



2012 CAMP STAFF APPLICATION

A well-qualified volunteer staff is essential to the success of the Peniel Bible Camp program. Serving God through the camping ministry is both a privilege and a responsibility. We are looking for Christians who demonstrate godly conduct and are efficient, prompt, enthusiastic, cooperative, and willing workers. Serving at Peniel Bible Camp has proven to be a wonderful opportunity to grow in your personal commitment to Jesus Christ.

Please fill out this application and give it to your pastor. He will sign and forward it to Ken Perry, Director of Operations and Administration. He will confirm acceptance of your application and forward it to the Camp Director or Kitchen Superintendent.

If you would like to submit your application by e-mail, please request one from perry@obf.net or see www.obf.net/peniel.

Name Mr. Miss Mrs. _____ Date of application _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (____) ____-____ Cell Phone (____) ____-____ E-mail _____

Age at camp time _____ Grade completed at camp time _____ Marital status: single married

Present employment and/or school you attend: _____

Church _____ Pastor's name _____

Adult T-shirt size: S M L XL XXL _____

Camp	Dates	✓ Check position(s) you are applying for:						Age Requirement
		Counselor	Kitchen	Custodian	Nurse	Athletic Assistant	Other**	
Father/Son Retreat *	May 4 & 5							10 th grade or above
Pastors' Conference	June 25-27							Completed 10 th grade
Mother/Daughter Ret. *	June 29 & 30							Completed 10 th grade
July Family	July 2-7							Completed 10 th grade
Junior I	July 9-14							Completed 11 th grade
Junior II	July 16-21							Completed 11 th grade
Teen I	July 23-28							One year out of high school
Teen II	Jul 30 - Aug 4							One year out of high school and 21 years of age for counselors
August Family	August 6-11							Completed 10 th grade
Women's Retreat *	Sept 14 & 15							10 th grade or above
Men's Retreat *	Sept 21 & 22							10 th grade or above
Couples' Retreat *	Oct 5 & 6							10 th grade or above
Other**								

✓ Check areas you have experience in.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Archery
<input type="checkbox"/>	Canoeing
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fishing
<input type="checkbox"/>	General Athletics
<input type="checkbox"/>	Handicraft
<input type="checkbox"/>	Nature Studies
<input type="checkbox"/>	Nurse
<input type="checkbox"/>	Riflery
<input type="checkbox"/>	Swimming
<input type="checkbox"/>	Senior Lifesaving Certificate
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pianist
<input type="checkbox"/>	Song Leader
<input type="checkbox"/>	Special Music
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other:

* If you are only applying for a weekend retreat, just sign the second page and forward to your pastor.

** If you are applying for a camp or position not listed, please specify here.

Camp _____ Position _____

I want to attend the 2012 Training Camp (June 26-27)

Training Camp will help you be better equipped to serve at Peniel! It is free for all staff serving in one of our summer camps. Come for some or all of the sessions. See web page for details.

1. Have you been born again? _____ Explain:

2. Describe your spiritual life and growth this past year?

3. Do you regularly nurture your Christian life with Bible reading, devotional quiet time, and prayer? _____ Explain:

4. Are you in agreement with the doctrine, policies, and practices of your home church and the Ohio Bible Fellowship (see www.obf.net)? _____ If no, explain:

5. Are you faithful in all the services of your church? _____ If no, explain:

6. Do you avoid worldly activities including: attending movie theater or dance; viewing of ungodly and/or sensual content video or Internet; listening to worldly secular music or music associated with the CCM movement; using alcohol, tobacco, or illegal drugs; etc.? _____ If no, explain:

7. Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? _____ Have you ever been convicted of any type of crime involving a minor? _____ If yes to either question, please explain on a separate sheet of paper.

8. Do you give permission for confidential internet and/or fingerprint background checks to be done for compliance with Ohio state law* and to ensure your suitability for service in the position(s) applied for? _____

9. Please list addresses of any public information you have posted on the internet (e.g., Facebook, school or personal pages, etc.).

10. Why do you desire to work in camp?

11. What previous camp or kitchen experience have you had?

12. What other experience have you had in working with the age group applied for?

13. If you are of high school or college age and have a special friend of the opposite sex attending camp the same week, please give his/her name. _____

- I will conform to the *Staff Expectations* in addition to the camp's *Appearance and Conduct Expectations*. (A copy of these will be sent to you along with other preparation materials. If you would like a copy prior to signing this application, please contact Mr. Perry at the address below.)
- I understand that my time as a staff member will require total dedication to camp responsibilities. The director must approve any exceptions in advance.
- If accepted, I will prayerfully prepare my heart for service in camp and will respectfully and cheerfully obey those in authority at camp.

Signed

Date

*** Ohio Law Notice to Current and Prospective Volunteers: In accordance with the Ohio Law 187 Sec. 109.575 effective March 22, 2001 all organizations and entities that may have volunteers who regularly have unsupervised access to children, the organization or entity must inform the person that, at anytime, the person might be required to provide a set of fingerprints and criminal records check might be conducted with respect to the volunteer. Thus, ALL Peniel Bible Camp volunteers that may have unsupervised access to children might be required to have fingerprinting and a criminal background check.**

PASTOR: Please check one and comment below:

- I fully endorse applicant (my comments below).
- I endorse applicant with reservation (my comments below).
- I do not endorse applicant (let person know and do not send application).

PASTOR: Please send completed form to:
 Ken Perry
 103 Parkview Ave.
 Westerville, OH 43081-2815
 (614) 891-2031 - perry@obf.net

Pastor's signature: _____ Pastor's phone number: _____

Pastor's comments: