

Ways to Get Involved at
Timberline Ranch

We are always looking to add great people who love Jesus and love to work with children! If you are willing to use your gifts and abilities to serve, we probably have a place for you. We need people who can run activities, work with horses, cook delicious food, mow lawns, fix vehicles . . . and the list goes on! Come join this terrific team, serve God, and grow in your faith. It all starts with completing the forms below.

For all positions, including volunteer, the following items will be required:

- Staff Application
- 2 Written Associate References
- 1 Written Pastoral Reference
- Interview
- Criminal Record Check
- Appropriate Training / Orientation

Volunteer Positions	Summer Positions	Seasonal Positions
<p>We are always looking for people who have a passion to serve god and who care about children. Volunteer positions include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Hosting: mature individuals or couples who can help guest groups, especially needed for on weekend. - Maintenance: Mowing lawns, repairing different things or vehicles, painting, cleaning, etc. - Kitchen: Preparing food, cleaning, cooking, dishes, etc. - Barn: Cleaning stalls, horsecare, feeding, helping with trail rides (requires experience and in-house testing) - Skills: leading activities (in-house training for activities such as archery, challenge course, rock climbing) - Office: helping with basic administrative tasks, mailings, etc. 	<p>The Summer Season is incredibly busy, with 120 overnight campers each week, 20 day campers most weeks, plus around 70+ staff and volunteers.</p> <p>There are numerous types of summer positions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Seasonal (Paid) - SWAT (Paid and Bursary) - Volunteer <p>Staff who are in any of the positions listed above may be involved in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Camp counselling, - Day camp - Barn - Kitchen - Skills & activities - Maintenance - Lifeguarding (if certified) - Video production - Music team & Skit team. <p>Specific positions we often hire for in the summer include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Head Counsellor - Day Camp Assistant - Skills Coordinator - Media Coordinator (audio and video) - Lifeguard 	<p>Each Spring and Fall we hire staff as needed, primarily in the areas of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Barn - Kitchen <p>These positions tend to start at a little over minimum wage, but also include certain meals and numerous other perks. Housing for singles is usually available as well, at only \$50.00 per week.</p> <p>Spring positions generally start during April (dates vary), and Fall positions generally begin shortly after Labour Day. Spring workers are often invited to continue through the summer and into the fall season.</p> <p>Applications for the Spring season are due by february 28, and Fall applications are due by August 15.</p>

LIT - Leaders in Training

You don't want to miss this! If you want to serve at camp this summer, meet new friends, and go a little deeper with God, you'll want to be here. It's an entire week of working and learning together in an intimate and fun camp setting.

Here's a little of what to expect:

- Leadership training – how to be a leader people will follow, through integrity (who you are as a leader) and influence (what you do as a leader)
- Camp Skills Activities Training
- Personal Development, exploring issues about our own faith and how we can share it with others
- Counseling Skills – learning how to work well with various kinds of kids in a camp setting, through discussions and role-play
- Hands-on work with the kids at Spring Break-Out Camp, practicing the skills you're learning
- Lots of laughs and fun, as you meet people who want to learn and grow, just like you do.

LIT Program Dates

Timberline's LIT Program is offered once each year, and the camp fee for the week is \$269 (+ GST). This fee includes everything: meals, materials, events, training, an LIT shirt, and accommodations. The 2019 training is on March 15-21.

Application

To apply, please send us a completed Staff Application Form, two Associate Reference forms, one Pastoral Reference form. With an interview to follow.

All forms can be either emailed, mailed or faxed in. The program fee must be mailed, and it will be returned in the event that a person is not accepted into the program.

You must be 16-18 years of age by December 31, 2019. Please note that LIT Program applications are due by February 28. We hope to see you here!

SWAT Team Training

Want to do something that will last forever? Join SWAT – "Summer Workers at Timberline." You'll grow, you'll laugh, you'll cry, and you'll be part of a ministry that is close to the heart of God. You will make an eternal difference!

An application and screening process allows us to determine your fit. If you are accepted, you will receive the following:

- Quality staff training
- Opportunities to serve in numerous areas
- Room, board and meals for the summer
- A paid or bursary position with the opportunity to raise more
- A SWAT Team T-Shirt and a Timberline Staff Shirt

To qualify, you must be:

- 18 years of age by December 31, 2019
- Available June 21st – August 30th
- Returning to school in September 2019
- Demonstrating an active and real Christian faith
- Actively involved in a local evangelical church
- Able to work well with a team and as an individual

Some of the specific areas we are looking for qualified workers include:

- Counselors, Lifeguards, Wranglers, Activity Leaders, Actors, Musicians, Videographers, Skateboarders, Rock-climbers

SWAT Team Training Camp Dates

Timberline's SWAT Team training camp is offered for those accepted through the application process. The 2019 training will be from June 24th - 26th.

Application

To apply, please send us a completed Staff Application Form, two Associate Reference Forms, and one Pastoral Reference Form. With an interview to follow. All forms can be either emailed, mailed or faxed in.

SWAT Team applications are due by February 28th. Applications received after this date will only be considered if the needs of the Ranch have not yet been fulfilled.

For more information about any of these positions, or to find out how you can be involved, please email our Assistant Director, Dobson Reid, at dobby@timberlineranch.com.