



## CAMP WORKER JOB DESCRIPTION

It is a privilege and great opportunity to be able serve young people at summer camp. Camp is a wonderful atmosphere where fun is an understatement and life changing decisions take place. With that in mind, every camp worker is important and critical to making camp run efficiently and effectively. In order to serve at Mt. Zion Baptist Church Camp, a worker must be willing to follow the guidelines listed below so that we all are on the same page from the start.

Participation Be at camp from Monday, June 29 through Friday, July 3 of 2009.

Division of Responsibility Please do not recruit workers for camp. Everyone has specific responsibilities and this responsibility lies with the pastor and camp director. If you have a suggestion for someone to work at camp, please share it with the camp director (Pastor Chris).

A Right Heart There is no more important tool that God can use in someone's life to positively affect a young person than a person's walk with God. Every worker needs to search himself to make sure He is in a right relationship with God before he enters the commitment of going to camp.

Preparation There are many things that need to be done in advance. There are 2 meetings for each camp worker leading up to camp along with a camp work day, and a camp setup day. Preparation is part of signing up to be a camp worker.

Communication It is important that every camp worker understand the importance of communication. Mishaps and hurt feelings, and problems remaining unresolved are all the result of lack of communication. Please feel an open door to talk to the camp director at any time regarding a need or something that is in your mind. It is better to communicate earlier rather than later.

Loyalty Loyalty is not blind followship and silence. However, it is the ability to accept the decision of the leader and move on. It's coming to the leader with information, or a suggestion, or a question in a right spirit, at the right time, with the right words and willing to support the leader publicly in whatever decision he makes. Vocal criticism to others about a decision will only hurt the camp and the influence that God has given us with the campers and churches.

Abide by the Policies Every camp worker needs to support and practice all policies and rules of Mt. Zion Baptist Church Camp and not talk negative about any of them. A camp worker needs to have a positive spirit toward all that is going on. Failure to support all policies will only cause division at camp.

Servant's Spirit A servant's spirit is critical to camp, as all of us will be asked to do the unexpected at times. We want all camp workers to lead with a servant's spirit and flexibility. The camp director will talk with you regarding your specific responsibilities at camp. We need everyone to be willing to do everything.

The pastor or camp director of Mt. Zion Baptist Church and Camp reserves the right to dismiss any camp worker who fails to abide by the minimal guidelines mentioned above.

After prayerfully considering this ministry opportunity, I, \_\_\_\_\_, agree to abide by the following guidelines and fulfill the responsibilities listed above, knowing that my example is critical to the unity of the camp staff as a whole and also to the spiritual success that we have as a camp throughout the week.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_, 2009