

Uplands Reach Conference Center 2012 Boot Camp

Boot Camper Application

2012 Boot Camp Dates

June 11 – July 31

To be eligible for Boot Camp, prospective Boot Campers MUST be 15 years old by June 1, committed to being on campus for the duration of the term, and committed to having all funds remitted by the date specified.

THIS APPLICATION CONSISTS OF THREE SECTIONS
Your application will be accepted and reviewed only
when ALL THREE sections are completed and returned to:

**Uplands Reach Conference Center
P. O. Box 830
Millers Creek, NC, 28651**

- 1. BOOT CAMPER APPLICATION:** Fill the application out completely, using additional paper if needed. Sign it and return it to URCC with your non-refundable application fee of \$100 no later than March 1, 2012. A parent must also sign if the applicant is under 18.
- 2. FINANCES AND SUPPORT FORM:** You (and your parents/guardians if you are under 18) must sign this form.
- 3. PASTORAL REFERENCE FORM:** Please complete the top portion of the Pastoral Reference form before giving it to your pastor. Have your senior pastor, assistant pastor or youth pastor complete this form; ask him/her to return it to the URCC office directly. As a courtesy, and to expedite the process, provide your pastor with a stamped envelope addressed to Uplands Reach.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Application Packets will be reviewed as URCC receives them. URCC leadership will notify all candidates of their acceptance status no later than March 31. Once accepted, you will receive an information packet by mail that will include all of the necessary insurance/liability waivers and other important information.

Because of the intensity of the program, URCC's right to disqualify any applicant based on spiritual, emotional, and/or physical reasons will not be based solely on the responses to the questions contained herein. Therefore, the attitude, honesty, integrity and sincerity of the applicant, as they are revealed through his/her responses, will be considered by URCC leadership.

In addition to reviewing this written application, a member of the URCC leadership team may contact you for a personal interview either by phone or in person.

Attach a photo of yourself to this application. The photo can be a headshot or just a snapshot. This photo is required in order to complete the application process and will not be returned.

Attach a
non-returnable
photograph
here.

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Name (Please print clearly)

First _____ Middle _____ Last _____

Home Address: _____ T-Shirt Size: (circle one) S M L XL XXL

Street _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone (_____) _____ Cell Phone (_____) _____

Work Phone (_____) _____ E-mail Address: _____

Are you on facebook? Yes No What is your username? _____

Age _____ Birth Date ____/____/____ Sex (circle one): Male Female

EDUCATION:

Please circle the type of school you are currently attending or most recent year completed:

High School College/University Post Graduate

Year currently in High School (circle one):

9th 10th 11th 12th Graduated

Home-schooled (circle one):

Yes No

COLLEGE INFO: (if applicable)

(Circle one): Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior Post Graduate

Major _____ Minor _____

Name of School _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number (_____) _____ Ext _____

Address while at school (College or University only)

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number (_____) _____ Ext _____

WORK EXPERIENCE:

Please provide information relating to your last three work experiences (if applicable):

Dates of Employment From To	Name and Address of Employer/Business	Supervisor's Name and Contact Number	Reason You Left
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Describe your duties/responsibilities: _____

Dates of Employment From To	Name and Address of Employer/Business	Supervisor's Name and Contact Number	Reason You Left
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Describe your duties/responsibilities: _____

Dates of Employment From To	Name and Address of Employer/Business	Supervisor's Name and Contact Number	Reason You Left
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Describe your duties/responsibilities: _____

FAMILY INFORMATION:

Father's/Male Guardian's Name _____ Home Phone (____) _____

Father's/Male Guardian's Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Father's/Male Guardian's Place of Employment _____

Job Title _____ Work Phone (____) _____ Ext _____

Mother's/Female Guardian's Name _____ Home Phone (____) _____

Mother's/Female Guardian's Address (if different from above) _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Mother's/Female Guardian's Place of Employment _____

Job Title _____ Work Phone (____) _____ Ext _____

HOME CHURCH INFORMATION:

Church Name _____ Denomination _____

Church Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (____) _____

Senior Pastor _____ Youth Pastor _____

MEDICAL/OTHER INFORMATION:

Because Boot Camp is demanding, from both a physical and emotional standpoint, the following information is required. Please give complete and accurate information. Use additional sheets for explanation if necessary. **Upon acceptance to the Boot Camp program, participants will be required to have a physical examination form (which will be included in the acceptance packet) completed by a physician.**

