

The Hill 2020 Summer Youth Leadership Camp 1 Application

Camp 1, June 7-13, 2020 (Application deadline, May 31, 2020)

989 Hardin Wadesboro Rd, PO Box 13, Hardin, KY 42048-0013

(270)437-4172, www.lifeonthehill.org

(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

Camper's Name (Last, First, M.I.) _____ Name called _____

Grade just completed _____ Date of Birth _____ Sex: M F T-Shirt size _____

Home Mailing Address: Street or PO Box _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Name of parents or guardians with whom camper lives _____

Main Phone (____) _____ Other Phone (____) _____

Parent(s) e-mail _____

Emergency contact if parent is unavailable _____ Phone(____) _____

First time for summer camp at The Hill: Yes No Are you attending with a church group? Yes No

If yes, Church Name _____ Youth Pastor/Leader _____

Service Project Selections (As much as possible, assignments will be based upon your selections):

___ Garden/Landscape Projects

___ Painting Projects

___ Carpentry Projects

___ Office/Clerical Projects

___ Music/Worship

___ Video (limited availability)

___ Farm Projects

___ Food Service/Kitchen

___ Other _____

___ Other _____

Summer Youth Leadership Camp Fees: \$220 (due with application by May 31, 2020)

(This rate is based on the actual cost for youth to participate and includes expenses to feed and house campers, maintenance, programs, and supplies.)

• A Camper is not considered registered until the application and full payment (\$220 per youth, payable to The Hill) is received in our office (The Hill, **Attn. Summer Camp**, PO Box 13, Hardin, KY 42048). Confirmation will be sent to let you know it was received. Call us if you don't receive an email confirmation within two weeks of mailing us your application.

• **Applications will not be accepted after the May 31, 2020 deadline.**

• The full payment of an applicant on the **waiting list** will be refunded if space does not become available.

• **Refunds for cancellation** will be issued upon receipt of WRITTEN NOTIFICATION according to the following criteria: those received prior to May 31, 2020—\$200, on or after May 31, 2020—\$170, on or after June 7, 2020—\$110.

• For payment options or financial assistance, please call (270) 437-4172.

For The Hill use only: Date appl. received _____ Payment amount _____ Check # _____

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY and SIGN

Campers will not be allowed to leave The Hill unsupervised.

The Hill is committed to providing campers with a full, safe and equal opportunity to enjoy the retreat/camping experience.

If your youth has any serious behavioral problems or special circumstances involving physical, medical, or social concerns, the Camp Director should be notified of this now, so that reasonable accommodation may be considered.

We regret that youth who do not demonstrate the potential of living cooperatively, compatibly, and safely with other youth cannot be accepted into the program. Our camp is designed to be a strong influence in the lives of the youth it serves, and typical problems are usually overcome. The Hill recognizes that most youth's problems are quite normal and correctable through a program of high expectations and positive attitudes. However, youth with serious behavioral problems should have special guidance concerning their readiness before going to Camp. These problems should be discussed with the Camp Director, and the advisability of accepting the youth into the Camp program can be determined at that time.

The Camp Director reserves the right to decline the application of any youth, or send home any youth, who according to the Camp Director's discretion is not a desirable associate for the other campers. Campers caught with prohibited items (including cell phones) or out after curfew will be sent home. The parent or guardian signing below assumes full responsibility and cost for transportation if a camper is dismissed due to behavioral/social issues. Tuition is not refundable.

- I grant The Hill permission to use photos and/or videos taken of my child during camp activities.
- I understand that there are increased levels of risk with any camp program. At The Hill these **voluntary** supervised programs include activities such as volleyball, basketball, ultimate Frisbee, light-duty community work and general camp maintenance.
- In consideration of The Hill, granting permission to (name of camper) _____ to participate in a camp at The Hill, PO Box 13, 989 Hardin Wadesboro Road, Hardin, Kentucky 42048, the undersigned hereby waives and releases all claims present or future for damage, injury or loss to the camper, or to the camper's or parent's property, which may be caused by an act or failure to act by The Hill, or its administrators, teachers, counselors, campers, parents or others acting on The Hill's behalf and agrees not to assert any claim for relief arising from such claim.
- The undersigned assumes full responsibility for the risk of injury to the camper or to property involved in any activity, including transportation to and from The Hill, and waives all specific notice of the existence of risk in the activity.
- If the site of an activity is at a location other than the grounds of The Hill, the undersigned also releases, waives, and covenants not to assert and claim against the owner of the site, the sponsor, and any person or entities on their behalf for damage, injury, or loss to the camper or to the property caused by an act or failure to act by such persons or entities.
- In the event of an emergency, I authorize prudent and necessary medical treatment for my child.
- Name of family physician: _____ Phone Number: _____
- Medical/Health Insurance Carrier: _____ Policy Holder's Name: _____
- Employer if insured through work: _____ Policy/Group Number: _____
- Prescription Drug Insurance Carrier: _____ Policy Holder's Name: _____
- Employer if insured through work: _____ Policy/Group Number: _____
- Any medication the camper is taking and when:* _____
(All medication must be in a correctly labeled original container and given to the nurse at check-in. No medications, prescription or over-the-counter (OTC), will be allowed in the dormitories unless authorized by the nurse.
- Any known allergies (e.g. food, drugs, insect bites, etc.):* _____
- Any OTC, non-prescription medications or ointments that SHOULD NOT be given to your child:* _____
- Any chronic illnesses or limitations that we should be aware of:* _____

