining room/Cleaning/Canteen (Ladies)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Maintenance Crew/Canteen/Dining room help (Guys)

Are you planning to attend "Teen Week" (8th-12th grade) this summer as a camper? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you planning to attend one of "Jr. High Weeks" (6th-8th grade) as a camper? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, indicate below for that week.

Mark the weeks of camps you are available to serve during this summer.

\_\_\_\_\_ Training Days – May 31-June 2

\_\_\_\_\_ Week 1-Day Camp – June 5-9

\_\_\_\_\_ Week 2-Teen Week – June 12-16

\_\_\_\_\_ Week 3-Junior Week 1 – June 19-23

\_\_\_\_\_ Week 4-Junior Week 2 – June 26-30

\_\_\_\_\_ Week 5-Day Camp 2 – July 3-7

\_\_\_\_\_ Week 6-Junior High Girls – July 10-14

\_\_\_\_\_ Week 7-Junior High Boys/Girls – July 17-21

Note position you would like to work

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Please note: The sooner you send your application, the sooner it will be able to be processed. Preferred positions are issued on a first come, first served basis.

## Reference Information

Please list three adults who have known you for two years or more. Do not include relatives.

1) Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

How do you know this person? \_\_\_\_\_

2) Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

How do you know this person? \_\_\_\_\_

3) Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

How do you know this person? \_\_\_\_\_

Please sign. This signature says that you have read the Junior Staff and Junior Counselor expectations and rules on the following pages and are willing to abide by them.

Applicants Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

\*\* (If applicant is under 18 years of age, please complete the below parent/guardian authorization.)\*\*

With my permission and knowledge \_\_\_\_\_ is submitting an application to work at Camp Ta-Pa-Win-Go. By signing below, I authorize Children's Bible Ministries (CBM) of East TN and Camp Ta-Pa-Win-Go to request information about my child from his or her references or past employers. I understand that CBM of East TN and Camp Ta-Pa-Win-Go will utilize any such information it gathers solely for the purpose of evaluating my child's application for service.

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

## **Junior Staff & Junior Counselor Expectations**

**Please print and keep this form to prepare for the summer.**

- First and foremost, each summer staff member must have a personal relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ and a willingness to serve Him with the best of your ability.
- Junior staff maintenance (Team Tim) serves by maintaining the campgrounds and buildings.
- Junior staff ladies (Team Clean) serve in the dining hall and dish room as well as helping run the camp canteen and housekeeping.
- Junior counselors live in the cabin with a senior counselor and up to 10 campers. You are placed in this leadership position to assist your senior counselor in any way needed. You are expected to provide a week of fun and spiritual growth for the campers.
- Junior staff must have completed their 8th grade year of high school by the time summer camp begins.
- Junior counselors must have completed their 9th grade year of high school by the time summer camp begins.
- Attend staff training Wednesday, May 31st at 7:00 pm to Friday, June 2nd at 6:00 pm (required for junior counselors).
- Summer staff may be asked to perform extra duties throughout the summer, and we expect you to do them with a positive attitude.
- Junior counselors & junior staff are permitted to have cell phones during the week. All phones will be locked up in the office and can be accessed once a day for 30 minutes.
- All summer staff are expected to abide by our camp dress code and rules.
- During your week(s) of service, you will need to arrive on Sunday evening by 7:00 pm. We will have a meeting and a time of prayer. If you are riding the bus from a remote location, you may arrive on Monday mornings. Buses do not run during training week or day camp weeks.
- On Friday evenings after our closing program with the campers and parents, we clean the camp for the next week. We ask that you stay to help at least until 7:00 pm.
- Junior counselors and staff are not allowed to stay at camp over the weekend.
- For each week you serve, you will receive a 25% discount off one week of camp.
- Our junior counselors & junior staff serve as volunteers and are not paid. At the end of the summer, you will receive a certificate of community service.

You will be sent a confirmation text or e-mail when we receive your completed application.

Thank you,

Lanette Depew

423-543-8860 (home)

423-342-6735 (cell)

## **Rules for all Junior Staff & Junior Counselors**

**Please print and keep this form to prepare for the summer.**

Obey and show respect to those in authority over you

Junior Staff—Keep your weekly schedule on hand and show up to all activities, jobs, assignments, etc. on time, complete the assigned job thoroughly before moving on to another job or activity

Junior Counselors—Unless it is your break, you must always stay with your campers

Always get permission before leaving the area your unit leader/senior counselor expects you to be at

**NEVER** find yourself alone with a member of the opposite gender

**NEVER** find yourself alone with a camper—even trips to the bathroom

No physical contact

Girls stay out of the guy's area

Guys stay out of the girl's area

Do not run on the pavement or gravel

Stay indoors during thunderstorms

Do not enter homes of permanent staff without the express approval of the staff coordinator

No catching rides on golf carts or other vehicles unless actively assisting unit leader or staff coordinator

Do not leave the cabin after lights out

Phones are only to be utilized during designated phone time only

Do not write on or deface any furniture, walls, etc.

