



2010 Counselor & Staff Application & Information

1st & 2nd Grade

June 10-12
Miracle Hills Ranch
Bethany, MO

Directors:
Derek Moser
Julie Shaw

12campdirector@kcnazkids.org

3rd & 4th Grade

July 12-15
Wheat State Camp
Augusta, KS

Directors:
Jodi Patnode
Sarah Foster

34campdirector@kcnazkids.org

5th & 6th Grade

July 19-23
Wheat State Camp
Augusta, KS

Directors:
Kris Mitchell
Jodi Patnode

56campdirector@kcnazkids.org

Visit:
www.kcnazkids.org

KCD District Homecoming Day Camp

(Birth - Grade 6)
Age-level activities provided

August 4, Kids Camp Choir (evening service)
August 5 & 6, Day Camp
College Church
Olathe, KS

Director:
homecomingforkids@kcnazkids.org

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Counselor & Staff Information

Please Read Carefully

Attendance at one of the Camp Counselor & Staff Orientations is Required

- May 8 from 9:00 - 11:00 a.m. at Shawnee Church
- June 3 from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. at Kansas City First Church

The qualifications of a camp counselor/staff are:

- **Submit application by April 13**
- Must be 19 years of age
- Wait for completed background check to be submitted to the Registrar (this information will be forwarded to the camp coordinator)
- Be ready at any random moment to play, eat, laugh, & worship with our campers!
- All hands on deck - be ready to serve one another at all times.

The responsibilities of a camp counselor are:

- Consider your abilities to pray with a child, lead your cabin group in bible exploration & spiritual conversation, &/or share your faith experience with campers--A counselor would be expected to be comfortable with all of these.
- Hang with your campers--being responsible for their safety and connectivity.
- Accompany campers to activities & be ready to interact with them.
- View mealtime as a "family time"; sit together, talk together & be together.

Location & Directions of 1st & 2nd grade camp:

- **Miracle Hills Ranch** is located in Bethany, MO
- Miracle Hills Ranch has facilities for chapel, swimming, waterslide, crafts and canoeing
- ♦ Take I-35 North to Exit 88, this is Hwy 13. Turn left on Hwy 13 and go about 1 mile. After you cross over the second bridge, turn left at the "Miracle Hills Ranch" sign. It's a gravel road. Continue following the "Miracle Hills Ranch" signs for about 3 miles. You'll come straight into the campground and follow registration signs.

Location & Directions of 3rd/4th and 5th/6th grade camp:

- **Wheat State Camp** in Augusta, KS (near Wichita)
- Campers will participate in chapel, swimming, crafts, the blob, zip line, archery, and indoor rock climbing. Paintball is available for 5th & 6th grade students only
- ♦ From I-35 South take the Andover exit. At the toll booth turn right onto 21st Street. Drive approximately 3.5 miles until you come to a stop sign. Turn right onto Santa Fe Lake Road, drive 1.5 miles until you come to the camp ground entrance on the right.

Thank you for your application.
You will be notified as soon as your application is processed.

Camp Questions?

Contact Camp Coordinator: Dar Hartshorn at campcoordinator@kcnazkids.org

Registration Questions?

Contact Camp Registrars: Tom & Denise Barnes at campregistrar@kcnazkids.org

Counselor & Staff Application

(Must be 19 years or older to apply as camp counselor)

Camp(s): 1st & 2nd Grade Camp 3rd & 4th Grade Camp 5th & 6th Grade Camp Day Camp

Name: _____
First Middle Initial Last

Preferred Name: _____

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

Phone Number () _____ Cell Number () _____

Email: _____ *Always check your email during camp season*

Emergency Contact & Phone Number: _____

Medical Conditions/Allergies: _____

Local Church: _____ Ministry Position: _____

Occupation: _____

Name of Child/Children receiving Counselor/Staff Discount _____

T-Shirt Size: Adult Small Adult Medium Adult Large Adult X Large Adult XX Large
 Adult XXX Large Other _____

If selected as a counselor or staff for KCD Children's Camp(s), I understand the importance of planning to attend a counselor/staff orientation. I have made a note of the dates and will plan to attend either:

May 8 June 3

Personal Information - Criminal Records Request

Race: _____ Gender: _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____ State of Birth _____

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

Maiden Name: _____ Alias: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Position applying for: Counselor Staff Either

1. Are there any circumstances in your background that would call into question your being entrusted with the supervision, guidance, and care of children? Yes No

2. Have you ever been a counselor/staff at Kansas City District Camps? Yes No
If yes, what years? _____

3. Do you prefer to counsel children from your own church? (counselor) Yes No

4. If applicable, do you want your own child in your cabin? (counselor) Yes No

5. Do you feel confident leading a group in spiritual conversation? (counselor) Yes No

6. Do you have training with physically or emotionally handicapped children? Yes No
If yes, describe _____

7. I want to be a counselor/staff because _____

8. Share with us how you came to be a Christ-Follower. What does that mean for your life today? (Please add an additional sheet if necessary) _____

A pastor must complete the back side of this application.

Before Applicant is considered,
Pastor must complete this section

Applicant's Name: _____

Church: _____

Dear Pastor:

Please read and answer the following questions accurately and honestly. If you do not know this applicant, please consult someone who is involved with them in the ministry of your church. All remarks will remain confidential. Thank you!

1. How long have you known the applicant? _____

2. How would you rate the applicant's ability to work with children?

over the top good uber good commonly good not so good unobserved

3. Give an example of a practical opportunity the applicant has had to minister to children in you local church _____

4. Is there any fact or circumstance involving the applicant's background that would call into question their being trusted with the supervision, guidance, and care of young people?

Yes No

5. Why would you recommend this applicant as a counselor/staff member? Please explain.

Signature _____ Date _____

Pastor,

Please mail ***immediately*** to:

Christ Community Church of the Nazarene
Attn: Tom & Denise Barnes
21385 College Blvd
Olathe, KS 66061

campregistrar@kcnazkids.org

