



From: Lynne Hardesty, Director  
Date: April 5, 2017  
Subject: Camp Marc's 55<sup>th</sup> Summer Camp Session  
June 30<sup>th</sup> - July 7<sup>th</sup>

Summer is coming and many of our mentally handicapped friends are already looking forward to their "vacation". For approximately one hundred of them, that means their week at **CAMP MARC!**

Camp Marc began Fifty-five years ago in tents. It has evolved over the years to a week spent in a lovely TVA owned facility at Brandon Spring Group Camp in Land Between the Lakes. While there, campers participate in music, nature, sports, arts and crafts, swimming and boating. They also have the opportunity to be a part of activities such as a talent show, the Camp Marc Olympics, and their favorite- the dance, just to name a few.

There is a Core Staff of 14 professionals with experience working with mentally handicapped individuals, who are committed to carrying on the tradition and philosophy of Camp Marc. It would be impossible, however, for these 14 people to run the camp alone. Volunteer help is essential in order to make Camp Marc one of the best camps of its kind in the United States!

The summer session this year is **June 30<sup>th</sup> – July 7<sup>th</sup>**. It is certainly not too early to be thinking about being a part of the volunteer staff. Camp is a stimulating and challenging experience for the staff. Commit yourself now and make someone very happy. Orientation and training are provided prior to the campers' arrival. This allows us to get to know each other, build our team and learn to work together. Please know that Camp Marc is all about the Campers, however we get a lot out of it as well. That is why we have so many returning counselors!

*Please note, the first spots on the counseling staff will be assigned to people who attended last summer.* However, *after May 23<sup>rd</sup>* the spots are open to new counselors, and returning counselors that didn't attend last year. Please return the counselor application as soon as possible to have your name put in for a spot on the 2016 counselor team. You would not want to miss out on a week of rewarding experiences and fun.

If more information is needed or if you know someone else that might like an application, please contact me at (502) 363-6064 hm. or (502) 640-2293 cell, or email me at: [info@campmarc.org](mailto:info@campmarc.org) , or [lynnehardesty33@twc.com](mailto:lynnehardesty33@twc.com) . You can also visit our website at [www.campmarc.org](http://www.campmarc.org) to download an application or check important dates. ***If you have email, please be sure to check it often because I do use that as a form of communication regarding camp.***

*Please keep this letter for the important dates and contact information.*

*You only need to return the application to me.*

**Please return your information to me as soon as possible:**

Via mail: 507 Powell Ave. or E-mail: [lynnehardesty33@twc.com](mailto:lynnehardesty33@twc.com)

Louisville, KY 40214

Anxiously awaiting your reply,

Lynne Hardesty

Camp Marc Director

Camp Marc, Inc.  
2017 Prospective Counselor Application  
Application must be received prior to Camp Marc!!!!!!!!!!!!

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

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

Street                      City                      State                      Zip

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

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: M\_\_\_ F\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Shirt Size: (circle one)              S   M   L   XL   2X   3X

Certifications: (CPR, First Aid, Life Saving, Water Safety, etc.)

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Education: (grade, school, area of study, college major, etc.)

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Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

List medical conditions and/or allergies you may have. Please list all prescription and/or over the counter medications which you may be taking or need while at Camp Marc:

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Who should we contact in case of emergency while at camp?

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Type of Health Insurance:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Policy Number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please note: Your Health insurance will be Primary and Camp Marc's will be secondary. If you do not have insurance, Camp's will be Primary. In addition, Camp Marc does not have any liability insurance.**

*Please answer the following question as best as you can:*

How or from whom did you find out about Camp Marc?

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Previous experience with handicapped children/adults:

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Previous experience with non-handicapped children/adults:

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List extra-curricular activities, hobbies, and/or talents you may have:

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Why do you want to work at Camp Marc?

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In your opinion, of what benefit is a camp for the handicapped?

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Please list two references:

Name	Address	Phone
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Will you need transportation to and from camp?   Y   N

Additional information or comments:

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Signature of Applicant

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Signature of Parent/Guardian (if under 18)

**Please return by mail or e-mail to:**

**Lynne Hardesty, Director**

**507 Alger Ave.**

**Louisville, KY 40214**

or

**E-mail to: [lynnehardesty33@twc.com](mailto:lynnehardesty33@twc.com)**

Feel free to contact me with any questions or comments:

(502) 363-6064 home, (502) 640-2293 cell

You can also reach Beth Tillman, Assistant Director at:

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