

# Ironwood Springs Christian Ranch

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## Camp Staff Application

The Ironwood Springs Christian Ranch (**ISCR**) counselor staff is comprised of approximately 30 select Christian men and women. **ISCR** is committed to serving over 20,000 guests per year. In order to accomplish this, the staff needs to have a willingness to commit themselves to excellence in their own personal standard, devotional, and work habits. We are looking for leaders who are willing to work hard and enjoy working with and for people, and most importantly want to grow in Christ by serving others.

### Qualifications:

1. A personal commitment to Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord, and a willingness to be changed by Him.
2. Believe in and willingness to serve God's will for the camp and nurture a closer relationship to Him.
3. To be considered for a counselor position, applicants should have completed high school and be at least 18 years of age by June 1. To be considered for a counselor position at teen camp, applicants should be at least 20 years of age by June 1.
4. If applying to be a member of our Junior Staff you need to be 15 by June 1.
5. Good health, to be able to thrive on vigorous, activity filled weeks.
6. A willingness to be guided by such schedules and regulations as are established for daily work, group living, and personal conduct. Willingness to assist wherever and whenever needed.

*Please remove this top page when applying.* Send the completed application to the address given below.

Ironwood Springs Christian Ranch  
Attn: Sam Sutter  
7291 County Road 6 SW  
Stewartville, MN. 55976

# Personal

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Last Name    First    Middle*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Email Address*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Permanent Address*

(\_\_\_\_) - \_\_\_\_\_  
*Permanent Phone number*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Temporary Address*

(\_\_\_\_) - \_\_\_\_\_  
*Cell Phone number*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Emergency Contact (parent or guardian)*

(\_\_\_\_) - \_\_\_\_\_  
*Emergency Contact Phone*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*T-shirt size*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Age*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date of Birth*

Are You a USA Citizen:  
( ) Yes    ( ) No

Briefly describe any disabilities/limitations/allergies/addictions: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, Explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been accused or convicted of sexual abuse? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, Explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

# Education

<i>School Attended</i>	<i>Address</i>	<i>Dates Attended</i>	<i>GPA</i>

Please list any extra-curricular activities, clubs, and organizations involved in:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

# Employment Experience

<i>Employer's Name</i>	<i>Address</i>	<i>Dates</i>	<i>Position/Duties</i>	<i>Reason for Leaving</i>

Have you ever worked at or attended a camp? If so what one and what was your experience there?

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## Special Skills

List any of your special skills, sports played, instruments played, drama background, craft abilities, storytelling, etc. that you think could be an asset to **ISCR**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_  
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Also, please check if you would be interested in helping in the following areas:

( ) Drama/skits ( ) Crafts ( ) Games ( ) Singing ( ) Playing Instrument ( ) Life Guard

## Faith

Please answer honestly here, about your Christian beliefs and faith.

What is your church affiliation? \_\_\_\_\_

When were you saved? \_\_\_\_\_

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# Summer Position Desired

(See summer staff opportunities description for position descriptions)

Check all the positions you are interested in and rate them in order of preference

## Program Staff

\_\_\_ Arts and Crafts Coordinator

## Cabin Counseling Staff

\_\_\_ Camp Counselor

## Support Staff

\_\_\_ Baby Sitter for Family Camp

\_\_\_ Kitchen Staff

\_\_\_ Junior Counselor

\_\_\_ Life Guard Position

-Must be CPR Certified

-Would be additional to counseling

## DATES OF CAMPS

(Please check all that you are available to work)

\_\_\_ Full Summer Position

\_\_\_ High riders Junior II camp-session 1 (6-8<sup>th</sup> grade), **June 21-25, 2010** (All positions)

\_\_\_ Trailblazers Camp Junior 1 (3-5<sup>th</sup> grade), **June 28- July 1, 2010** (All positions)

\_\_\_ Teen Camp & Wrangler Camp (9-12<sup>th</sup> grade), **July 5-9, 2010** (All positions –Must be **at least** 18 to work, and 20 to be a counselor)

\_\_\_ S.O.A.R. Boys Outdoor Retreat (7-10<sup>th</sup> grade), **July 11-14, 2010** (All positions)

\_\_\_ Family Camp (All Ages), **July 23-25, 2010** (Baby Sitters must be at least **16** to work)

Why do you want to work here? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why you should be considered to work here? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

When is it best to reach you during the day? \_\_\_\_\_

Please give us 2 personal references and one pastoral reference that can attest to your qualifications:  
*Name, Address, and Relationship to You* *Phone Number*


Please read carefully. Your mark beside each statement will indicate your agreement in the event that you are accepted to work at **ISCR**.

- I will completely abstain from the use of tobacco products, illicit drugs, and the drinking of alcohol on and off camp property
- I would be happy to undertake the area of service assigned to me by the administration
- I will seek to be spiritually prepared for my responsibility while at **ISCR**
- I understand that a counseling position includes *active* participation in Staff meetings, Bible study, camp activities, and programs.
- I attest that all information given in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge, and I have not falsely represented myself within.
- I will maintain loyalty to **ISCR** while at camp.
- I realize that if at any point I am unfaithful in any of these previous statements, that I will be relieved of my duties at Ironwood Springs Christian Ranch**

**ISCR** *does* encourage staff suggestions or concerns to be brought to the attention of the camp director or immediate supervisor.

If I am accepted to a position at ISCR, I will abide by the above expectations asked of me and will accept my responsibilities as a member of the camp community and body of Christ. In signing this application, I hereby release all previous employers and references to furnish my record, reason for leaving, and all other information they have concerning me. I am also saying that all information within this application is true and I give ISCR permission to obtain a police background check. I realize that any photos or video taken of me this summer may be used in camp promotional material and give ISCR permission to do so.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

If the person applying is under the age of 18, either a parent or legal guardian must sign below. Your signature indicates that this application is made with full approval on your part and signifies your permission for your child to complete this application, and participate at ISCR.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_