



SHEKINAH WESTERN RANCH CAMP EMPLOYMENT APPLICATION

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Please Complete and send to:
371 CRACKER JACK RD. MONONGAHELA, PA. 15063

Dear Friend in Christ,

Thank you for your interest in a summer ministry position at Shekinah Ranch. Shekinah Ranch is not a typical summer job, and is not for everyone. You must have a genuine love and passion for children, a GREAT attitude, lots of energy, the ability to be flexible when needed, **and lots of patience.**

You must be a committed Christian who has a strong relationship with Jesus Christ and be looking for opportunities to share your faith with ranchers and staff.

All positions at the ranch are ministry based and are filled by people with a desire to make an impact for their faith. Please prayerfully consider these expectations before sending in this application.

1. **Completed application** - Make sure the application is completed in its entirety, including a list of your references with addresses and phone numbers.
2. **Recent photo** - to help us get to know you better
3. **If Hired, we will require criminal and child abuse clearances** these clearances will take many weeks to complete so please send your application for consideration as soon as possible.

In Christ's Service,
Rev. Tom Ravasio
Camp Founder/Director
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724-258-3222 (home)

DATING IS ABSOLUTELY PROHIBITED WITH ANY STAFF OR VOLUNTEER MEMBER. IF YOU ARE DATING BEFORE YOUR SUMMER EMPLOYMENT BEGINS PLEASE KNOW THAT IT CANNOT INTERFERE WITH YOUR SUMMER EMPLOYMENT. WHAT YOU DO ON YOUR OWN TIME IS FINE – BUT NOT WHILE YOU ARE ON THE JOB.

NO BODY PIERCINGS EXCEPT FOR WOMEN'S EARRINGS

A. CABIN LEADERS (CL's)

1. Minimum Age:

Minimum age for a cabin leader is (18yrs). High school graduates or college students are preferred, but some mature high school students may be accepted.

2. Ministry Summary:

Cabin Leaders are directly responsible, under supervision, for 7 to 8 ranchers. This includes physical, emotional, and spiritual welfare. CL's conduct daily devotionals and small group Bible studies. They also lead and participate in program activities alongside the campers. They strive to consistently live as a role model and positive example for other staff and ranchers. CL's must be sold out to the Lord Jesus Christ, desiring to be pleasing to Him in action, word, and thought, with a meaningful devotional life.

3. Salary:

CL's serving in this full time position receive \$250.00 per week.

B. LEADERS IN TRAINING (LIT's)

1. Minimum Age: for a Leader in Training (LIT) is 16yrs-18yrs

2. Ministry Summary:

This position is very diverse and will require a person willing to assist and show leadership in any and all areas of camp programming and functions. This staff member will be mainly involved with "behind the scenes" preparations for camp activities. Responsibilities include but are not limited to: Kitchen set up and clean up, operating camp store, weekly preparation and set up of many camp games and events, cleaning (town hall, pavilion, bathrooms, etc.), assist with offsite trip prep, barn work, day camp duties, supervision of campers, etc. This staff demonstrates leadership potential, as a positive, responsible, and spiritually solid example for campers and staff.

3. Salary: Depends on experience

C. PROGRAM STAFF/SUPPORT STAFF

1. Minimum Age: The minimum age varies depending on position.

2. Ministry Summary:

Program Staff will be hired for specific program areas and will be responsible, for carrying out all aspects of that program: rules, regulations, teaching curriculum, and care and maintenance of equipment related to their program area. Program and Support Staff include: Barn Manager, Day Camp Director, Multi Media Assistant...etc. Detailed Job descriptions are available upon request.

3. Salary: Depends on position and experience.

SHEKINAH RANCH (ALUMNI) SUMMER STAFF APPLICATION

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Position Accepted _____

Sent:

- Acceptance Package _____
- Employment Contract _____

Received:

- Employment Contract _____
- Liability/ Medical Release _____
- W-2 Tax Form _____
- I-9 Form _____
- Background Clearances _____

Position(s) you are applying for in order of preference

1. _____ 2. _____

How did you find out about the ranch? _____

Personal Information

Name: _____

First Last Nickname

E-mail _____ T-Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL

Phone _____ Alt Phone _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Please Circle Gender: Male Female Marital Status: _____

Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Age: _____ Height: _____

Home Church _____ Are you a member of this Church? _____

Pastors Name _____ Church Phone (____) _____ - _____

Church Address _____

Training/Interests/Certifications

In the following list, put 1 before the activities you can organize & facilitate. (Star those that you prefer), 2 next to those which you can assist, 3 for those which you are only slightly familiar with.

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| _____ Horsemanship | _____ Song Leading | _____ Food Service | _____ Fishing |
| _____ Horse/Barn Care | _____ Trail Riding | _____ Basketball | _____ Acting/Skits/Songs |
| _____ Maintenance | _____ Soccer | _____ Play Instrument | _____ Other Sports |
| _____ Audio/Video Equipment | _____ Paintball | _____ Arts & Crafts | _____ Small Animal Care |
| _____ Climbing Wall | _____ Zip Line | _____ Team Building | _____ Drive 15 Passenger Van |

Please describe your experiences in areas checked 1 or 2:

Hobbies & Extra Curricular Activities:

Certifications (please check all that apply):

First Aid ___ Lifeguard ___ Water Safety Instructor ___ Other ___(please specify)_____

Are you certified in CPR?_____ If you are hired, this is a requirement for all hired staff.

Do you hold any certifications in horsemanship? Y/N

What certification do you hold? _____

Is there any other valuable information that you believe would be helpful to know about you that may help qualify you for a summer position at with us?

Background Screening

Please answer the follow questions as accurately as possible.

Have you ever been questioned or convicted of any physical or sexual misconduct? Y / N

If yes, please explain: _____

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor other than a traffic violation? Y / N

If yes, please explain: _____

Do you have any physical or emotional conditions that may prohibit you from fully serving? Y / N

If yes, please explain: _____

Spiritual Life. . . Please tell us how you've grown or simply describe your current walk with God. Please be sure to note any changes or updates since you worked for us last.

I certify that all the above information is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Applicant

Date