



Voluntary Staff Application Form

Personal Details

Name: _____ Gender: Male Female

Date of Birth: _____ Email: _____

Phone: (H) _____ (W) _____ (M) _____

Address: _____

_____ Post Code: _____

What Church do you currently attend (if applicable)? _____

If you are a student:

School/University: _____

Year: _____ Course (if applicable): _____

If you are employed:

Part Time Full Time

Employer: _____ Role: _____

How did you hear about Teen Ranch?

By attending: School Camp Weekend Camp Roundup

Through a Friend Name: _____

Other Please specify: _____

Christian Experience

Most people interested in voluntary staff will be Christians, whose involvement will be an expression of their commitment to following Jesus. However, a number of people may apply who aren't Christians or who are just beginning to consider the truths of Christianity. If this would describe you, then some of these questions are not appropriate to your situation. In these instances, you may leave the question blank.

Please explain how you came to be a follower of Jesus: _____

How does your faith affect your daily lifestyle? _____

What has God been teaching you recently? _____

If a 10 year old asked you how to become a follower of Jesus, what would you say? _____

Please describe the church you currently attend and what you appreciate most about it: _____

Experience and Training

Why do you want to staff at Teen Ranch? _____

In which of the following areas are you interested or skilled?

- Kitchen Snack Bar Maintenance General Help Music Cabin Leading
 Sport Ropes Archery Canoeing Horses Craft
 First Aid Expiry: _____
 Bronze Medallion Expiry: _____

State any experience, training or qualifications you may have in the above areas. If you have other skills or qualifications that may benefit the ministry at Teen Ranch, include them also. Please include dates of any qualifications obtained. _____

Availability

What camps are you available for?

- Weekend camps Mid-week school camps School holiday camps

If applying from overseas, what period of the year are you interested in? _____

If applying locally, which is the first Roundup that you are hoping to be involved with? _____

If applying locally, how many Roundups per year are you hoping to be involved with?

(Please be realistic) One Two Three Four

Medical Information

Emergency contact: _____

Phone: _____ Relationship to volunteer: _____

If applicable please provide Medicare details

Medicare No: _____ Card Reference No: _____ Expiry Date: _____

Please note that we treat this information as confidential

Allergies: Yes No Details: _____

Medications: Yes No Details: _____

Illness/Disability: Yes No Details: _____

Dietary Requirements: Yes No Details: _____

Other Forms

References

We require two written references. One is from a mature Christian person who knows you well, and is able to answer questions relating to your life as a follower of Jesus. The other is from an employer or teacher who knows you well and can comment on your work ethic. (If you are not a Christian, then a second reference should be completed by a mature adult or another employer or teacher who knows you well). Both are 'closed references', meaning they are not to be seen by you, the applicant – they need to be returned directly to Teen Ranch.

Information received from referees assists us in placing you in roles to which you are most suited. The references also have a pastoral focus, assisting us in developing you personally and spiritually whilst you are in association with Teen Ranch. Only rarely would we need to refuse an application based on a reference.

We also ask that you provide contact details of your two referees. In some roles, particularly cabin leading, we may need to contact referees directly.

New Working with Children Check

If you are over 18 years old, you will also need to apply online for the new Working with Children Check (changed on June 15, 2013). This is free for volunteers and valid for 5 years. You will not be allowed to volunteer at Teen Ranch before we have verified the outcome of your check. Please send through your application number once your identity has been verified at an RMS centre (previously RTA) or Council Agency. This check is not required for those under the age of 18.

www.kids.nsw.gov.au/Working-with-children/New-Working-with-Children-Check

Declaration

All applicants are required to sign paragraph 1. Signing paragraph 2 is optional.

1. In making this application to Teen Ranch Australia, I certify that all information given on this application is accurate. I will ensure that all the required forms (including references) are completed and sent to the Voluntary Staff Coordinator. I have read the Teen Ranch "Statement of Faith" and "Staff Conduct Policy".

Signature: _____ Name: _____ Date: _____

2. I verify that the Teen Ranch "Statement of Faith" expressed my beliefs. If selected as voluntary staff, I agree to abide by the Teen Ranch "Staff Conduct Policy".

Signature: _____ Name: _____ Date: _____