COUNSELOR APPLICATION



All Counselors will be required to be cleared with a background check and submit all forms (Counselor Application, Background Authorization Form,Pastor Recommendation Form and a Medical Waiver Form), attend a camp training/meeting, and be signed off by the Camp Director.

For Questions & Information Contact:

Youth Director – Jeff Irving @ 501-690-4435 or email @ <u>imaginefitness@att.net</u> Children Director – Brenda Duff @ 501-722-7657 or email @ duffbrenda@ymail.com Registration – Rachael Blasingame @ 501-317-6446 or email @ <u>rablasing75@gmail.com</u> Mail Application to 846 Breckenridge Dr.

Benton, AR 72019

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Camp Applying for: \Box Children 1st – 6th grade \Box Youth 7th-12th grade Are you or your spouse credentialed with the Church of God in Arkansas?

T-shirt size: (Circle one) S M L XL 2X 3X (Teen/Adult)

PERSONAL INFORMATION – All information below must be completed. *The information below will be used for the background check.

Social Security Number:		Daytime Phone Number:		
First Name:			MI:	
Birthdate (M/D/YR)://		Driver's License State:		
State		Zip:		
Emergency Contact:		Contact Phone Number:		
		City of Church:		
		First Name: Driver's License State: State:	First Name: Driver's License State: State: Zip: Contact Phone Number:	

How long have you been attending this church?

If less than **FIVE** years, list the name and location of other churches in which you were a member or regularly attended during the past five years:

Do you have medical training? (i.e. RN, LPN, LPN, EMT, First Aid Certification)? Yes
No

Signature

To be considered as a counselor you must have completed and
returned along with this application the following:
□ Signed Background Authorization Form
□Signed Pastor Recommendation Form
□Waiver and Medical Release Form
*If you are selected to be a Camp Counselor a Camp Director will
notify you through email with the Counselor Training Information.
Counselor Training: Date, Time & Location TBD

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DISCLOSURE REGARDING BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION (Authorization & Release Form)

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(Applicant's name)	(City)	(State)

having filed an application as a volunteer for Church of God in Arkansas 2023 Camp, consent to have an investigation made as to the conduct of my personal affairs, motor vehicle records, my moral character, professional reputation, fitness for the ministry, and such further information relating to my criminal history, social security number verification, or other background checks, may be received by or reported to the Church of God in Arkansas Ministries, from any acceptable national background research organization. I agree to give any further information that may be required in reference to my past history.

Such reports may be obtained at any time after receipt of this Disclosure Regarding Background Investigation and Acknowledgement and Authorization and if I am selected to serve as a volunteer worker, throughout the course of my volunteer service as permitted by law, and unless revoked by me in writing. I understand that I have the right, upon written request made within a reasonable time after receipt of this notice, to request disclosure of the nature and scope of any investigative consumer report of any outside organization. You should carefully consider whether to exercise your right to request disclosure of the nature and scope of any investigative consumer report.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND AUTHORIZATION

By signing below, I hereby release, discharge, and exonerate the Church of God in Arkansas Ministry, its agents and representatives and any person furnishing information from any and all liability of every nature and kind arising out of the furnishing or inspection of such documents, records, and other information or the investigations made by or on behalf of this district. I hereby authorize the obtaining of "consumer reports" and/or "investigative consumer reports" by the Company at any time after receipt of this authorization and throughout the time in which I am volunteer, if applicable. To this end, I hereby authorize, without reservation, any law enforcement agency, administrator, state or federal agency, institution, school or university (public or private), information service bureau, employer, insurance company or other party to furnish any and all background information requested by any acceptable national background research organization acting on behalf of Church of God in Arkansas Ministry. The Church of God in Arkansas Ministry shall not be required to verify any information received during the course of its investigations and shall not be liable for acting on the basis of any information which later appears to have been false or incomplete. I also authorize that the information provided on the Counselors Application is correct and can be used to conduct the background check by the Church of God in Arkansas Ministry.

I have read and signed the foregoing Authorization and Release as my own free act and deed.

Signature:

Date:

Print Name:

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!



Pastoral Recommendation Form For 2023 CHOGAR Camp Counselor

This form must be completed and returned with the application.

This section is to be completed by the applicant (please print)

Last Name:	First Name:			
Mailing Address:				
City:	State:	Zip:		
Email:				
Phone Number:				

The section below is to be filled out by the applicant's Senior, Children or Youth Pastor. The aforementioned has applied to be a counselor for either the Children or Youth 2022 Church of God in Arkansas Camp. Please understand that the applicant will not be approved without this form on file for 2023.

