

**MAIL COMPLETED APPLICATION TO:**

Hidden Falls Ranch  
ATTN: Byron Williamson  
PO BOX 136 WAYSIDE TX 79094

**OFFICE USE ONLY**

DATE RECEIVED \_\_\_\_\_

ACCEPTED:  YES  NO

Dear Applicant,

Hidden Falls Ranch, rooted in and infused with Christian values and tradition, strives to provide a wholesome environment to serve youth and families. Hidden Falls Ranch enables its campers and visitors to achieve their full potential and self-esteem through the development of a Christian spirit, mind, and body. In everything we do our purpose is to glorify Christ and honor His Word. We do not allow our staff to smoke, consume alcohol or controlled substances. Should you smoke or drink, you would find Hidden Falls Ranch policies restrictive and uncomfortable.

**GENERAL INFORMATION:** (Please print or type)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent (Home)  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Marital Status: \_\_\_\_\_

**S.S.#:(Mandatory)** \_\_\_\_\_

**D.L.# & State (Mandatory)** \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

My Space Address \_\_\_\_\_

Facebook name (if different from above) \_\_\_\_\_ \*\*\* you must accept a friend request from Byron Williamson at [hfr@midplains.coop](mailto:hfr@midplains.coop) to be considered for employment

Temporary Address  
(College): \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:**

NAME	CITY	YEARS ATTENDED	MAJOR	GRADUATED?
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Highschool \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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College \_\_\_\_\_  
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What are your career goals?  
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List any Scholastic Honors, Offices, Clubs or Positions held while in school: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**HEALTH INFORMATION:**

Parents' Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone(\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Health Insurance Co.: \_\_\_\_\_ Policy#: \_\_\_\_\_

Overall Health: Excellent \_\_\_\_\_ Good \_\_\_\_\_ Fair \_\_\_\_\_ Poor \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any Physical Limitations that would interfere with the active lifestyle of a summer camp staff position?(please note that we hike, walk, climb, swim etc in many of our activities) \_\_\_\_\_  
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**IF YOU HAVE BEEN EXPOSED TO ANY COMMUNICABLE DISEASE DURING THE THREE MONTHS PRIOR TO CAMP, PLEASE NOTIFY THE CAMP DIRECTOR.**

Do you have allergies or asthma? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, does it hinder work performance?

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Are you taking any prescribed medications? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please

list: \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you use tobacco of any kind? \_\_\_\_\_ Do you drink alcohol or use drugs?

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Have you ever used tobacco, alcohol, or drugs? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, when & why?

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Have you ever been treated for a nervous, mental, or emotional disorder?

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If yes, When & Why?

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Have you ever been convicted of a felony? \_\_\_\_\_ Are you currently under indictment or on probation for any crime? \_\_\_\_\_ If you answered yes to either of the last two questions, please describe in more detail?

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Have you ever been charged or convicted of a crime involving: a sex related offense or child abuse? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No If so, explain what the offense was, when (date) it occurred (or allegedly took place) and where (city, county, and state). \_\_\_\_\_

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### **SPIRITUAL BACKGROUND**

List the name and complete address of the Church you attend \_\_\_\_\_

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How regular do you attend? \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Church Ph#: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Youth Pastor's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Briefly state your beliefs concerning the Bible and its purpose: \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you believe a person can lose their salvation? \_\_\_\_\_  
Explain and support your answer with at least one scripture passage \_\_\_\_\_

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Explain what the Holy Spirit's purpose is in your walk with the Lord?

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What qualities do you believe should be evident in a Christian's life?

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Which of the above qualities do think is the weakest in your life?

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Why?

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Explain what you believe the Bible teaches about Homosexuality? (Use scriptures to support your position) \_\_\_\_\_

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Explain what you believe the Bible teaches about premarital sex? (Use scripture to support your position) \_\_\_\_\_

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In what area of your Christian Life do you struggle with the most?

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What steps are you taking to correct this?

