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**2017 AUDUBON SUMMER ADVENTURE CAMP**

**Application for Youth Volunteer Positions**

Please complete the following application and return it by **Saturday,** **April 15th, 2017**.

Please return it by emailing it to sfunk@audubon.org, or mail it to the Randall Davey Audubon Center & Sanctuary, P.O. Box 9314, Santa Fe, NM 87504.

**\*\*\*Application process includes written application, review of recent school transcripts and interview\*\*\***

**Application for (please check one)**

[ ]  **Junior Naturalist-in-Training** (13 -14 years old)

[ ]  **Senior Naturalist-in-Training** (15 + years old)

**Name:**

**Parent/Guardian’s Name:**

**(If under the age of 18)**

**Address:**

*Street City State Zip*

Parent Telephone Number: Cell:

Applicant Telephone Number: Cell:

Parent Email:

Applicant Email:

**Grade completed by** the end of the 2016-2017 school year, **and age** by the start of summer, 2017:

School Attending:

**Please answer the following questions. Feel free to provide examples to help illustrate your points more clearly. All answers should total no more than 2 pages.**

1. Why do you want to volunteer to help out with RDAC Summer Camp?
2. Please briefly describe your experience interacting with children.
3. Tell us about any prior Audubon camp participation or other volunteer experience you have had.
4. Why do you think you are a good candidate for this volunteer position?
5. What kind of job or career do you think would be really cool to have in the future?

**Time Requirements:**

* **All volunteers are required to attend two training sessions with Audubon staff in late May, and then commit to volunteering at least two weeks out of nine available weeks of camp. Only Senior Naturalists-in-Training will be permitted to volunteer during Peregrine camps (camps for ages 9-12).**

Please place an “X” next to **ALL** the camps you are available. You may number your preferences to the side. We will do our best to accommodate requests.

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|  **­­­ ­­­­­­­­**  | **Week** | **Dates** | **Camp** | **Ages** |
|[ ]  **1** | **June 5th to 9th** | **Enchanted Forest** | **Chickadees** 5 to 7 |
|[ ]  **2** | **June 12th to 16th** | **Brainy Birds** | **Towhees** 7 to 10 |
|[ ]  **3** | **June 19th to 23rd** | **Eco-Explorers** | **Peregrines** 9 to 12 |
|[ ]  **4** | **June 26th to June 30th** | **Wild at Art** | **Towhees** 7 to 10 |
|[ ]  **5** | **July 5th to 7th** Wednesday - Friday | **Sensational Nature** | **Chickadees** 5 to 7 |
|[ ]  **6** | **July 10th to 14th** | **Time Travelers** | **Peregrines** 9 to 12 |
|[ ]  **7** | **July 17th to 21st** | **Nature Survivors Camp** | **Towhees** 7 to 10 |
|[ ]  **8** | **July 24th to 28th** | **Pollinator Planet** | **Chickadees** 5 to 7 |
|[ ]  **9** | **July 31st to August 4th** | **Young Naturalist Club** | **Peregrines** 9 to 12 |