Please answer all 14 questions.

1.	How long have you known this applicant?
2.	Does this applicant attend all church services faithfully? \Box Yes \Box No
3.	In what capacity does he/she currently minister in your church?
4.	Has the applicant ever worked with student ages: (check all that apply) □ 1 st □2 nd □3 rd □4 th □5 th □6 th □7 th □8 th □9 th □10 th □11 th □12 th
5.	To your knowledge, has the applicant ever displayed inappropriate behavior towards a minor? \Box Yes \Box No
6.	Would you feel comfortable leaving your children in his/her care? □Yes □No If no please explain:
7.	List any tendencies or traits that you feel might reduce the effectiveness of the applicant in this position.

8. To your knowledge, is the applicant free from the use of tobacco, alcohol, or other drugs? □Yes □ No
 9. In the past five years has the applicant had any negative changes in moral, marital, or other life situations? □ Yes □ No If yes, please explain:
10.Can you vouch for the moral integrity of this applicant? \Box Yes \Box No
11.Does this applicant have adequate spiritual maturity to pray with students? \Box Yes \Box No
12.Has this person been cleared through your church child/adolescent abuse prevention policy? □Yes □No
13. Is there any information about this applicant you feel would be necessary for us to know? □Yes □ No If yes, please explain:
14. Do you recommend this individual to be a camp counselor? \Box Yes \Box No

PASTOR'S NAME (First, Last):

DAYTIME PHONE NUMBER:

PASTOR SIGNATURE:

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To be considered as a counselor in training you must have completed and returned along with this recommendation form the following: Signed Counselor In Training Application Waiver and Medical Release Form *If you are selected to be a Camp Counselor In Training then a Camp Director will notify you through email with the Counselor Training Information. Counselor Training: Date, Time & Location TBD



CIT APPLICATION

All Counselors In Training must submit forms (CIT Application, CIT Pastor Recommendation Form & Medical Release and Waiver Form), attend a camp training/meeting, and be signed off by the Camp Director. For Questions & Information Contact: Youth Director – Jeff Irving @ 501-690-4435 or email @ <u>imaginefitness@att.net</u> Children Director – Brenda Duff @ 501-722-7657 or email @ duffbrenda@ymail.com Registration – Rachael Blasingame @ 501-317-6446 or email @ <u>rablasing75@gmail.com</u> Mail Application to 846 Breckenridge Dr. Benton, AR 72019

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To be a Counselor In Training you must be Junior or Senior in High School (11th & 12th Grade) and will be working with a Counselor at Children's Camp.

T-shirt size: (Circle one) S M L XL 2X 3X (Teen/Adult)

PERSONAL INFORMATION – All information below must be completed.

Daytime Phone Number:	Email:			
Last Name:	First Name:		MI:	AGE:
Mailing Address:				
Physical Address (if different than mailing):				
City:	State:	Zip:		
Church Affiliation:		City of Chu	ırch:	

How long have you been attending this church?

Do you have medical training? (i.e. RN, LPN, LPN, EMT, First Aid Certification)? Yes □ No □

Signature	
	To be considered as a counselor in training you must have completed and returned along with this application the following:
	□Signed CIT Pastor Recommendation Form
	□Waiver and Medical Release Form
	*If you are selected to be a Counselor In Training then a Camp
Х	Director will notify you through email with the Counselor
	Training Information.
	Counselor Training: Date, Time & Location TBD



Pastoral Recommendation Form For 2023 CHOGAR Camp Counselors In Training This form must be completed and returned with the application.

This section is to be completed by the applicant (please print)

Last Name:	First Name:			
Mailing Address:				
City:	State:	Zip:		
Email:				
Phone Number:				

The section below is to be filled out by the applicant's Senior, Children or Youth Pastor. The aforementioned has applied to be a counselor in training for 2022 Church of God in Arkansas Children's Camp. Please understand that the applicant will not be approved without this form on file for 2023.

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PASTOR'S NAME (First, Last):

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CAMP SUPPORT STAFF APPLICATION



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Physical Address (if different than mailing):					
City:	State		Zip:		
Email:			1		
Emergency Contact:		Contact Phone Numbe	r:		
Relation to Contact:		•			
Church Affiliation:			City of Church:		
How long have you been attending this church?			1		

How long have you been attending this church?

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Signature:

Date:

Print Name:

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