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How would you help a camper understand what it means to become a Christian?

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Please give a brief biographical sketch of your Christian Life. This should include how you became Christian and any growth or struggles you have gone through since that time.

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(PLEASE INCLUDE A RECENT PICTURE) (MANDATORY) (THIS HELPS US REMEMBER YOU AS WE EVALUATE APPLICATIONS)

Because we take very seriously our legal and moral responsibility to provide for all of our staff, constituents, and visitors an environment that is positive and wholesome, we seek to maintain a staff of blameless character and testimony. Therefore, as part of our background check on applicants, we periodically consult the National Crime Index Service as well as local law enforcement officials and the U.S. Customs Service. Do you have any reason to believe that such a background check on you would disclose any negative information?

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If so, please explain.

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**Applications need to be mailed or turned in as soon as possible.**

How soon can you come if needed?

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How late could you stay if needed?

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**CAMP EXPERIENCE:**

As a camper I  
attended: \_\_\_\_\_

As a camp employee, I worked  
at \_\_\_\_\_

My job  
was \_\_\_\_\_

Write a brief statement of why you want to work at Hidden Falls Ranch:

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What qualifications do you have for the job you are applying for at HFR?

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Please list any certifications you hold?(Lifesaving, CPR, WSI, NRA,  
Etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you play any musical instrument? \_\_\_\_\_  
What ones? \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn about  
HFR?: \_\_\_\_\_

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Are you willing to do any job assignment you are asked to do?

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Do you object to getting muddy? \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to apply for the following positions:

Please check one in the Counselor Positions. Please number three choices (1, 2, 3 in order you desire) in Activity Positions.

Support positions are not able to be Activity leaders. (1) Must have completed freshman year of college to apply for these positions

I. Counselor Positions

Sr. Counselor Boys

Sr. Counselor Girls

Jr. Counselor Boys

Jr. Counselor Girls

II. Activity Positions

Bible Teacher (1)

Asst. Bible Teacher

Head Repelling Instructor(1)

Asst. Repelling Instructor

Head Crafts Instructor(1)

Asst. Crafts Instructor

Head TBOS (1)

Asst. TBOS

Head Archery Instructor(1)

Asst. Archery Instructor

Music Director

Head Wrangler(1)

Asst. Wrangler

Swimming Instructor(1)

Asst. Swimming Instructor

III. Support Positions

Nurse(1)

Head Maintenance(1)

Program Director(1)

Asst. Cook

C.I.T. Director Boys(1)

C.I.T. Director Girls(1)

Snack Bar & Store Mgr.

Asst. Snack Bar & Store Mgr.

Dining Room Hostess(1)

Maintenance Crew

Kitchen Crew

**REFERENCES; AT LEAST 3, WORK & PERSONAL, NO RELATIVES**

**PLEASE HAVE 2 OF YOUR REFERENCES FILL OUT THE ENCLOSED "LETTER OF REFERENCE" AND MAIL IT TO HIDDEN FALLS RANCH PO BOX 136 WAYSIDE, TX 79094 OR THE "LETTER OF REFERENCE" CAN BE OBTAINED ON THE WEBSITE AT [WWW.HIDDENFALLSRANCH.COM](http://WWW.HIDDENFALLSRANCH.COM)**

**\*YOUR APPLICATION WILL NOT BE PROCESSED WITHOUT THE "LETTER OF REFERENCE"**

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone# Work (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Home (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

2. Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone# Work (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Home (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

3. Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone# Work (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Home (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

By signing my name below, I affirm that I have completed this application truthfully. I have read the "statement of faith" on the back of this application and am in agreement with these beliefs. I realize that any discrepancy could result in my immediate dismissal. Also, I give full permission for Hidden Falls Ranch personnel to confer with the references listed in this application regarding my previous work history, performance and any other information that may be beneficial.

