



WHAT TO EXPECT AS SUPPORT STAFF

The success of Summer Camp depends on volunteers who dedicate a week of their summer to serve campers as their Room Leader. We accept applications from eligible adults who are pastors, youth leaders, parents, college students, and those who were personally impacted when they were a camper and now want to give back. **All volunteer camp staff are placed as Room Leaders. Room assignments are typically made based on church groups with a leader from the same church as the Room Leader, but this is not always the case and cannot be guaranteed.** All staff must be willing to lead any campers, whether the camper is from your home church or not. All Room Leaders are expected to participate in all camp activities with enthusiasm and lead every camper to a positive camp experience. We encourage room leaders to help students feel loved on and feel like they have safe place to share and grow in their walk with God.

AGE REQUIREMENTS Applicants must be at least 20 years of age to volunteer at Combined Camp and High School Camp and at least 18 years of age to volunteer at Middle School Camp.

REGISTRATION FEES The price for Support Staff registration is \$75 per person. This fee covers the mandatory background check and the cost of housing and meals for the week of camp. If you are applying to be a Room Leader for your church group and your church will be covering your cost, they may send a check to Ohio Ministry Network for payment of your registration fee.

APPLICATIONS Only completed and paid applications will be considered for approval. Applications will be taken and approved on a first come, first serve basis. Some of our camps fill up faster than others when it comes to Support Staff there are limited spots to serve. Please wait for your approval email before making plans to attend Camp. After support staff positions are filled we will start to fill other positions that are needed at camp including but not limited to Security, Dorm Stewards, Sumo's, etc.

MANDATORY SUNDAY SUPPORT STAFF TRAINING All Program Staff and Room Leaders are required to attend an orientation and training the Sunday prior to the start of Camp. These meetings will start at 7 PM and will be followed by a bonfire with hotdogs, chips, and S'MORES. Dinner is not provided. We will have a training meeting that will go over the camp schedule, safety procedures, camp teams, and so much more. This training is a vital part of the success for the week and we don't want you to miss it. No Program Staff or Room Leaders will be able to be drivers to transport campers to Camp on Monday. Group leaders should make arrangements for other adults to drive campers to camp on Monday and pick them up on Friday.

NON-CAMPER POLICY OYM Camps are **CLOSED** camps. All camp activities, including services are open to registered campers and staff **ONLY**. Any child, student, or adult violating this policy will be asked to leave the grounds.

WHAT TO BRING:

- A heart willing to serve and work at the camp
- Bible, notepad, and pen
- Towels and toiletries
- Sheets and bedding
- Sweatshirt
- Modest swimwear
- Swimsuit cover-up
- Clothes for services
- Spending money
- Shoes that stay dry for indoor use
- Multiple pairs of clothing and shoes that can be used for the following:
 - Wet
 - Sweat
 - Mud
 - General Outdoor Activities
- Flashlight
- Room Decorations
- Painters Tape
- Whistle
- Flashlight
- Extra Trash Bags
- Extra Sunscreen
- Water bottle