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Staff / Volunteer Application

Name: _____ Today's Date: _____
 First M.I. Last

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Church: _____ Pastor's Name: _____

Occupation/School: _____ Sex: M F Marital Status: S M Birthdate: _____

Please answer the following questions:

1. Have you ever worked with other youth programs? _____ Which one(s)? _____
2. Do you enjoy primitive camping? _____
3. What age group do you prefer to work with? Ages 8-10 _____ 10-12 _____ 13-17 _____
4. Are you currently certified in First Aid _____ CPR _____ Lifeguard _____ EMT _____ Nurse _____
5. Do you use tobacco? _____ If so, we do not allow our leaders to smoke or chew at camp at any time. Would this be a problem for you? _____
6. How would you like to help? Speaker _____ Team Leader/Helper _____ Music _____ Other _____
7. Have you ever molested or physically abused a minor? _____ (If yes, explain on separate sheet)
8. Have you ever been arrested for, convicted of, or pleaded guilty to a felony? _____
(If yes, explain on separate sheet)
9. Has your driver's license ever been revoked? _____ (If yes, explain on separate sheet)
10. How long have you lived in Oregon? _____
11. How did you hear about Wilderness Trails?

12. Are you a Christian? _____ If so, on what basis do you claim faith as a Christian?

13. What does the Bible mean to you?

14. How would you explain the salvation message of Jesus Christ clearly and simply to a child?

15. As staff or as volunteer leaders, we expect that our conduct (manner of speech, attitude, behavioral habits, etc.) must be a positive example to others. (Gal 5:22-26, James 3:17) Do you feel that these traits are evident in your own life? How? Why?

16. Are you willing to commit to following-up with the kids on your team for one year? _____
(This is one contact with each camper per month by a letter, phone call, day trip, camp, church, etc.)

17. Please describe any special talents or abilities that you would like to share with youth.

18. Please describe your involvement with your home church (attendance, service, ministry, etc.).

Please list three personal references:

Pastor _____	Phone _____	Known how long? _____
Employer _____	Phone _____	Known how long? _____
Other _____	Phone _____	Known how long? _____

Background Check Authorization - A criminal record check may be necessary on persons involved in Wilderness Trails. Please fill in the following:

Social Security Number: _____ - _____ - _____ Driver's License #: _____ State: _____

Our Mission

To reach troubled youth with the life-changing message of Jesus Christ through camping and other outdoor experiences. We believe that the only true basis for Christian service is His agape love, which is greater than any difference we possess and without which we have no right to claim ourselves Christians (I Cor. 13).

Statement of Faith

1. We believe the Bible to be the inspired, the infallible authoritative Word of God. (II Tim 3:16)
2. We believe that there is one God, eternally existent in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
(John 14:16-20, Matt. 28:19, I Cor. 12:4-6, II Cor. 13:14, and I Peter 1:2)
3. We believe in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, His substitutionary death for all our sins, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father, in His personal return to rule the earth.
4. We believe that everyone has sinned, missed the mark and has need of salvation in Christ.
(Romans 3:23, 5:8, & 6:23)
5. We believe that the salvation of God is appropriated by faith in the work of Christ on the cross and will result in good works in the life of the believer. (Col 1:4-8, Titus 2:13-14, & Gal 5:22-23)

I have read and understand Wilderness Trails mission and Statement of Faith, and agree to adhere to them during all Wilderness Trails camp functions. I also authorize Wilderness Trails to obtain information about me from various law enforcement agencies, references listed, the courts, etc.

Signature: _____ Date: _____