DATE \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

Hidden Falls Ranch strives to observe safety and caution in the programs at camp. Of necessity, the camp cannot assume ultimate responsibility for the conduct of each individual. The person herein described has my full permission to participate in all camp activities except as indicated below. I give my consent for the Staff at Hidden Falls Ranch or the doctor or hospital to administer whatever medical help is necessary in the event of illness or accident in which I am unable to give verbal consent.

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(Please list above any activities you do not wish your child to participate in)

DATE \_\_\_\_\_ PARENT'S

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

Person to contact in case of an emergency and I cannot be reached:

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE#(\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
RELATIONSHIP \_\_\_\_\_

## HIDDEN FALLS RANCH STATEMENT OF FAITH

These are the essential doctrines we as a mission believe and teach in our programs.

**The Godhead:** We believe in God the Father, Creator of Heaven and earth, perfect in holiness, infinite in wisdom and measureless in affairs of men, that he hears and answers prayer, and that He saves from sin and death all who come to Him through Jesus Christ. We believe in one Triune God, eternally existing in three persons – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit – co-eternal in nature, attributes and perfection. ( Is. 6:3; Gen. 1:2; Ex. 31:3; John 10:29; 16:24; Ps. 8:4; Is. 25:24; Jer. 33:3; Deut. 6:4; II Cor. 13:14)

**The Bible:** We believe the Bible is God’s infallible Word, written by men who were divinely and uniquely inspired, and that it is our supreme authority in all matters of faith and life. (II Tim. 3:16-17; II Peter 1:20-21; Matt. 5:18; 16:12-13)

**Jesus Christ:** We believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only begotten Son, born of the Virgin Mary, sinless in His life, who atoned the sins of the world by His death on the cross. We believe in His bodily resurrection, His ascension into Heaven, His High Priestly intercession for His people and His personal, visible return to the world in power and glory according to His promises in the Scriptures. (John 1:1, 2, 14; Lick 1:35; Rom. 3:24-25; 8:34; I Peter 1:3-5; 2:24; Eph. 1:7; Acts 1:9-10; I John 2:1-2; Heb. 9:24; 7:25; I Thes. 1:10; 5:9; 4:13-18; Zach. 14:4-11; Rev. 19:11, 16; 20:1-6; 3:10)

**The Holy Spirit:** We believe in the Holy Spirit who came forth from God to convict the world of sin, of righteousness and judgment, and to regenerate, indwell, baptize all believers into the Body of Christ the Church, and to seal forever those who believe in Jesus Christ. (John 16:8-11; II Cor. 3:6; I Cor. 12:12-14; Rom. 8:9; Eph. 1:13-14)

**Sin:** We believe that man was created in the image of God, that he sinned, and thereby incurred not only physical death but spiritual death as well, which is separation from God. All human beings are born with a sinful nature. We believe that all men are sinners by nature and by choice (Gen. 1:26, Rom. 5:12; 6:23)

**Salvation:** We believe that all men are sinners by nature and by choice, but that “God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life.” (John 3:16) We believe, therefore, that those who accept Christ as Lord and Savior shall be forever in God’s presence, and that those who reject Christ as Savior and Lord will be forever separated from God. (Gen. 1:26-27; John 1:12; 6:37-40; 10:27-30; I Peter 1:18-19; Rom. 6:1, 29, 38; I Cor. 1:4-8; I Peter 1:5; Rev. 20:11-14)

**The Church:** We believe, that as believers, Christians make-up the “body of Christ, and the members in particular.” Each member is important! Christ is the head of the Church. We also believe in the significance of the local church to encourage, uplift and provoke one another to love, good works, and all ultimately to glorify God. (Rom. 12, I Cor. 12:12-31, Heb. 10:24-25)

**The Future:** We believe and rejoice in the personal, imminent return of Jesus Christ. (John 14:1-3)

**Conduct:** We believe that all Christians should live in such a manner as not to bring reproach upon our savior and Lord, Jesus Christ. (II Tim. 3:1-5, Rom. 13:13, Matt 7:16-20)