CAMP NAKANAWA *for Girls* CROSSVILLE, TENNESSEE 2012 SEASON

PROSPECTIVE COUNSELOR INFORMATION

1. DATES FOR 2012: TWO WEEK SESSION – THURSDAY, JUNE 14TH – SATURDAY, JUNE 30TH
   FOUR WEEK SESSION – SATURDAY, JUNE 30TH – MONDAY, JULY 30TH
   STAFF ORIENTATION **(required)** – THURSDAY, JUNE 14TH – SUNDAY, JUNE 17TH
   Climbing Wall Certification Class – June 12th & 13th (arrive afternoon of June 11th)
   Riding Staff arrive June 11th
   Lifeguard Training Certification Class – June 10th – 14th (arrive morning of June 10th)
2. LOCATION: 100 MILES EAST OF NASHVILLE; 80 MILES WEST OF KNOXVILLE;
   100 MILES NORTH OF CHATTANOOGA; JUST OFF Interstate-40
3. ADDRESS: CAMP NAKANAWA WEB SITE: www.campnakanawa.com
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   CROSSVILLE TN 38571-2146
   PHONE: 931-277-3711 FAX: 931-277-5552 E-MAIL: campnak@frontiernet.net
4. DIRECTORS & OWNERS: ANN & PEPE PERRON (1981 TO PRESENT)
5. CAMPER AGES: 8-11 (2ND -5TH GRADES) TWO WEEK SESSION JUNIOR CAMP
   12-14 (6TH – 8TH GRADES) TWO WEEK SESSION INTERMEDIATE CAMP
   8-12 (2ND – 6TH GRADES) FOUR WEEK SESSION JUNIOR CAMP
   12-17 (7TH -11TH GRADES) FOUR WEEK SESSION INTERMEDIATE & SENIOR CAMP
6. CAMPER/COUNSELOR RATIO: 1:4 IN JUNIOR CAMP (TOTAL 100-140) TWO & FOUR WEEK
   1:4 IN INTERMEDIATE CAMP (TOTAL 80-100) TWO WEEK
   1:6 IN INTERMEDIATE/SENIOR CAMP (TOTAL 140-200) FOUR WEEK
7. SALARY(STARTING): $250 PER WEEK PLUS ROOM, BOARD, LAUNDRY. ($250 BONUS FOR SIX WEEKS)
8. PHILOSOPHY: NAKANAWA IS A TRADITIONAL, STRUCTURED, CAMP FOR GIRLS OFFERING A PROGRAM DESIGNED TO ENABLE EACH CAMPER TO ACQUIRE SKILLS IN VARIOUS ACTIVITIES IN AN ATMOSPHERE THAT DEVELOPS CHARACTER AND A SPIRIT OF UNSELFISHNESS. IT IS A FUN ENVIRONMENT IN WHICH TO MAKE LIFETIME FRIENDSHIPS AND GAIN TRUE SELF CONFIDENCE.
9. COUNSELOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES: (minimum staff age: 18; prefer having completed freshman year)
   #1. Cabin Counselor: Role model and leader to a group of 4 to 8 girls living in a cabin together.
   #2. Activity Instructor: Teach and assist with one or more activities.
   #3. Committee Assignment: You will serve on one or two committees of your choice.
   #4. Give of yourself to the campers; always put them first above all else.
10. TIME OFF: TWO WEEK SESSION–TWO ½ DAY OFFS (6 HOURS EACH). FOUR WEEK SESSION–TWO ½ DAY OFFS (6 HOURS EACH), ONE DAY OFF (12 HOURS), ONE 24 HOUR LEAVE, ONE 24 HOUR LEAVE BETWEEN SESSIONS.
11. CAMPER ARRIVAL DATES: TWO WEEK – SUNDAY, JUNE 17TH; FOUR WEEK – MONDAY, JULY 2ND.

12. **NO SMOKING,ALCOHOL OR DRUGS ARE ALLOWED OR WILL BE TOLERATED ON CAMP PROPERTY.**

13. AS A COUNSELOR, YOU WILL BE GIVING UP A GREAT DEAL OF PRIVACY AND COMFORT, WORKING LONG AND DEMANDING HOURS, ADHERING TO CAMP POLICIES WHICH MAY NOT REFLECT YOUR WAY OF LIVING (CURFEWS, TIME ON, TIME OFF, LACK OF PRIVACY, NO SMOKING, NO DRINKING ALCOHOL, ETC.). IF YOU FORESEE A PROBLEM COMPLYING WITH THIS LIFESTYLE, PLEASE DO NOT APPLY.
14. BEING A CAMP COUNSELOR CAN BE THE MOST REWARDING AND GRATIFYING JOB YOU CAN EVER PURSUE. YOU WILL LEARN ABOUT YOURSELF, OTHERS, AND DISCOVER TALENTS AND PERHAPS A WEAKNESS. IF NAKANAWA SOUNDS LIKE IT IS FOR YOU, WE LOOK FORWARD TO RECEIVING YOUR COMPLETED APPLICATION AND THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS, PLEASE CONTACT US. WE WELCOME YOUR INQUIRIES.