

Application Form - 2010

Stanislaus County 4-H Camp Leadership Team

To apply and for full consideration: fill out application, provide references, and submit by dates indicated to UC Cooperative Extension 4-H Office, 3800 Cornucopia Way, Suite A, Modesto CA 95358 by mail or in person.

Faxed copies will be accepted if received by due date. Original must follow in the mail. (FAX: 209-525-6840)

Interviews for Director in November; staff in December; counselors in March or April.

Camp dates: TBA Staff arrives one day before campers; Counselors morning camp starts.

Director: (DUE OCT 9th)

Will work youth & adults, oversee the total program of 4-H Summer Camp, including Staff, Counselors, and Adult Cabin Leaders. Involved with the selection and training of staff & counselors. Work with the Camp Committee and 4-H staff to carry out procedures and policies governing camp. Participate in camp review and recommendations.

Staff: (DUE NOV 10th)

Must have completed ninth grade at time of camp. Attend camp planning and participate in staff orientation and training sessions; Camp Readiness day June. Carryout assigned duties at camp. Cooperate with other staff, cabin leaders and campers. Completed 4-H membership (If over 18 and not a member, leader certification training and clearance.)

Counselor: (Due in March 16th)

Must have completed 8th grade at time of camp. Interest in camping activities and working with younger youth & adults, leadership and responsibility. Counselors will be in cabins with 10 to 12 campers. Attend Readiness day training in June. Participate in counselor orientation and training sessions.

A.— Application for Staff & Member Staff (Counselor applications taken in March)

Name: _____ Club: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Birth date: _____ Grade in School at time of camp (if applicable) _____

Check Position(s): Member Staff completed 9th Grade Adult Staff (4-H Leaders over 18)
 Counselor (completed 8th Grade) Director (over 25) Director 21 to 25 (co-adult over 25 required)

1. Do you plan to attend Summer School? Yes No

2. Please rate the days of the week on your availability for evening camp Staff meetings.



Day of the Week			
Monday	Good	Poor	Bad
Tuesday	Good	Poor	Bad
Wednesday	Good	Poor	Bad
Thursday	Good	Poor	Bad
Friday	Good	Poor	Bad

3. Have you ever been on "any" camp staff or attended Camp before? Yes No
 If yes, where? _____

List position(s) held: _____

4. Tell us about yourself and how you can enhance the camp program.

5. List any special abilities, knowledge, or qualifications that may benefit the camp program (CPR, first aid, water safety/lifeguard, craft courses, musical talent, school classes, etc.).

Please rate yourself on the following questions.	1 being the lowest - 5 being the highest				
My ability to work well and cooperate with others.	1	2	3	4	5
I work well with children of all ages.	1	2	3	4	5
My ability to be a team player.	1	2	3	4	5
My ability to manage conflict between staff & campers.	1	2	3	4	5
Public speaking experience.	1	2	3	4	5
Please use a separate sheet of paper if you wish to give further information or comments.					

B. Interview

Interviews for Director will be scheduled for November; interviews for support staff will be scheduled in December; counselors in March or April. You will be contacted with your interview time. If you have questions please contact the 4-H Office at 525-6801.

If you have interview time preference, mark below, committee **will try** to accommodate:

C. References

Please submit *4-H Camp Support Staff Reference Form* from two adults (teacher, coach, 4-H leader, etc.). Forms should be placed in a **sealed envelope** to be given back to the applicant or sent to the Stanislaus County 4-H Office, 3800 Cornucopia Way, Suite A, Modesto CA 95358.

Reference #1

Name: _____ Title: _____ Phone #: _____

Reference #2

Name: _____ Title: _____ Phone #: _____

D. Selection

Selection for staff is based on:

1 - Application 2 - Interview 3 - References 4 - Past Performance (if applicable)

I understand that being on the 4-H Camp Support Staff is part of the University of California Cooperative Extension 4-H youth development program. As a participant, I understand that I will be subject to policies, procedures and guidelines of the California 4-H Youth Development Program. If selected, I will be required to complete registration and waiver forms as part of the normal UC and 4-H participation requirements. Current 4-H participants will have already completed these requirements. Questions about the Stanislaus County 4-H Youth Development Program can be addressed by contacting the UCCE at (209) 525-6801.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent's Signature: _____ Date: _____
(If a member under 18)

Club Leader Signature: _____ Date: _____
(If applying for counselor)