



## 2012 SUMMER STAFF APPLICATION

### Personal Information:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Present Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Sex: Male \_\_\_ Female \_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Health Insurance Company Name \_\_\_\_\_

Policy Number \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a current Driver's License? \_\_\_ License No. and State \_\_\_\_\_

### Education, Work and Church Experience:

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Employer/School \_\_\_\_\_

Position or Area of Study \_\_\_\_\_

Education: Grade level completed by July 1<sup>st</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

Camping Experience & Positions held \_\_\_\_\_

Other Work Experience \_\_\_\_\_

Home Church \_\_\_\_\_ Are you a member? \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

### Gifts and Talents:

Position(s) Applying for \_\_\_\_\_

Do you hold any special certifications that would support the position (i.e. Red Cross, Lifeguard, food certification, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Dates Available for work \_\_\_\_\_

List experience relevant to the positions applied for \_\_\_\_\_

In addition to your primary job, do you have special talents or interests that you would be willing to teach or help with (e.g. boating, singing, crafts, hiking): \_\_\_\_\_

**Spiritual:**

Tell about your spiritual journey. Where have you been, where are you going, and where are you now?

What are your unique gifts, talents and passions?

Who has influenced your life the most and how?

Do you see yourself as a leader or a follower?

Why do you want to work at Camp Keola?

If known, please indicate dates you are unavailable during the summer due to other commitments. In order to accommodate and schedule appropriately, Camp Keola needs people that are flexible and are able to move from one job to the next as needed.

Are you planning on participating as a camper in High School Camp this year? (circle one) YES NO MAYBE. You are responsible to submit a registration form and camper health form before the start of your employment at Camp Keola.

**Reference:**

Please give us two references that you have worked for as an employee or volunteer. Do not list any friends or relatives.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Business/Church/Institution Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address, City \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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**Pay:**

Each staff position includes room and board and in-service training. Remuneration ranges are based on experience, and will be paid bi-weekly unless you elect to volunteer.

\_\_\_\_\_ I wish to volunteer my time and energy for Camp Keola

\_\_\_\_\_ I wish to be paid for my service

All program staff (for the Mennonite Camps) are required to attend Staff Training July 12-14 just before the start of Jr./Jr. High Camp. Will you be able to attend? Yes No

**Background Information:**

Do you use tobacco? \_\_\_\_\_ Drink alcoholic beverages? \_\_\_\_\_ Use illegal substances? \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes to any of the above, please explain \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offense (excluding minor traffic violations)? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, please explain all convictions in the past five years. \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been convicted of child abuse or a crime involving actual or attempted sexual molestation of a minor? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, please explain \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been the victim of sexual abuse or molestation? \_\_\_\_\_

**Applicant's Statement:**

The information contained in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I authorize Camp Keola or any of its agents to request information about myself in reference to my employment by Camp Keola whether volunteer or paid, not limited to the names listed. I also authorize any references or churches listed in this application to provide you any information (including opinions) that they may have regarding my character and fitness for children/youth work. I release Camp Keola and all such references from liability for requesting or furnishing such evaluations, providing they do so in good faith and without malice. I waive any right that I may have to inspect references provided on my behalf.

Should my application be accepted, I agree to be bound by the bylaws, rules, and policies of Camp Keola and scriptural conduct in the performance of my duties and services on behalf of the camp.

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

In the event the applicant/camper should need medical attention, the undersigned grants permission to the Camp Keola Staff to arrange for this service.

Parent or Guardian (if under 18) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Send your Completed Application to:  
Camp Keola  
P.O. Box 111  
Reedley, California 93654  
(559) 348-3213

# Camp Keola

## Job Positions for Summer of 2012

### Summer-Long Positions (June 10 to August 11, 2012)

**Assistant Cook** – experienced in food service and enjoys cooking. Responsibilities include food preparation, kitchen cleanup and assisting the Head Cook.

**Kitchen Help** – help with food preparation, table setting, and dish washing with opportunities to gain experience in all aspects of camp work. Develop leadership and cooking skills while serving. May be combined with the program staff during three weeks of Mennonite Youth Camps.

**Lifeguard** – certified and comfortable working on a mountain lake, experience with boats a plus. Responsibilities include some maintenance, housekeeping, and dish washing in addition to lifeguarding.

**Camp Generalist** – work with kitchen, maintenance, waterfront, lead hikes and fill in as needed. Develop leadership skills while serving others in a variety of ways. Gain experience in all aspects of camp work. Must have a willingness to serve wherever needed. May be combined with the program staff during three weeks of Mennonite Youth Camps.

### Mennonite Program Positions for approx. July 12 – July 28 (includes Mandatory Training)

**Head Counselors \*** – in addition to responsibilities of a counselor, be a role model for other counselors, work with Directors to train and supervise the counseling staff.

**Music Director \*** – plan and lead music for worship during Mennonite Camps.

**Activities Director \*** – plan, lead and implement activities during Mennonite camps.

**Counselor \*** – live with, interact with and lead a group of campers through their week of camp. Provides a great opportunity to be a role model and to impact lives by setting an example for the campers to see.

**Counselor in Training (C.I.T.)** – want to counsel, but not old enough? Come join a counselor for a week as a helper. Learn about camp and guide youngest campers to know God in a deeper way. Must be in 11<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup> grade. Camp Keola will only be accepting 6-8 CITs, taking seriously that this is a learning and growing opportunity, and wanting to invest as much as possible into this small group. Please apply if you're ready for a job with responsibility!

**Nurse** – help to ensure safety and health of the campers and staff, take care of medical emergencies, be in charge of medications, care for ill or injured campers.

**Crafts \*** – develop and lead creative arts and craft activities that can be enjoyed by all of the campers.

\* These positions may be combined with Camp Generalist or Kitchen Helper positions for a full summer experience of program and general camp duties.

For more information or an application, please contact us at (559) 348-3213 or e-mail at [info@campkeola.org](mailto:info@campkeola.org). You can also access our website at [www.campkeola.org](http://www.campkeola.org).