

NSC Kid's Camp 2018

Eagle Ridge Retreat Center
June 25th - 29th

NEW SOUTH CONFERENCE YOUTH

Thank you for your interest in serving as an *LIT* this summer at the 2018 NSC Kids Camp! The camping ministry is extremely important to this conference and we are looking for a select group of enthusiastic teens to help us keep the ministry strong!

You will be placed under a counselor as a *Leader In Training*, building relationships, loving kids, and serving God. We are expecting great things and cannot wait to see how God will work through camp. It is our hope that you will make every effort to allow this time to be enjoyable as well as a valuable learning experience.

Let's make it a positive, meaningful, and memorable event for everyone involved!

SOME SPECIFICS

AGE REQUIREMENTS

- Applicants must be of current *High School* age
- Applicants wishing to serve on the Counselors Team must be 19 YOA or older

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS (must meet 2 of 3)

- Applicants must attend Teen Camp 2018
- Applicants must have attended Fall '17 Retreat *AND* Spring '18 Retreat
- Applicants must recruit ONE (1) student from his/her church to attend Kid's Camp 2018

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- \$10 Application Fee
- Completed Application
- Signed LIT Contract
- Notarized Medical Release Form
- Pastor's Recommendation

TIMELINE REQUIREMENTS

- Applications available: April 28th
- Applications must be postmarked by: May 19th

****No late applications or components will be considered****

QUESTIONS?

- If you have any questions about becoming an LIT or the duties involved, please contact us:

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N\$C Kid's Camp LIT APPLICATION

LIT APPLICATION CHECKLIST:

Please see that the following components of your application are mailed to Jalyn Goforth **BY MAY 19th!**

1. _____ \$10 Application Fee
2. _____ Completed Application (this page with question responses)
3. _____ Signed LIT Contract
4. _____ Notarized Medical Release Form
5. _____ Pastor's Recommendation (document is to be received directly from Pastor)

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Name: _____ Male: _____ Female: _____

Address: _____

Home and Cell Numbers: _____ Email: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Last Grade Completed: _____ Adult T-shirt Size: _____

Home Church and Address: _____

Pastor: _____ Contact Number(s): _____

Youth Leader: _____ Contact Number(s): _____

EXPERIENCE:

Past events attended at Eagle Ridge (include dates, and please include summer 2018 events):

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Years served as an LIT:

_____	_____
_____	_____

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Please answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper and attach to this application.

1. How long have you been a Christian, and describe your current relationship with Christ.
2. Why are you interested in serving as an LIT?
3. What experience do you have working with students?
4. What leadership qualities can you add to this year's LIT Team and general staff team?
5. In what areas are you willing to serve? (i.e. Music, games, crafts, kitchen duty, canteen, etc.)

Once you have completed the check-list above, mail **all** components to Jalyn Goforth **BY MAY 19th!**
Your application **WILL NOT BE COMPLETE** until we have received your Pastor's Recommendation Form.
The Pastor's Recommendation Form is attached for you convenience.

NSC Kid's Camp LIT Contract

Being chosen to serve as a member of the NSC Kid's Camp LIT Team is an honor; it is an honor that comes with great responsibility. Responsibilities can consist of anything from washing dishes to helping guide students through spiritual breakthroughs. Being aware of your students physical, emotional, and spiritual wellbeing is the most important duty of an LIT. By taking on such a heavy task, there will be daily meetings and events that the LIT Team must attend so to set aside the weight of the day and be carried yourself. Daily meetings and events will provide training and a time to discuss the struggles and victories of the day. Just as your students are expected to be present and punctual to all scheduled events, by doing the same you are setting a great example! Furthermore, all absences from scheduled events or meetings must be approved by your supervising counselor and a camp director.

REQUIREMENTS OF A NEW SOUTH CONFERENCE LIT:

- A vibrant and growing relationship with Christ.
- A sincere desire to work with children.
- A genuine desire to be a part of a leadership team.
- A commitment to lead by example.
- A willingness to accept responsibility.
- A pledge to participate in all camp events.

CONSEQUENCES:

- Behavior not aligned with the New South Conference LIT requirements, or unapproved absences from any organized functions or meetings may result in early dismissal from the LIT Team.
- Early dismissal, for any reason, will be at the expense of the LIT's parent or guardian who will be required to provide transportation from Eagle Ridge Retreat Center at the time deemed appropriate by the camp directors.

