

ECOLOGY SUMMER CAMP 2022

Team Leader Application for Teenage Volunteers

Name of Team Leader _____ Birth Date _____ Age (as of 6/6/2022) _____

Parent/Guardian _____

Address _____

Email _____ Phone: Day _____ Night/Cell _____

Emergency Contact (not parent/guardian) _____ Phone No. _____

Special Concerns (Dietary restrictions, medications, allergies) _____

CAMP SESSIONS
Indicate your 1st and 2nd choices

___ **Session 1:** June 6-10 / Ages 7-9 ___ **Session 4:** June 27 – July 1 / Ages 10-12

___ **Session 2:** June 13-17 / Ages 10-12

___ **Session 3:** June 20-24 / Ages 7-9

Please indicate your t-shirt size for your summer camp t-shirt:

Youth - S M L Adult - S M L

PERMISSION TO SWIM

My child has permission to swim at Lake Annie during Ecology Summer Day Camp. I understand that a lifeguard certified in American Red Cross Lifesaving, CPR, and First Aid will supervise the swim.

YES, I approve. **NO**, I do not approve.

Parent/Guardian signature

Date

EXPECTATIONS

Team Leaders are expected to attend a volunteer training event and to commit to volunteer for one full camp session, Mon-Friday from 8:30am-3:15pm. During their session, they will work directly with our campers and adult volunteers, often as a leader or co-leader of a small group of campers (4-5 kids). Team Leaders also help with setup and cleanup each day. Team Leaders track their hours daily, and can earn 35+ hours for one session.

**RETURN REGISTRATION BY
Mail or Email**

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1) Why do you want to be a Team Leader at the Ecology Summer Camp? What are you hoping to gain from this experience?

2) List any experiences or qualifications you have that would be useful at camp (for example: First Aid certification, previous experience working with children, etc.) *and* any skills or personal characteristics you have that would be valuable in a camp setting.

If you require more space, please attach additional pages to your application.

WELCOME TO ARCHBOLD EXPEDITIONS

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RISK AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY
ECOLOGY SUMMER CAMP 2022 - TEAM LEADER

Archbold Expeditions is a not-for-profit research, conservation, and education organization—we are not a state/federal park or other government- university-owned facility.

All visitors to Archbold properties, including Archbold Biological Station, Buck Island Ranch, and Archbold Reserve, are required to complete the information below.

Your information will not be distributed to third parties.

Team Leader's First Name: Last Name:

Parent/Guardian's First Name: Last Name:

Home Address:

City: State: Zip:

Phone: Date(s) of Visit: May-July 2022

Purpose for Visit - Ecology Summer Camp 2022

Facilities included: Archbold Biological Station, Buck Island Ranch, Archbold Reserve

Team Leader accepts and will abide by the behavioral expectations of Archbold, applicable state and federal laws, and policies and procedures of Archbold. Parent/Guardian and Team Leader understand that disregard for the Archbold policies and applicable laws may be considered grounds for dismissal from programs and activities at Archbold.

I hereby certify that, with or without accommodations, Team Leader is in good health and I know of no medical reason why Team Leader is not able to visit Archbold and participate in programs and activities at Archbold. I hereby consent to first aid, emergency medical care and if necessary, admission to an accredited hospital when necessary for executing such care for treatment for injuries that Team Leader may sustain while participating in any program or activity associated with Archbold. I understand that I am responsible for all medical expenses. If Team Leader has a disability requiring accommodations, I will notify the Risk Management Administrator and Education Coordinator prior to Team Leader's arrival to Ecology Summer Camp.

I hereby consent and authorize the use of photography, audio, and/or video of Team Leader while at Archbold Biological Station, Archbold Reserve, or Buck Island Ranch for use in Archbold's promotional and educational materials, without compensation to me. This includes but is not limited to: social media postings, brochures, and email newsletters. The names of minors (aged 17 and younger) will not be included in any materials. All video, audio and photographs shall constitute Archbold property, solely and completely.

The person signing this release as parent/guardian on behalf of a minor agrees that this Release of Liability is being signed and delivered to Archbold both individually by the undersigned and as the parent/guardian of the minor.

Signature of Parent/Guardian Date

By signing this, I agree that I understand and will comply with all of the following:

In order to induce Archbold Expeditions, its trustees, officers, agents, scientists, staff and any other affiliated or associated parties (together referred to as "Archbold") to allow the Team Leader access to its premises, and to permit the Team Leader to participate in its programs, in consideration thereof, agree as follows:

- Parent/Guardian and Team Leader understand that Archbold is a biological field station, including a working cattle ranch, designed to study specific natural and agricultural habitats with all of the accompanying risks. Archbold is not an amusement park, botanical garden, or controlled animal park.
- Parent/Guardian and Team Leader fully understand that activities at Archbold are inherently hazardous and involve risks of personal injury or illness, including, but not limited to, risks associated with: (1) being outdoors in wildland terrain and water bodies; (2) being in the presence of inclement weather conditions including, but not limited to, lightning, wind, and excess rain; (3) potentially dangerous wild plants; (4) potentially dangerous wild animals, including but not limited to alligators and venomous snakes, and farm animals; (5) ecological and agricultural field research; (6) land management practices and agricultural operations; (7) potential exposure to agrochemicals and other herbicides/pesticides; (8) prevailing and extreme weather conditions; (9) prescribed burns, wildfires, and other outdoor conditions; (10) travel by private and Archbold vehicles including all-terrain vehicles, boats and canoes; (11) indoor laboratory conditions; (12) sports and other recreational activities, including but not limited to swimming; and (13) accidents or illness in a remote rural area without "on-site" medical facilities. In light of this understanding, Parent/Guardian hereby acknowledges full responsibility for and assumption of risk of any and all harm of any nature whatsoever that comes to the Team Leader as a result of having access to Archbold premises or participating in its programs.
- Parent/Guardian acknowledges that no representations have been made that entering the premises of Archbold or participating in Archbold's programs or activities will be safe, but that Archbold has expressly represented herein that entering the premises and participating in its programs and activities involves risk, which the visitor assumes as a condition of their involvement with Archbold.
- Parent/Guardian further understands and agrees that Archbold assumes no responsibility for personal property of Team Leader. Such property is stored on Archbold premises at the sole risk of Parent/Guardian and Team Leader.
- Parent/Guardian (for him/herself and for their heirs, representatives, successors, assigns and dependents) hereby: (a) releases and discharges Archbold from any and all responsibility for or liability to visitor, which may be caused by the negligence, or otherwise, of Archbold; (b) releases and discharges Archbold from all actions, claims, demands, expenses, attorney's fees, compensation, and all consequential or other damages that may accrue for any injury, death, or property damage as a result of, or in connection with, visitor's access to the premises or participation in the programs of Archbold; (c) agrees that they shall have no right of action against Archbold for negligence, or otherwise, and shall not bring an action, make a claim against, sue, attach the property of, or prosecute Archbold for any injury, death, or property damage accruing as a result of, or in connection with, visitor's access to the premises and participation in the activities of Archbold; (d) agrees to indemnify and hold Archbold harmless against all claims, damages, and causes of action from any injuries to the person and property of visitor, including attorney's fees and all costs in defending against such claims and causes of action made by or on behalf of visitor for negligence, or otherwise. The term "negligence" as used in the Release of Liability shall include all degrees of negligence.