



SPARTAN RESIDENT CAMP STAFF APPLICATION CHATTAHOOCHEE COUNCIL

Application Due March 15th, Interviews/selection no later than last week March

Email to tchilds@batson-cook.com

Or mail to ATTN: Spartan Camp Staff c/o Chattahoochee Council 1237 1st Avenue Columbus, GA 31901

I AM APPLYING AS A STAFF: YOUTH _____ ADULT _____		APPLICATION YEAR _____
NAME:		TODAY'S DATE:
MY FRIENDS CALL ME:		UNIT TYPE & NUMBER
ADDRESS:		COUNCIL & DISTRICT:
CITY	STATE	ZIP
CURRENT LEADERSHIP POSITION:	EMAIL ADDRESS:	PHONE NUMBER:
SHIRT SIZE – ADULT SIZES (CIRCLE) SM MED LG XL XXL XXXL		BIRTH DATE:
PREVIOUS LEADERSHIP TRAINING & TRAINING DATE(S):		PRESENT SCOUT RANK:
PHYSICAL AND/OR DIETARY NEEDS/RESTRICTIONS (BE SPECIFIC PLEASE)		
PARENT NAME(S):	PARENT EMAIL ADDRESS:	PARENT PHONE NUMBER:
YOUTH AGE	GRADE	YOUTH CELL NUMBER

Have you been a participant on a NYLT Course? Yes No (please circle one)

Position Held: When: _____ Where: _____

Have you been a staff member for Spartan Resident camp? Yes No (please circle one)

Position Held: When: _____

Other Leadership Roles, Special Recognitions/Awards: (You may use the back of the application to add more info)



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Backpacking / Camp Site Prep	Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced	Expert
First Aid Training	Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced	Expert
Cooking Skills	Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced	Expert
Public Speaking / Unit Presentation	Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced	Expert
Knots and Lashings	Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced	Expert
Photography/Publicity	Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced	Expert
Other: Describe Below	Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced	Expert

Please read and sign:

On my honor as a Scout, I promise that I will faithfully live according to the Scout and/or Venture Oath and Scout Law during the Spartan Resident Camp and thereafter. I will represent my troop/crew/team/post/ship with honor and do all I can to pass along my new knowledge and skills to my fellow Scouts. I certify that I am at least a First-Class Scout (BSA Troops only), and am a Troop/Crew/Ship/Post youth leader or capable of filling those positions.

Signed (Staff Applicant) _____

Approval of Parent or Guardian of Spartan Resident Camp Staff Applicants Attendance:

I approve the participation of my Scout, named above, to the Chattahoochee Council – Spartan Resident Camp Staff. I will see that he/she has the necessary equipment and uniforms to meet the requirements for the staff.

Signed (Parent's signature) _____.

All Youth Staff Applicants:

Please bring a letter of recommendation signed by your Unit Leader, Crew Advisor, Team Coach, citing your qualifications and attributes that would make you a great Spartan Resident Camp staff member. Please share youth responsibilities with them prior to them writing the recommendation so they know what is expected of a Spartan Resident Camp staff member and can speak to how you would fulfill those responsibilities.



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For our information:

Scoutmaster, Troop Leader, or Venturing Advisor’s Approval (required for youth consideration)

UNIT LEADER’S NAME		UNIT TYPE & NUMBER
ADDRESS		COUNCIL/DISTRICT
CITY	STATE	ZIP
UNIT LEADER’S SIGNATURE	EMAIL ADDRESS	HOME PHONE

Staff Costs:

- All staff are required to pay \$40 for staff fees – Primarily to cover food costs

Additional costs may include

- Costume for skit (can be recycled materials) (All Youth staff)

Staff Development Dates: NOTE SOME COULD BE ADJUSTED
Training and Camp visit in advance is Mandatory

March 15th

Last Week of March - Will be scheduled with potential staff in advance of date

April/May ? – Time TBD, Location TBD

May or June ? – Time TBD, Location - FGL

Wednesday, July 8th – 8am

Sunday, July 12th – Time TBD - Afternoon

Applications Due
Staff Interviews

Staff Orientation, Training
Camp Visit and Walk through
Staff Report to Camp
Staff Dismissed from Camp

Please e-mail or send via U.S. mail your Spartan Resident Camp Staff Application and your Spartan Camp Staff Applicant Questions to your address below to arrive by March 1th.

Interview Information:

Applications will be reviewed. If necessary, interviews (either in person or via phone) will be held no later than last week of March. Final selections will be made by April 1st.

Attn: Tammy Childs

Spartan Resident Camp – Staff Applications
Boy Scouts of America - Chattahoochee Council
1237 1st Avenue
Columbus, GA 31901
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Spartan Resident Camp Youth Staff Responsibilities

- Will understand and model servant leadership; “other’s first” attitude, Scout Oath and Law while on course and during staff developments always
- Be prompt in communications with adults and youth staff via e-mail and phone calls - within 24 hours
- Copy an adult staff member on all conversations with another adult for two deep leadership
- Will model the core learning and leadership messages of BSA through their interactions with youth and adults
- Will be Youth Protection trained (Will do this at one of the first staff developments)
- Will use the “patrol method” to facilitate Spartan Camp course objectives
- Will attend and assist with parent/participation orientation events, if asked
- **Provide a current BSA Medical Form, parts A,B, and C to the registrar the 1st day onsite**
- Complete BSA Activity consent form and provide to the registrar the first day on site
- Write a vision statement for your role and goals to fulfill that vision
- Have a good work ethic (Play when it’s time to play and work when it’s time to work)
- Be enthusiastic
- Be flexible (schedules don’t always go as planned or our patrols may not respond as we think they will)
- Be a team player (unity and the goal of a performing team are more important than own personal preferences)
- Growth mindset (look at problems as challenges to grow and overcome)
- Be able to keep a 6:00 AM - Midnight schedule if needed and still be cheerful and energetic.
- Positive attitude
- Be on time for Staff Developments and on-course schedules. Mentor Patrols to do the same
- Willingly sing songs and lead chants
- Communicate any needs (behavioral problems, lack of equipment, etc.) to ASM
- Be able/willing to participate in 3-mile hike to Red Moon Island, if asked.
- Be a mentor to patrol
- Have FUN!

(These are the main responsibilities of youth staff position, but this list is general and does not exclude the addition of tasks or responsibilities as needed to facilitate an outstanding Spartan Resident Camp).

After reading the Staff Responsibilities list, please answer the questions on the next page send them with your application to the Course Director. Thank you for your interest, we look forward to working with you.



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Spartan Resident Camp Staff Applicant Questionnaire

Please answer these questions in paragraph form; 5-6 sentences. Use another page if needed.

1. Why do you want to serve as staff for the Spartan Resident Camp for WeBeLos and Arrow of Light Scouts?

2. What strengths would you bring to the camp? How would you use them to mentor youth in your patrol?

3. It's important to share your experiences when you give presentations to connect you to your patrol. Share one personal experience in Scouting that helped you to change in a positive way?

4. How have you been a servant leader in your home, your school, your unit?

5. If you could have any superpower, what would it be, why would you want it and how would you use it?