



LA PAZ/MOHAVE COUNTY 4-H CAMP
 July 13-17, 2008
 (Counselors report on July 12)
CAMP COUNSELOR APPLICATION

Due: May 1, 2008

Youth: _____
 Adult: _____

NAME _____ AGE _____

(Youth only)

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

CLUB _____ PHONE _____

Have you ever been to 4-H camp? _____ yes _____ no If yes, how many years? _____

Please accept my application. I am willing to participate in a leadership role at camp, and thus earn my reduced camp fee.

CHECK AT LEAST FOUR (4) INTERESTS. I WISH TO HELP WITH:

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| _____ Wildlife/nature | _____ New Wildlife Habitat program |
| _____ Photography | _____ 4-H Shooting Sports |
| _____ Hiking/Exploring | _____ Skits |
| _____ Food, Cooking | _____ Song Leadership |
| _____ Archery | _____ Campfire Programs |
| _____ Creative Arts & Crafts | _____ Other |
| _____ My own camp program idea _____ | |

BRIEFLY TELL WHY YOU WANT TO BE A COUNSELOR AT 4-H CAMP and why you should be selected:

WHAT SKILLS AND TALENTS DO YOU HAVE TO SHARE THAT WOULD BE AN ASSET TO THE CAMP? (i.e., Singing, playing guitar, work well with younger 4-H'ers, etc.):

A MEDICAL RELEASE/PARENT PERMISSION SLIP MUST BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO CAMP.

PLEASE READ CAMP COUNSELOR JOB DESCRIPTION ATTACHED

GROUP LEADERSHIP: As a camp counselor, I am willing to work with any assigned small group(s), help with any program. I understand to have a successful camp, all of us must set a good example and I am willing to do so. I will uphold the proper conduct, rules and program policies of the camp.

4-H Counselor Signature

Date

Parents Signature

Date

Return prior to May 1, 2008

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4-H CAMP COUNSELOR

JOB DESCRIPTION

TITLE: 4-H Camp Counselor **COST:** Half the camp fee

ELIGIBILITY: Teen 4-H Member (14-19)

PURPOSE: Plan, organize and conduct the 4-H camp program under the direction of the 4-H Extension Agent and camp Committee.

LOCATION: Camp Pine Coombs 4-H Camp near Williams, AZ.

CONTACT PERSON: County 4-H Agent

DUTIES: Attend counselor training.

Attend camp planning meetings.

Assist and plan 4-H camp with other camp counselors, volunteer leaders, and 4-H Agent.

Recruit 4-H'ers to attend 4-H camp

Arrive at camp early for orientation

Lead by example, willing to work, learn and share

Take direct responsibility for certain parts of camp programs, i.e., discovery activities, song leading, flag ceremony, crafts, games, etc

Be responsible for supervising 4-H'ers.

Assist Agents in general administration of camp (registration, etc.)

Evaluate 4-H camp program

Report on 4-H camp to local club.

TIME REQUIRED:

Planning meetings:
One in May and one in

June prior to camp.

4-H camp orientation: One (1) day immediately prior to beginning of camp at the site.

4-H camp attendance: Full time.

4-H camp is July 13-17, 2008

(Counselors report to camp: Saturday, July 12, 2008.)

SUPERVISION:

All camp counselors are directly responsible to 4-H Agents and camp director.

DESIREABLE SKILLS AND TRAITS:

Responsible attitude

Prior leadership experience

Enthusiasm

Planning skills

Ability to work with younger 4-H'ers

Put campers before self

Willing to accept responsibilities

Interest in outdoors

Ability to speak in front of a group

Ability to lead songs, teach a craft, supervise a game, share a skill, etc.

Sincere interest in providing a rewarding camping experience

CAMP COUNSELOR APPLICATION: Those interested in becoming a camp counselor must fill out and submit an application. Those accepted will be notified and must attend orientation and training sessions. An Interview may be required.

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