

CAMP DREAMCATCHER RETURNING COUNSELOR APPLICATION 2012

Dear Friend,

Thank you for dedicating your time to Camp Dreamcatcher! This year, Camp Dreamcatcher 2012 will be held on the camp grounds of Westtown Boarding School in Westtown, PA.

Camp Week: Saturday August 11th – Saturday August 18th, 2012

In order to be a volunteer counselor, you must:

1. Complete the volunteer application packet.
2. Provide consent for a county criminal check and national sex offender search.
3. Attend mandatory training on Saturday, August 11th, 2012, beginning at 11AM.

*Camp Dreamcatcher requires all returning and new counselors as well as medical volunteers to complete a criminal record check each year prior to the week of camp. We use National Background Investigations, Inc. to run a county criminal check and a national sex offender search for each volunteer. Further information and a consent form National Background Investigations, Inc. are attached.

Your completed volunteer application packet should be completed by **May 21st, 2012**, but I recommend as soon as possible, as we fill up quickly. Please mail applications to:

**Camp Dreamcatcher
617 West South Street
Kennett Square, PA 19348**

or FAX to (610) 925-0403.

When we receive your completed application, we will contact you for an interview.

If you have any questions about the enclosed information or about Camp Dreamcatcher, please contact Chantal Whitehead, Program Director by phone 610-925-2998 or e-mail: chantal@kennett.net, please feel free to visit our website at www.campdreamcatcher.org.

I look forward to meeting you and working together to make Camp Dreamcatcher a success!

Sincerely,

Chantal Whitehead
Program Director, Camp Dreamcatcher

2012 Camp Dreamcatcher Returning Counselor Application
Deadline May 21st, 2012

Name _____ Date of Birth _____ Gender _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
Home Phone# _____ COUNTY _____
Cell phone # _____ Email address _____

Please list two emergency contacts:

1. Name _____ Relationship _____ Phone# _____
2. Name _____ Relationship _____ Phone# _____

In case of emergency:

Insurance Name and Policy Number

Physician(s) _____ Phone _____
Address _____

Health History (please write **YES** or **NO** and **write date**)

Frequent nose bleeds _____
Sinusitis _____
Asthma _____
Frequent Headaches _____
Ear Infections _____
Eye Trouble _____
Head Injury _____
Seizures _____
Pneumonia _____
Bleeding Disorder _____
Kidney Problems _____
Rheumatic Fever _____
Heart problem _____

Allergies and type of reaction:
Bee stings _____
Other Insect Bites _____
Hay Fever _____
Food _____
Drugs _____
Carries Epi-pen _____
Stomach Trouble _____
Skin Problems _____
Wear glasses/contacts _____
Anxiety _____
Depression _____
HIV + _____

Comments

Please identify any current or recurring illnesses/injuries not listed above

Please note any hospitalizations/surgeries (include dates and complications)

Activity Restrictions _____

Please list any special needs _____

2012 Camp Dreamcatcher Authorization Form

This health history is correct and complete as far as I know.

I give permission to the camp to provide, seek, and consent to routine health care, administration of prescribed medications, and emergency treatment for person herein described as may be necessary, including, but not limited to x-rays, routine tests and treatment, and/or hospitalization. I also give permission for the camp to arrange related transportation. I agree to the release of any records necessary for treatment, referral, billing, or insurance purposes for emergency medical treatment that may be required during the week of camp.

In the event of a medical emergency, I hereby give permission to the camp medical personnel selected by the camp to secure and administer treatment including hospitalization.

I understand that Camp Dreamcatcher is not responsible for lost or stolen items during the week of camp.

