

**St. Sava Shadeland Camp  
2011 Counselor Application**

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

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

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

Email address: Print clearly: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate & age: \_\_\_\_\_

Your present occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status: \_\_\_\_\_ Single \_\_\_\_\_ Married \_\_\_\_\_

Name & Phone No. of emergency contact \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

*Please include with the application a copy of your driver's license or official photo id.*

Shadeland Camp 2011 Counselor Orientation begins Wednesday, July 6th until Friday, July 8th at 4PM. All counselors are required to attend. Please do not apply unless you can be present.

Shadeland Camp 2011 runs from Sunday, July 10th through Sunday, August 7th. All Counselors must leave Camp premises on Sunday, August 7th by 6PM. Can you work the full 4 weeks of the camp season? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If not, what dates are you available to work: From \_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_

Please list your previous camp experience, please specify as camper or staff.

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In which of the following areas do you have training or experience:

Arts & Crafts \_\_\_\_\_ Music \_\_\_\_\_ Dance (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Sports (specify) \_\_\_\_\_ Languages (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Orthodox Christian education \_\_\_\_\_ Counseling: (degrees if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Certified water life safety (if so, in what class?) \_\_\_\_\_

Water safety instructor (please list your training) \_\_\_\_\_

Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Please list what special strengths you would bring to this position?

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### **St. Sava Camp/Shadeland Staff Policy for Online Social Networking and Blogging Websites**

Once a person accepts a position as a member of the staff at St. Sava Camp/Shadeland, they accept a great responsibility that lasts well beyond the time that one spends at Shadeland. St. Sava Camp staff members will forever be recognized by campers, parents, clergy, fellow staff members, and many others as a representative of the St. Sava Camp and, more importantly, the Orthodox Christian faith.

In general, the St. Sava Camp Committee views social networking sites (e.g., MySpace, Facebook, etc.), personal Web sites, and Weblogs positively and respects the right of staff to use them as a medium of self-expression. With the advent of internet technology and social networking websites, information can be posted on the internet and seen by just about anyone with access to the internet.

Each St. Sava Camp/Shadeland staff member who posts information (text and photos) on the internet in any format including social networking websites, personal websites, instant messenger profiles and away messages, and any other information posted on the internet, must do so in accord with that of an Orthodox Christian lifestyle. In addition, the St. Sava Camp requires that staff observe the following guidelines when referring to the camp, its programs or activities, its campers, and/or other staff, in a blog or on a Web site:

- Any photos or messages that are linked or “tagged” from “friends” and attached to your site(s) or profile(s) that are inappropriate should be removed.
- Staff must be respectful in all communications and blogs related to or referencing the St. Sava Camp/Shadeland, its campers, and/or other employees.
- Staff must not use obscenities, profanity, or vulgar language.
- Staff must not use blogs or personal Web sites to disparage the St. Sava Camp/Shadeland, other campers, or staff of St. Sava Camp/Shadeland.
- Staff must not use these venues to discuss engaging in conduct prohibited by camp policies and an Orthodox Christian lifestyle, including, but not limited to, the use of alcohol and drugs, sexual behavior, sexual harassment, and bullying.

Any staff member found to be in violation of any portion of this policy will be subject to immediate disciplinary action, up to and including the staff member’s voluntary dismissal from the staff at the discretion of the Camp Director.

By signing below, I agree to the policy listed above.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Past Employment.** Please provide a full record of employment.

Date	Employer	Nature of Work	Reason for leaving
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**Education.** Please indicate level of formal education completed:

High School \_\_\_\_\_ Year graduated \_\_\_\_\_

College \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs completed \_\_\_\_\_ Major \_\_\_\_\_

Graduate School \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs. completed \_\_\_\_\_ Major \_\_\_\_\_

Other schools or experience \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been charged or convicted of any crime relating in any manner to children and/or your conduct with them? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please explain (Use a separate sheet if necessary)

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Have you ever been adjudged liable for civil penalties or damages involving sexual or physical abuse of children? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please explain (Use a separate sheet if necessary)

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

Parish Priest Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**References.** Please give names and addresses of 2 persons (not relatives) having knowledge of your character, experience, and ability.

Name	Address	Phone
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

What contributions do you think you can make at camp?

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Why do you want to be a Shadeland counselor?

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I authorize investigation of all statements herein and release the camp and all others from liability in connection with same. I give my consent to St. Sava Camp to perform a background check with the appropriate law enforcement agency.

I understand that, if employed, I will be an at-will employee and that any agreement to the contrary must be in writing and signed by the director of the camp. I also understand that untrue, misleading, or omitted information herein or in other documents completed by the applicant will result in dismissal, regardless of the time of discovery by the camp.

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that this application will only be considered if I am at least 19 years of age; I fully complete the application and submit a letter of recommendation from my parish priest and provide the names and addresses/phone of 2 additional references; I submit a completed health form from my physician with this application; and I agree to the terms and guidelines for Counselors at Shadeland, as listed on the accompanying sheet:

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parish priest signature: \_\_\_\_\_

(Parish Seal Affixed)

Please return to:  
Dee Dee Baskot, 1704 Vermont Ave., West Mifflin, PA 15122;  
For additional information, phone 412-469-2955 or GiftsGalore499@aol.com