



Volunteer Staff Application

Lighthouse Youth Center Mission Statement:

The Lighthouse shines the light and love of Jesus Christ to the Oxford area youth through our staff-directed, volunteer-supported activity center and programs.

Lighthouse Youth Center Vision Statement:

Changing the world through Jesus Christ ... one child at a time

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Email address: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Gender: Male Female

Please provide your Social Security Number: _____

This is used for your criminal background check

Please answer the following questions:

- How did you hear about the Lighthouse Youth Center? _____

- Do you have any prior volunteer experience? YES NO
 - If yes, where have you volunteered before? _____
- Do you have any training, skills, or hobbies? _____

- What is your highest level of education? _____
- Are you involved in any local groups or clubs? _____

Church Information:

Church Name: _____

City: _____ Pastor's Name: _____

Employer Information:

Employer: _____

Position: _____

If you are not employed, please let us know here: _____

Why are you interested in becoming a Lighthouse Youth Center Volunteer?

The Lighthouse Youth Center’s mission is to shine the light and love of Jesus Christ to the Oxford area youth. How do you feel that you could help us fulfill that mission?

What does being a follower of Jesus mean for you and your life?

**We have many different volunteer opportunities at the Lighthouse Youth Center.
Please select all the volunteer areas that are of interest to you:**

- Arts/Crafts _____
- Bible Studies _____
- Cooking Class _____
- Fundraising Events _____
- Homework Assistance _____
- Music _____
- Office Help _____
- Recreational Activities _____
- Serve Meals _____
- Sports _____

How often are you able to volunteer?

_____ Weekly _____ Monthly _____ Quarterly

What day/s of the week are you available? _____

Please list two references:

(References cannot be family members)

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Time known: _____ Phone number: _____

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Lighthouse Youth Center Volunteer Qualifications:

- Have a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and be a growing disciple of him
- Have a desire to share the Good News of Jesus Christ to the Oxford Area youth
- Have a sense of calling and appropriate gifts to youth ministry
- Be willing to make a commitment on a scheduled basis
- Be available to volunteer between the hours of 2:00pm – 6:00pm
- Be capable of completing a Criminal Background Check
- Be capable of completing a Child Abuse Clearance

Next steps in the volunteer application process:

1. Once we receive your application, we will call your references and submit your Criminal Background Check
2. Once we heard back from your references and received your approved Criminal Background Check you will be notified
3. You will need to complete a volunteer orientation with our Program Director. This is an in-person orientation that will be scheduled and takes about 30 minutes to complete.
4. You will be given directions on how to complete the Child Abuse Clearance
5. Once we have a copy of your clearances and you have done the 30-minute volunteer orientation, you can begin volunteering

I _____ affirm that I have answered all questions truthfully. I understand that if any portion of this application is found to be intentionally false, I may be denied the right to volunteer at the Lighthouse Youth Center. I also give Lighthouse Youth Ministries, Inc. my permission to verify my references and run my background check. I also give permission to the Lighthouse Youth Center and use any photographs taken of me while serving as a volunteer at Lighthouse Youth Center activities or events for public purposes.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

RETURN THIS APPLICATION TO:

Lighthouse Youth Center
ATTN: Application for Volunteer
P.O. Box 38, Oxford PA 19363