



# Camp Barakel

## Technician & Engineer Character Reference Form

\_\_\_\_\_ (Applicant's Full Name) has applied for a position in our Technician and Engineer Program. The Summer Technician and Engineer Program (STEP) is for teens to assist in the day-to-day operation of the camp. The women will be serving in the dining hall, camp store, laundry, lifeguarding and handcrafts. The men will be helping with wood cutting and hauling, lifeguarding, lawn mowing and dish washing. Though they won't be directly supervising campers, they will have contact with them. Their character will be an example to the campers. Therefore, each teen is asked to complete an application and provide a list of references. You were one of the people listed.

Please take a few minutes to fill out the following questions and then return it to us.

How long have you known the applicant? \_\_\_\_\_ In what capacity? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you know this person on a one-on-one basis or in a group context? \_\_\_\_\_  
If group, what size and type of group? \_\_\_\_\_

How would you rate the applicant in the following areas?

### Responsibility

- Excellent diligently follows through on all tasks
- Good follows through on all tasks
- Average usually follows through on all tasks
- Poor completes tasks when convenient

### Team Participation

- Excellent outstanding group member
- Good contributes positively in a group
- Average usually contributes positively
- Poor difficulty working in a group

### Initiative

- Excellent will look for things to do
- Good will do what needs to be done
- Average will do the obvious
- Poor needs to be told what to do

### Integrity

- Excellent consistently trustworthy
- Good generally honest and true
- Average may stretch the truth
- Poor questionable

Do you have any doubts or questions concerning the applicant's moral behavior? Yes No

To your knowledge has the applicant ever been accused of any improper conduct around children? Yes No

Knowing the applicant as you do, would you encourage us to accept the applicant? Yes No

If you have any reservations about this person's suitability for working around children, please call Jon Ford at 989-848-2279 or email [Serve@CampBarakel.org](mailto:Serve@CampBarakel.org) to discuss your concerns. **We really do want to hear from you if you have any hesitation.** All telephone calls and emails will be held in strict confidence.

I have answered the above questions to the best of my knowledge.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

After completing this form, please send it directly to us:

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**Thank you so much for your help!**