Print Complete Name of Volunteer _____
Date

Signature of Volunteer _____
Date

Please Print

Name _____ Full time _____ Part time _____

Address _____

Home Phone _____ Business Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email _____

Place of employment _____

Employment Address _____

Date of Birth _____ Place of Birth _____

Social Security Number _____

Position you are available for:

___ full time cabin counselor (staying the entire week and sleeping over)

___ part time cabin counselor **days only**

___ part time cabin counselor **evenings only**

___ part time cabin counselor **few days staying over night**

___ **Medical staff: qualification:** (medical staff must provide proof of certification and professional liability coverage)

What age group would you like to work with? (It is not guaranteed)

_____ Younger 5-10

_____ Older 11-13

_____ Teens 14-15

Would like to work with boys _____ or girls _____

Specific campers you would like to be with _____

Specific counselors you would like to work with _____

Camp Dreamcatcher will be held at, **WESTTOWN BOARDING SCHOOL** from Saturday, August 11th – Saturday, August 18th, 2012. It is located at **975 Westtown Road, Westtown, PA 19395**. Directions to this location are attached at the end of this application!

Volunteer Days and Hours of Availability

Date	Hours available
___ Saturday 8/11/12	_____ to _____
___ Sunday 8/12/12	_____ to _____
___ Monday 8/13/12	_____ to _____
___ Tuesday 8/14/12	_____ to _____
___ Wednesday 8/15/12	_____ to _____
___ Thursday 8/16/12	_____ to _____
___ Friday 8/17/12	_____ to _____
___ Saturday 8/18/12	_____ to _____

The information requested below will assist us in completing grant proposals for camp funding. All information is kept confidential. Names and information will not be disclosed. Thank you for your cooperation.

Please check your monthly income.

\$ 0 - \$500	_____	\$2,112 - \$2,648	_____
\$501 - \$750	_____	\$2,649 - \$3,184	_____
\$751 - \$1,000	_____	\$3,185 - \$3,721	_____
\$1,001 - \$1,250	_____	\$3,722 - \$4,257	_____
\$1,251 - \$1,575	_____	\$4,258 - \$4,794	_____
\$ 1,576 - \$2,111	_____	\$4,795 - \$5,330	_____
How many people live in your household?	_____	\$5,331 and up	_____

Race/Ethnic Group

_____ African American _____ Asian American/Pacific Islander _____ Native American
 _____ Hispanic American (Latino) _____ Caucasian _____ Other

Physical Disabilities Yes _____ Please explain _____

Mental Disabilities Yes _____ Please explain _____

Shirt Size: Small _____ Medium _____ Large _____ XLarge _____ XXLarge _____

****PLEASE PROVIDE CAMP DREAMCATCHER WITH A CURRENT PHOTGRAPH FOR YOUR FILE****

As you know, Camp Dreamcatcher requires all new and returning counselors as well as medical volunteers to complete a background check prior to the week of camp. We use National Background Investigations, Inc. to run a county criminal check and a national sex offender search for each volunteer. In order to do so, we will need you to complete the Sterling Testing consent form attached.

*If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Chantal Whitehead at the camp office (610)925-2998 or via email: chantal@kennett.net
 Applications can be mailed to:*

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 617 West South Street
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OR FAXED TO: 610-925-0403

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Email: campdreamcatcher@kennett.net
Website: www.campdreamcatcher.org

I understand that Camp Dreamcatcher ('COMPANY') will utilize the services of NATIONAL BACKGROUND INVESTIGATIONS, INC., P.O.BOX 966, STEVENSVILLE, MD 21666 ('NATIONAL BACKGROUND INVESTIGATIONS') , as part of the procedure for processing my application for volunteer employment. I also understand that if my application for employment is granted, COMPANY may obtain further information through subsequent investigations by STERLING so as to update, renew or extend my employment, to the extent permitted by law.

The pre or post-employment investigation also may include obtaining information relating to criminal records without any time limitations, subject to state law.

I acknowledge that I have received the attached summary of my rights under the Fair Credit Reporting Act, even though a credit report will only be generated with my prior approval, on a separate form therefore. I understand if I disagree with the accuracy of any information in any report, I must notify COMPANY within five business days of my receipt of the report that I am challenging the accuracy of the information contained in such report with NATIONAL BACKGROUND INVESTIGATIONS and advise COMPANY as to the basis of my challenge.