(Circle one)

Yes No Do you have a heart condition, including a heart murmur? If yes, please explain:

Yes No Are you subject to fainting spells or dizziness? If yes, please explain:

Yes No Are you a "Medic Alert" patient? If yes, please explain:

Yes No Do you have any allergies? If yes, please explain:

Yes No Are you a hemophiliac? If yes, please explain:

Yes No Do you have ulcers? If yes, please explain:

Yes No Do you currently have epilepsy or any seizure disorder? If yes, please explain:

Yes No Are you diabetic? If yes, please explain:

Yes	No	Do you have any illness that is or might be contagious to others? If yes, please explain: _____ _____
Yes	No	Do you have any daily mandatory medical needs? If yes, please explain: _____ _____
Yes	No	Do you have any food allergies? If yes, please give detailed information about what you cannot eat as this helps URCC in meal planning: _____ _____
Yes	No	Do you have any condition not already mentioned which might hinder you on any unusually strenuous day with URCC? If yes, please explain: _____ _____
Yes	No	Do you currently have an eating disorder diagnosed as Bulimia, Anorexia Nervosa or a compulsive eating disorder? If yes, please explain: _____ _____
Yes	No	Do you currently abuse any substances including alcohol or any legal or illegal drugs? _____ _____
Yes	No	Do you have any past or present record with the police? If yes, please explain: _____ _____

Uplands Reach Conference Center is a ministry with an express purpose of spreading the gospel of Jesus Christ. Is there any reason you would not be able to participate in and contribute to this mission? _____

ESSAY QUESTIONS (PLEASE USE SEPARATE PAGES)

1. How long have you been a Christian? When, where, and why did you make your personal commitment to Jesus Christ?
2. Describe your present relationship with Jesus Christ. Include insight into the areas of your Christian walk in which God is actively working, and also those areas of your walk with which you struggle.
3. Explain your reasons for wanting to be a URCC Boot Camper.
4. List/describe your drama background, musical or technical talents, lifeguard certification or any other talents or abilities that could enhance the URCC Boot Camp Program.
5. Describe all work or ministry experience, interests or hobbies, which have not been included elsewhere in the application that could benefit the URCC Boot Camp Program.

ADDITIONAL REFERENCES

Please provide URCC with an additional personal reference from someone other than a family member or your pastor.

Personal Reference:

Name _____

Relationship _____

Home Phone (_____) _____ Work Phone (_____) _____

Applicant Signature:

To the best of my knowledge, the information provided in this application is accurate and complete. I understand the failure to be honest with regard to this information could disqualify me from participation in Uplands Reach Conference Center's 2012 Boot Camp. I also understand that the use of tobacco, drugs, and alcohol is prohibited during the Boot Camp term; and I consent to abide by URCC policies and procedures. Furthermore, I have read, understood, and agreed to the financial policies as stated in the "Support and Finances" section.

Signature X _____ Date _____

Parental Permission:

(If under 18, you must have your parent(s)/guardian(s) full consent to be involved with Uplands Reach Conference Center's 2012 Boot Camp Program.)

Please Print Neatly

_____, the parent(s)/guardian(s) of _____ give(s) permission for him/her to participate in Uplands Reach Conference Center's 2012 Boot Camp Program. Furthermore, I (we) have read, understood, and agreed to the financial policies as stated in the "Support and Finances" section.

Signature X _____ Date _____

FINANCES AND SUPPORT

URCC 2012 Boot Camp

Parents (Guardians)/Candidates: Please read and sign the following financial and support agreement.

Since this is a mission program, all boot campers are required to raise their own financial support. Your church family, immediate family, friends, and business associates are all excellent resources to help fund your Boot Camp. Uplands Reach will gladly give you fundraising ideas to help you raise your financial support should you need it. The total cost for this program is \$1,500.00. There are a few important details to remember and discuss with your family before agreeing to be a part of this program. These are:

1. Once URCC notifies you of your acceptance to the program, you have 10 business days to confirm your place in the program. To confirm your place, you **must** notify the URCC office staff by phone (336.667.7177) of your intention to be a participant in the URCC 2012 Boot Camp. URCC office hours are Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. *If you fail to notify us of your intention to participate within this timeframe, you will have to resubmit all three parts of the application, including the \$100 application fee.*
2. **The balance of your Boot Camp fee is due in the URCC office no later than May 18, 2012.**
3. The following items will not be paid from the Boot Camp fee and are therefore your financial responsibility:

Transportation/incidentals, meals to and from URCC.

