

Southern California District Church of the Nazarene
Children's Camp Staff Application Form
Camp Dates July 12 – 16 2010

Greetings in the name of the Lord! We are preparing, as always, for an exciting Children's Summer Camp and we want you to be a part of it. In just a matter of months we will be sharing a week of ministry with a couple hundred children from all over Southern California. Here's what I need you to do: Pray about serving at Children's Camp, reserve the date on your calendar, fill out this form and give it to your Pastor or Children's director at your church, I need it mailed to me before **June 1, 2010**.

As is each camping season, all staff members, counselors, helpers and support ministries are to be **screened by their own local churches** for sexual offenses. We have not had any infractions of any kind in our camping history and we will do whatever we can to protect our children for the future. Because of the sensitive nature of what we are requesting and screening for, it must be done at the local church level. Any application that does not have your pastor's signature and screening date will not be accepted and you will not be allowed at camp.

If you have any questions please email me, Karisa May at SCDchildrenscamp@gmail.com. Thanks again for your ministry.

Name _____ Date _____
Address _____ City, Zip _____

How many years at this address? _____ Date of Birth _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

E-Mail Address _____ (for confirmation information)

Social Security Number _____ Male Female

Local Nazarene church attending _____

Camp Preference: Middler (3/4 grade) or Preteen (5/6 grade)

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| Please check position(s) desired: | Requirements for all positions: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cabin Counselor (Request: 18 years of age) | - Love Jesus with all your heart |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nurse | - Active in your local church |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nurse aide (CPR, first aid certified) | - At least 16 years of age |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Crafts aide | - Want to help children of all ages |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dean of Girls | |

Is there any reason you should not work with or around children or youth? _____

Have you ever been the subject of a child abuse investigation? _____ If yes, please discuss this with the person doing your screening.

Have you ever been convicted of or pleaded guilty to a criminal offense? _____ If yes, please discuss this with the person doing your screening.

Please give us your testimony; tell us about your current relationship with Jesus:

Please tell us what you would like to help us achieve at this year's camp:

Policy Regarding Children's Workers

It is the policy of the Church of the Nazarene, Southern California District, not to employ or accept as volunteers, Sunday school teachers, camp workers, or childcare providers, those persons who have been convicted or involved in acts of dishonesty or immoral conduct with children or young people.

It is also the policy of the district to employ or use as volunteers only those persons whose beliefs and life-style reflect Biblical principles of conduct and whose lives are in harmony with the Articles of Faith contained in the Manual of the Church of the Nazarene.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

I hereby give permission to make a thorough investigation of my background and release from liability all persons supplying such information. I also release the church from any liability that might result from making such an investigation. I understand that any false statements or implications made by me on this application will be sufficient to have my application for volunteer service be denied.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Please submit this application to the director of Children's Ministry in your church or to the Senior Pastor.

Pastor's Recommendation:

I have read the applicant's application to be a counselor/staff person at the Southern California District Children's Camp for 2010 and I recommend this person for the jobs for which they are applying. This person will pose no problems for the camp and/or staff. I know this applicant and feel that they have an-up-to-date relationship with the Lord and they have a desire to work or minister to children. I have also on confidential file their background check and it reveals them qualified to be a volunteer with children.

Pastor or Children's Director signature _____ Date _____

Please mail this form **after completing background check or verifying background** check to:
Karisa May c/o Las Flores Church 1400 Las Flores Drive, Carlsbad CA 92008

Beverage (soda) preference: Pepsi _____ Lemon/Lime _____ Diet _____

Candy/snack preference: _____