

*Being Intentional with the time God has given us!*

### **Mission Statement**

Truett Conference Center & Camp exists to proclaim the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ to all we can by every effective means available to us and by equipping others to do the same.

Thank you for your interest in the volunteer ministry at Truett Conference Center & Camp and for taking the time to complete this application. We appreciate your desire to serve the Lord with this organization.

Nestled in the Blue Ridge Mountains of Western North Carolina, Truett Conference Center and Camp offers a Peace and Tranquility to our Conference Center guests while allowing our Summer Camp season to be full of Life Changing experiences for all who are involved.

As they support our staff in various areas, volunteers play a key role in ministering to the guests who visit our property.

### **To be considered for volunteer opportunities, interested individuals must:**

- **Have a clear commitment to Jesus Christ**, supported by a Christian testimony and the ability to clearly share their personal conversion experience and testimony;
- **Be committed to represent Truett Conference Center & Camp in a positive manner**, adhering to our Statement of Faith / Baptist Faith and Message (see website);
- **Be committed to a mature, Christ-honoring lifestyle**, conducting themselves in a manner consistent with Biblical principles;
- **Be committed to serve the Lord as a member of a team**, exhibiting a Christian attitude and a servant's heart, working cooperatively to support Truett's Staff & mission to spread the Gospel of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

### **What you can expect while serving at Truett...**

- ✓ A Fun-Filled environment to serve with Like Minded individuals who want to serve God above any and all else!
- ✓ Free RV sites with water, septic, electricity and laundry facility
- ✓ Free meals when we are serving a guest capacity of 50 or more
- ✓ Free WIFI
- ✓ The satisfaction of knowing you are making a difference in the life of a young person
- ✓ Knowing you will be investing in the Kingdom work of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ

Our staff is committed to the purpose and ministry of Truett Conference Center & Camp. Please read carefully the enclosed information about the organization as you consider joining our team. If you decide you would like to become a part of our Volunteer Ministry at Truett, please complete and return the enclosed application and the consent form which gives us permission to do a background check. You may also call to check for availability of dates.

Volunteers serve approximately 35 hours per week, (not exceeding 40 hours) based on conference center and camp needs. A request to work in a particular area is considered when possible. Volunteers are scheduled to start serving after lunch on orientation day. The last day of service will be 1 day before departure date. Please note that some work areas may require a split shift schedule. Some assignments may require working late night hours. We ask for a minimum commitment of 2 weeks and the maximum length of stay is 3 months.

Where are you interested in serving? Pick your top 5 choices, from the list below, with 1 being your most preferred area. Priority jobs are marked with an \* and we ask you to be willing to work in at least 2 of those areas.

One

Two

Three

Four

Five

- Anywhere (willing to serve wherever the need is greatest)
- Camp Nurse (preferably a Registered Nurse [even retired] or at least a background in nursing or the medical field)
- Event set up (set up/tear down rooms & equipment for events)
- Fleet (assist in vehicle / equipment maintenance/repair)
- \*Food Service (assist with meal preparations, service and clean up)
- \*Grounds (assist with landscaping, mowing & outdoor projects)
- \*Guest services (fold laundry, change bedding, clean windows, clean bathrooms, etc.)
- Preventive maintenance (assist in daily maintenance routine)
- Retail Shop - "Snack Shack" (sell items, work the register, re-stock)
- Trades (electrical, plumbing, painting, construction, hvac, etc.)
- Greeters / Registrars to welcome arriving guests and assist with the registration process as directed
- Program Assistants serve in several areas...they may help with registration for events; assist with office clerical duties, making telephone calls, data entry, etc.
- Tour Guides not only share the history of Truett ministries, but they also share the love of Christ as they share the heritage of Truett.

We welcome our volunteers throughout the year, not just for summer camp.  
So Come, Join us in the Beautiful Blue Ridge Mountains of Western North Carolina!

We ask for your patience and understanding as we identify individuals whose capabilities can best meet the needs of the Volunteer Program as well as available dates at this time. Although the number of volunteer opportunities may be limited, our appreciation to each individual who applies is not. Whether you are able to serve with us this year or in the near future, may you continue to experience the joy and blessing of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Thank you again for your interest in serving with Truett Conference Center & Camp.