Spending money/incidentals while in the program. (It is wise for Boot Campers to have some spending money with them during the term. URCC is tentatively planning some recreational trips, which for the most part will be paid for by URCC, but you might want extra money for souvenirs, etc.)

4. All checks, money orders, etc., should be made payable to Uplands Reach Conference Center.

If you have any questions about the application, please do not hesitate to call the URCC office at (336) 667-7177.

I hereby understand and agree to all of the details concerning finances for the 2012 Boot Camp program.

Candidate's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent's/
Guardian's Signature _____ Date _____
(If applicant is under 18 years of age)

Uplands Reach Conference Center 2012 Boot Camp Application Packet
Uplands Reach Conference Center, P. O. Box 830, Millers Creek, NC, 28651
Phone: (336) 667-7177 Fax: (336) 838-8446
www.uplandsreach.org

Uplands Reach Conference Center
2012 Boot Camp
Pastoral Reference

Top portion to be completed by Boot Camper candidate:

(Please print neatly)

First Name _____ Middle _____ Last _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail Address _____ Home Phone (____) _____

Cell Phone (____) _____ Work Phone (____) _____

Age _____ Birth Date ____/____/____

Please read the following statement and sign before distributing this Pastoral Reference form. This form should be completed by the senior pastor, an assistant pastor or youth pastor of your home church and returned by him/her directly to Uplands Reach Conference Center.

I, _____, understand that this confidential statement is being submitted to Uplands Reach Conference Center with the understanding that its contents will not be shared with me. I hereby waive my right to see the confidential statements submitted on this form.

Signature of Candidate

X _____ Date _____

The remainder of the form to be completed by the pastor:

Dear Pastor,

Each Boot Camper candidate for the Uplands Reach Conference Center's 2012 program must submit a pastoral reference. Serious consideration will be given to your comments; therefore, URCC leadership asks that you complete the form carefully and candidly as its contents will not be shared with the candidate. This reference form should be returned directly to Uplands Reach Conference Center by mail or fax.

1. How long have you known the candidate? _____

2. How well do you know him/her spiritually? (Circle one)

Not at all 1 2 3 4 5 Very Well

3. To your knowledge, has this candidate made a meaningful personal commitment to Jesus Christ?

4. Please rate the candidate's involvement in church activities. (Circle one)

Not involved 1 2 3 4 5 Very Involved

5. What do you consider the candidate's strengths?

6. What do you consider the candidate's weaknesses?

7. How does this person respond to those in leadership?

8. How does the candidate interact in group situations?

Additional Comments:

Please rate the candidate in the following areas on a 1 to 5 scale, 1 being poor, 5 being excellent. Circle n/c if no chance to observe.

Leadership	n/c	1	2	3	4	5
Responsibility	n/c	1	2	3	4	5
Christian Commitment	n/c	1	2	3	4	5
Initiative	n/c	1	2	3	4	5
Cooperativeness	n/c	1	2	3	4	5
Moral Character	n/c	1	2	3	4	5
Health	n/c	1	2	3	4	5
Social Adaptability	n/c	1	2	3	4	5
Integrity and Honesty	n/c	1	2	3	4	5
Emotional Stability	n/c	1	2	3	4	5

Please check the terms which best describe the candidate's attitude toward the church and its activities. Check all that apply.

<input type="checkbox"/> Warmhearted	<input type="checkbox"/> Contemptuous	<input type="checkbox"/> Condescending	<input type="checkbox"/> Loving
<input type="checkbox"/> Sympathetic	<input type="checkbox"/> Absent	<input type="checkbox"/> Involved	<input type="checkbox"/> Critical
<input type="checkbox"/> Passive	<input type="checkbox"/> Enthusiastic	<input type="checkbox"/> Respectful	<input type="checkbox"/> Inconsistent

Do you recommend this person's involvement in Uplands Reach Conference Center's 2012 Boot Camp program?

Yes No Not sure, please call me

Name of Pastoral Reference

X _____
Signature

Position

Church, School, or Organizational Name

Street Address

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number (_____) _____

If you know of anyone else who would be interested in receiving information about Uplands Reach Conference Center's 2012 Boot Camp Program, please fill in the following:

Name	Mailing Address	Phone Number
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

PLEASE RETURN THIS REFERENCE FORM TO:

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