My signature below gives my child permission to participate in these activities, assuming they meet the age and skill level criteria, and confirms my agreement with the aforementioned permissions/statements. I understand that The Hill/BASIC Training is not a healthcare facility and may not be able to reasonably care for my child's special needs. Health conditions requiring advance clearance include, but may not be limited to: insulin dependent diabetes, cardiac situations, asthmatics, seizure disorders, and serious food allergies.

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

* Please add extra sheets for medical information if necessary.

2020 Camper Information Sheet (Keep this for your reference)

Getting Here (989 Hardin Wadesboro Rd, Hardin, KY 42048)

From South— travel approximately 10 miles north on Highway 641. Turn left on Hardin Wadesboro Road. Go 1/2 mile and turn left into The Hill (brick entrance). Follow the gravel road through the woods until you reach the retreat center.

From North – travel south on Highway 641. Travel 3/4 mile past the traffic light at the intersection of Highway 641 and Highway 402. Turn right on Hardin Wadesboro Road. Go 1/2 mile and turn left into The Hill (brick entrance). Follow the gravel road through the woods until you reach the retreat center.

When To Arrive

Camp 1 begins at 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, June 7, 2020 and will end at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, June 13, 2020. Camp registration begins at 3 p.m. on Sunday in the General Store, just inside the entrance on the right. We will provide a light evening meal for the Campers and Counselors on Sunday around 5:30 p.m. If you should need to arrive earlier than 2:00 p.m. on Sunday please call us for arrangements. We would appreciate, however, no arrivals before 2:00 p.m.

What to Wear

For the benefit of the campers and the counselors, clothing items not allowed at Camp include any apparel that is disruptive to the normal operation of the Camp. Clothing is to be modest and should be in good taste. The final decision on “good taste” rests with the Camp Staff. All campers are required to wear safe and appropriate footwear for each activity.

As a general guideline, tops/shirts should not display unwholesome wording or images, should not be short enough to reveal skin at the waist during normal activities and should not be cut low enough in the front or under the arms or be thin enough to be considered revealing. Shorts should be at least mid-thigh length or longer. Please don't consider this legalism—these boundaries are to protect you and others at camp.

The Camp Director reserves the right to send home any youth, who according to the Camp Director's discretion, chooses not to remedy or correct a personal item or clothing problem. If a camper is dismissed due to one of these issues, the tuition is not refundable.

What to Bring

- Pillow
- Sleeping bag or linens and blanket for a twin mattress
- Towels and washcloths
- Personal items such as soap, toothpaste, shampoo, etc
- Casual clothing such as jeans, shorts, t-shirts, etc
- Three sets of clothing you don't mind getting dirty (or ruined)
- Leather or heavy gardening work gloves (a must if you intend to participate in some projects)
- Pair of shoes suitable for outdoor work (they will very likely get dirty)
- Notebook
- Pens or pencils
- Bible
- Sunscreen and hat
- Reusable water bottle

What Not to Bring

For the benefit of the campers and the counselors, **items prohibited at Camp include** cell phones or other portable electronic communication devices, portable music or video players (iPods, PSP, CD players, computers, etc.), illegal drugs, alcohol, and weapons (pocket knives, etc.) or explosives of any kind. If any of these items are found in a camper's possession they may be sent home at the camp director's discretion. **It is recommended that parents call the Camp Office at (270) 437-4172 in order to communicate with their youth if needed.** The Camp Staff will answer this phone directly, or check the answering machine hourly for any messages. **Cell phones will be returned to campers if a camper must communicate with others during an emergency.**

General Store Snack Bar

The General Store will be open during afternoon free time for campers to purchase snacks. This is purely optional since they will be well fed while here; but if you wish for them to take advantage of it, they will need to bring funds to cover that expense. \$18-20 should be sufficient for the week. More than that is not encouraged.