Truett Conference Center & Camp
Application for Volunteer Program

Please Print Clearly

Mr. Mrs. Miss Rev. Dr.

Name: Last, First, Middle Initial Phone:

Address: Street City State Zip

E-Mail Address:

Are you 18 years of age or older? Yes No

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor other than a traffic violation? Yes No

Why would you like to be a Volunteer with Truett Conference Center & Camp?

STATUS

Retired Student Other Employed Employer:

Employed Position: From: mm/yy to mm/yy

May we contact your employer? Yes No

EXPERIENCE

List any type of Christian work, volunteer experience or other information relevant to a volunteer position.

What gifts or talents do you believe you would bring to the volunteer ministry?

Have you ever been convicted of pedophilia? Yes No If yes please explain

Name three of your strengths and three of your weaknesses.

What area of service have you enjoyed the most?

Have you ever been asked to resign from a job or volunteer position? Yes No

If yes, please explain

**REFERENCES** – *Please provide the names of two persons that have known you for at least 6 months and are readily accessible by phone-*

Pastor/Church Staff Member/Small Group Leader: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Describe your commitment to your local church and any other ministries. For how long? \_\_\_\_\_

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Personal Reference (not related to you): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Local Church you attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number of said church: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE SHARE YOUR CHRISTIAN TESTIMONY AND SPIRITUAL JOURNEY** – *(Continue on back if needed)*

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**I have read a copy of the North Carolina Baptist Faith and Message and agree with its contents (see website).**      Yes  No

**AUTHORIZATION** - *Please read and sign below*

I hereby certify that the information contained in this Volunteer Program application and any attachments is true to the best of my knowledge and agree to have any of the statements checked by Truett Conference Center & Camp administrative staff. I authorize the reference(s) listed to provide Truett Conference Center & Camp any and all information concerning previous employment and any pertinent information that they may have. Further, I release all parties from any and all liability for any damage that may result from the use of such information by Truett Conference Center & Camp. In consideration for my volunteer work, I agree to conform to the rules and standards of Truett Conference Center & Camp and the Volunteer Program. I also acknowledge that there has been no compromise or expectation of employment or employee benefits. Volunteer participation is expressly for the purpose of benefiting the ministry and without any expectation of any compensation whatsoever.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ (MM/DD/YYYY)

**Background Check Information:**

NAME (First, Middle, Last) \_\_\_\_\_ Gender Male / Female  
MAIDEN NAME (If applicable) \_\_\_\_\_  
CURRENT ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ HOW LONG? \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY, STATE, ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_  
1ST PREVIOUS ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ HOW LONG? \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY, STATE, ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_  
APPLICANT SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
DRIVER'S LICENSE # AND STATE ISSUED: \_\_\_\_\_

**VOLUNTEER APPLICANT AUTHORIZATION**

I hereby authorize FirstPoint, Inc. ("FirstPoint") to prepare an INSIGHT report that will include verification of my driving records. I further authorize FirstPoint to perform a criminal records search.

Further, I authorize other organizations to provide such information to FirstPoint.

New York employers and residents only:

By signing this consent form I acknowledge receipt of a copy of Article 23-A of New York Corrections Law.

**CONSUMER DISCLOSURE**

I understand that a consumer report (Insight) may be obtained from the FirstPoint, Inc. for background screening purposes.

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APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE DATE

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PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE (IF APPLICANT IS UNDER 18 YEARS OLD) DATE

California, Minnesota & Oklahoma residents only:

I want to receive a free copy of any Consumer Report, Investigative Consumer Report or Credit Report on me that is requested. Yes No

**For GA Criminal Searches Only (Must Check One):**  Employment w/ Mentally Disabled (Purpose Code M)  
 Employment w/ Elder Care (Purpose Code N)  Employment w/ Children (Purpose Code W)  None Apply

**Company Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Requester:** \_\_\_\_\_

Volunteer Screener Plus  
 Criminal Records (Search Where): \_\_\_\_\_