CONTRACT:

I _____ understand the expectations, responsibilities, and duties of a New South Conference LIT, and will comply with these to the best of my ability. I will be engaged with students and fellow staff at all times; and I will treat Kid's Camp 2018 as a time to disconnect from social media and my electronic devices so to be completely present with God, students, and staff.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

I _____ understand the above expectations of my child and the consequences that will result if expectations are not met.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

****In the rare case a student is relieved of the responsibility as LIT due to unmet requirements, immediate extensive communication between the camp directors and parent/guardian listed above will take place. The environment of the camp and relationships that are built daily can be fragile; therefore, it is essential that a pick-up plan convenient for all students and staff involved in the dismissal is coordinated.**

****In the rare case an LIT asks a parent/guardian to come and pick them up before their responsibilities for the week are completed due to unplanned circumstances, we ask the parent/guardian contact the camp directors immediately. An individual who requests to leave camp may not express that request to their directors, therefore we would ask that an LIT not be removed from the camp without parental notice being given to the camp directors.**

MEDICAL HISTORY / PERMISSION TO TREAT

Our commitment is to never misuse the information provided below or release it to unauthorized persons.

It will never be used at events unless necessary, and then only with the greatest discretion.

- New South Conference of EMCNA-

NAME: _____ Male: _____ Female: _____ DOB: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT PERSON(S):

_____ Relation: _____ Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

_____ Relation: _____ Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

FAMILY PHYSICIAN:

_____ Location: _____ Phone: _____

INSURANCE COMPANY:

_____ Policy Number: _____

IMMUNIZATIONS: (give dates if available)

_____ Tetanus _____ Polio Booster _____ Measles _____ Mumps _____ DPT or TD _____ Rubella _____ OTHER

If "other", please list: _____

PAST MEDICAL HISTORY:

_____ Asthma _____ Sinusitis _____ Bronchitis _____ Kidney Trouble _____ Diabetes _____ Dizziness

_____ Heart Trouble _____ Stomach Upset _____ Hay Fever _____ OTHER

If "other", please list: _____

CHILDHOOD DISEASES:

_____ Chicken Pox _____ Measles _____ Mumps _____ Whooping Cough _____ OTHER

If "other", please list: _____

ALLERGIES: (please list specific items and information)

Food(s): _____ Penicillin or other medication(s): _____

Insect(s) sting or bite: _____ Poison Sumac, Oak, or Ivy: _____

Other allergies: _____

PREVIOUS SURGERY OR SERIOUS ILLNESS:

CURRENT PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS (give dosage):

SPECIAL DIET:

OVER-THE-COUNTER MEDICATIONS:

Does event staff have permission to administer the following medication(s) or generic equivalent when appropriate?

_____ Tylenol (Acetaminophen) _____ Advil (Ibuprofen) _____ Milk of Magnesia/Tums/Antacid _____ Benadryl or Cough Syrup

PERMISSION FOR TREATMENT

My permission is granted for the Camp Director, Camp Nurse, or an Adult Staff to obtain necessary medical attention in case of sickness or injury to my child. I, the undersigned, do hereby verify that the above information is correct.

Dated this ____ day of _____, ____ (month/year) in the State of _____, County _____.

Signature: _____ Date: _____ Relationship to Camper: _____

NOTARIZATION:

On this the ____ day of _____, 20____, _____ (the signer above), appeared before me _____, and in my presence executed the within and foregoing permission and release form.

Witness my hand and official seal this ____ day of _____, 20____. Commission Expiration: _____

NOTARY PUBLIC

NEW SOUTH CONFERENCE KID'S CAMP PASTOR RECOMMENDATION FORM

Name of Applicant: _____

Pastors: Please be as objective as possible in your evaluation of this applicant. Serving as a member of the LIT Team requires a genuine Christian commitment and spiritual, emotional maturity. You are an important link in helping us determine whether the applicant meets these criteria. Please keep this in mind as you fill out this evaluation. Your evaluation will be kept confidential. After completing this recommendation form, please mail directly to **Jalyn Goforth**. Thanks!

Pastor's Name: _____ Church: _____

Contact Number: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____

Best time to reach you by phone: Weekday Weekend / Evening Morning

How long have you known the applicant? _____

Describe how this applicant exhibits characteristics of a servant leader (i.e. integrity, dependability, compassion, honesty, etc.):

Have you witnessed the applicant interact with teenagers? ____ Describe the interaction:

Describe the applicant's involvement in your church:

Describe strengths, gifts, talents, abilities this applicant has to offer:

Is there anything else we should know/you would like to tell us about the applicant:

Do you recommend this applicant? _____ Signature: _____