In exchange for COMPANY's consideration of my employment application, I agree not to file or pursue any complaints, claims or legal actions of any kind against NATIONAL BACKGROUND INVESTIGATIONS for providing the aforementioned information. I also agree not to file or pursue any complaints, claims or legal actions against COMPANY or any of its employees, representatives, or agents arising out of or in any way related to conducting a background investigation.

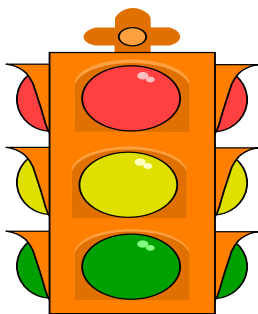
I am consenting that a photocopy of this authorization be accepted with the same authority as the original, and I specifically waive any written notice from any entity which may provide information based on this authorized request.

In order to verify my identity for purposes of the background investigation I am voluntarily releasing my date of birth, social security and the other information on this page for my own benefit and fully understand that all employment decisions are based on legitimate non-discriminatory reasons.

First Name: _____ Middle Name or Initial _____
Last Name _____ Date of Birth _____
Other names known by _____
Primary Telephone Number _____ Male _____ Female _____
Social Security Number _____
Current Address _____ Apt# _____ #of yrs, at this address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
Previous Address _____ Apt.# _____ # of yrs at this address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
Email Address _____

I hereby consent to this investigation and authorize Camp Dreamcatcher to procure a county criminal record check and a national sex offender search on my background using the services of National Background Investigations, Inc. I understand that the company will not disseminate or share any information it receives with any third party, other than as may be required in it's normal course of business, or as required by law.

Signature _____ Date _____



Directions to WESTTOWN SCHOOL

975 Westtown Road, Westtown, PA 19395

From Philadelphia and Suburbs

Take Route 202 South to the Westtown Road Exit (near West Chester, PA). At the bottom of the ramp/traffic light, make a left and head east on Westtown Road for approximately 2.5 miles. The main entrance will be on the left.

From Philadelphia Airport, Northeast Philadelphia and Northern Suburbs:

Take I -95 South to Route 476 North to Exit for Broomall/Newtown Square (Route 3). Make a left from the exit onto Route 3 West. In approximately 9 miles, turn left onto Route 926 (Street Road) and proceed west on Route 926. From the intersection of Route 926 (Street Road) and Route 352, proceed on Route 926 West to the traffic light at Westtown Road. The South entrance will be approximately 0.6 miles (Straight at stop sign) and the Main Entrance will be approximately 0.8 miles (make a left at the stop sign) on your right.

From South Jersey

Proceed South via I 295 to Commodore Barry Bridge. Follow 322 West, left onto U.S. Route 1 South to Route 202 North. Proceed north on Route 202 to Route 926 (Street Road). Turn right onto Route 926 (Street Road) and proceed east. Proceed on Route 926 East 2.1 miles to the traffic light at Westtown Road. Make a left onto Westtown Road. The South entrance will be approximately 0.6 miles (straight at the stop sign) and the Main Entrance will be approximately 0.8 miles (make a left at the stop sign) on your right.

From Central and Northern New Jersey and New York

Proceed South via New Jersey Turnpike to exit #7. Follow signs to I – 295 South. Proceed on I 295 South to the Commodore Barry Bridge. Follow directions “*From South Jersey*”.

From Lancaster and Vicinity Westtown

From the center of Oxford, take Route 1 North, continuing to Route 202 North. *Follow directions “From Route 926 and Route 202 Intersection” above.*

From Baltimore, Washington and South.

I 95 North to Route 202 North

Follow directions “From Route 926 and Route 202 Intersection” above.

Patty Hillkirk’s cell phone number is (610) 716 0476