No food in the cabin

Adhere to the dress code

Guard what you say (don't use foul language, gossip, cause drama, etc.)

### **Dress Code**

#### **Girls**

Shirts must cover the waist when arms are raised.

No tank tops, strapless shirts, strapless dresses, or low shirts (no visible bra straps or cleavage) T-shirts are best.

Clothing is too tight when undergarments can be clearly seen.

Shorts must be loose-fitting with at least a 5-inch inseam (mid-thigh).

Skirts and dresses, including slits, should be no shorter than the top of the knee.

If wearing leggings, the shirt needs to cover your bottom.

A one-piece swimsuit is recommended. Two-piece swimsuit is allowed, however, the top and bottom should overlap so that neither the stomach nor the lower back is visible. Necklines must be modest.

#### **Guys**

Shirts must be worn at all times except in cabins or when swimming, this includes walking to the pool. Sleeveless shirts are permitted.

**We reserve the right to restrict any clothing deemed inappropriate.**

## STATEMENT OF FAITH

### OUR BELIEFS

At Children's Bible Ministries and Camp Ta-Pa-Win-Go we stand on the Truth of the Bible.

**We believe** the Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments to be the verbally inspired (God-breathed) Word of God, the final authority for faith and life, infallible, inerrant in the original writings (Matthew 5:18; John 16:12-13; 2 Timothy 3:16-17; 2 Peter 1:20-21).

**We believe** in the deity of the Lord Jesus Christ as fully God and fully man; as man, conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of a virgin; as God, co-equal and co-existent with God the Father and God the Holy Spirit (Matthew 1:1 – 2:13; John 1:1-11, 14:16; Philippians 2:5-11; Colossians 1:15).

**We believe** in man's fallen condition. Through nature, choice and practice he is guilty before God and is righteously judged fit only for everlasting punishment (Genesis 3:1-13; Matthew 25:46; Romans 3:10 & 23, 5:12-21; 2 Corinthians 15:21-22; 2 Thessalonians 1:7-10; Revelations 20:12-15).

**We believe** Jesus Christ offered on our behalf the only acceptable sacrifice for sin and was raised in the same body from the dead according to the Scriptures. Christ has secured our redemption through the shedding of His blood, qualifying the saints for service here, a like resurrection, and a place in His divine presence for eternity (Matthew 28; Luke 24:39-43; Romans 3:21-28, 5:10-11; 1 Corinthians 15:3-4; 2 Timothy 2:5-6; Hebrews 9:11-22; 1 Peter 1:18-20; 1 John 2:2; 5:10-13).

**We believe** that repentance, forgiveness and becoming a new creature are several of the many experiences of the Christian who is kept by God's power, being secure in Christ forever and that it is the privilege of believers to rejoice in the assurance of salvation. (John 6:37-40, 10:27-30; Romans 8:1, 38-39; 2 Corinthians 5:17; 1 John 5:11-13).

**We believe** that God the Holy Spirit is a person who convicts sinners and who regenerates and baptizes them at the moment of their salvation into the body of Christ. We also believe that the Holy Spirit indwells and seals until Christ returns, all who believe, and fills and empowers for service those who are yielded to Him (John 16:8-11; Romans 8:9; 1 Corinthians 6:19-20, 12:12-14; Galatians 5:16; Ephesians 1:13-14, 4:30, 5:18; Titus 3:5).

**We believe** in the visible, personal and imminent return of the Lord and Savior Jesus Christ for His church (John 14:3; Acts 1:9-11; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18).

**We believe** in the bodily resurrection of the saved and of the lost, the everlasting blessedness of the saved and the everlasting punishment of the lost (John 11:23-27; Romans 8:11; 2 Corinthians 5:1; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Revelations 20:12-15).

**We believe** that Christ made provision for all the effects of sin in the atonement and that God heals in answer to believing prayer according to His sovereign discretion. Healing may not be claimed on the same unconditional basis as salvation, and the final deliverance from sickness awaits the believer in glory (1 Corinthians 15:51-57; 2 Corinthians 12:7-9; Philippians 3:20-21; 1 John 3:2).

**We believe** that the primary purpose for spiritual gifts as given by the Holy Spirit is for the edifying of the church and the propagation of the gospel of Christ. We believe that tongues, miracles and the raising of the dead, as evidenced in apostolic times, were to authenticate the giving of the new revelation, primarily to the Jewish nation at that time. These were never a sign of the baptism or filling of the Holy Spirit, nor are they to be pursued (1 Corinthians 12:28-31, 13:8-10; Ephesians 2:20, 4:7-12; Hebrews 2:3-4).