

Summer 2018 KidPower Leadership Team Application

Welcome to the Application Process to serve as a Student Staff, Intern, or Apprentice!

*This application is Open to anyone who has completed
One June Intensive or One July International Camp
or Completed One Full Year in the Kids Who Care Resident Co.*

Application Deadline: Midnight, Friday, January 19, 2018

Return All Applications to Hope Wilton at hope@kidswhocare.org, or fax to 817-737-2164
or in person to the Kids Who Care Office (1300 Gendy, Fort Worth, Texas, 76107)

To participate on the Summer Leadership Team you must register for Camp by April 1, 2018

Please fill out the following application legibly and completely.

Name _____ Phone (_____) _____ - _____ (Cell Home)

E-mail _____ Male / Female

Age as of 6/1/18 _____ Grade in the Fall 2018 _____

I am an out-of-town applicant. Which state or international country are you from? _____

I need housing (For out-of-town applicants only)

Applicant History with Kids Who Care Programming:

This is my first time to apply for the Summer KidPower Leadership Team.

I have served on the Summer KidPower Leadership Team. Please indicate the number of years as:

Student Staff _____ Intern _____ Apprentice _____ *Please do not include this year in these numbers.*

I have toured with the KWC Resident Company: _____ (number of years)

I have served on the KidPower Leadership Board: _____ (number of years)

I have participated in once a week classes: _____ (number of years)

Apprentices and Interns are all Ages.

Read Below for Information regarding Student Staff Applicants ONLY

- You must be 16 years old to apply.
- You must have served as Apprentice and Intern on the Summer KidPower Team.
- If selected as Student Staff the student will receive a Summer Stipend to be determined by the Full Time KWC Staff
- The First summer a Student is selected as Student Staff they will receive a 20% Merit Based Camp Tuition Discount
- The Second summer a Student is selected as Student Staff they will receive a 40% Merit Based Camp Tuition Discount
- The Third summer a Student is selected as Student Staff they will receive a 70% Merit Based Camp Tuition Discount

Please Indicate here if you are interested in Hosting an International Exchange Student in July

Yes, Please Contact _____
(ideas for host families: parents, aunts, uncles, close friends)

(e-mail) _____ (phone number) _____

Descriptions of the Two Leadership Positions:

Leader & Performer: You will be performing in the summer production and serve on the KidPower Leadership Team assigned to a department with daily responsibilities. The departments are described on the next page.

Production Assistant (Non-Performing): You will be on the KidPower Leadership Team as part of the production team. You will have daily responsibilities in rehearsal and backstage during production. You will not be performing.

Indicate which position and which camp(s) you wish to apply for:

Mini Musical Theatre Camp:

Training Dates: June 2 (Saturday) & June 4 (Monday)

Camp Dates: June 5 (Tues) – 9 (Sat)

*NOTE: Applicants for Mini Camp must be Young Professional, College, Student Staff, or experienced Interns
Mini Camp Dates Do NOT interfere with International Team this year.*

Leader & Performer _____ Production Assistant (non-performing) _____

June Intensive Musical Theatre Camp:

Training Dates: June 5-8

Camp Dates: June 10-24

NOTE: You CAN participate as a Leader in both Mini Camp & June Camp. June training is in the afternoon daily following Mini Camp.

Leader & Performer _____ Production Assistant (non-performing) _____

KidPower Int’l (July) Musical Theatre Camp:

Training Dates: July 2-3 July 4 OFF, July 5-6

Camp Dates: July 8-29

Leader & Performer _____ Production Assistant (non-performing) _____

Department Descriptions for Leader/Performer Positions:

- Please select your Top 3 Departments by order of Preference with #1 being your first choice.
- Use the space below each of your choices to share how your skills may be best utilized on the team.

Hospitality and Housekeeping: _____

This department is primarily responsible for creating a positive experience for the students at camp. They will develop initiatives to encourage each company member individually to ensure that we all start and finish together in a positive way. Responsibilities include breakfast hosting, top of day announcements, Hope luncheon hosting, daily lunch clean up and Warm Fuzzies.

Security Team: _____

The Security Team is responsible for our safety in the space at Drop Off, Lunch and Pick Up. They will develop and implement systems to safely greet and escort company members to and from their cars top and end of day, greet on the breezeway, distribute nametags and secure the perimeter at lunch.

Food Service: _____

This department is responsible for the largest revenue source of the KidPower Summer Fund. They will run a full lunch service including ordering, inventory and distributing of lunch, drinks and snacks to more than 200 campers over the course of the summer. They will also help with daily lunch clean up and hand sanitation.

Public Relations/Marketing/Social Media _____

This team will help support the ticket contest and will support camp and production initiatives through social media, guerrilla marketing, car soaping and more. The PR Team hosts a recruitment lunch and supports other departments with marketing needs.

Ticket Sales/House Cup Team _____

Do you consider yourself a great salesperson? Do you influence others? Are you great at motivating teams? Then you belong on the House Cup Team! This team helps motivate the entire camp with strategies to generate ticket sales to meet our overall camp goals of selling out each show. Creative Ideas are welcome!

Development Team _____

Please note: There are additional spring meeting dates for this team. This Team will be responsible for planning two Special Events, Adventure-thon and Dance-a-thon, to ensure that they are fun, safe, and financially successful. They will also assist with the KidPower Fund letter campaign thank yous.

July International Welcome Team (July Camp only) _____

Please note: There are additional spring meeting dates for this team. This team no longer conflicts with Mini Camp. This group will work extra hours with KWC Staff to plan to welcome and orient our incoming International Students. This Team will also assist in hosting and attending international activities throughout the month. Preference will be given to leaders who host students in their home.

Department Description for Production Assistant Positions:

The Production Assistants make up this highly effective department. During Camp these leaders will work closely with the Rehearsal Stage Manager and Production Manager Chad Jung to ensure that the logistics of camp run smoothly for rehearsal and production. NON-PERFORMING LEADER.

Use the space below to share how your skills may be best utilized on the team.

Please answer the following 3 questions with more than one sentence:

What or who inspired you to apply for the KidPower Leadership Team, and why?

What is your greatest strength when working on a team, and why?

If you worked for the circus, what would your job be? Please explain why.

For Returning Applicants ONLY:

Identify one strength you have developed by participating as a part of the KidPower Leadership Program. How have you used this skill set outside of Kids Who Care?

What kind of fundraising or volunteer activities have you participated in outside of Kids Who Care?

