

# 4-H Camp Counselors needed...

**DATE:** January 10, 2024

**TO:** All 4-H Members 15-19 Years Old by January 1, 2024

**FROM:** Kayla Mitchell, Program Coordinator - 4-H Youth Development

**RE:** 2024 4-H Camp Counselor Application/Selection Process

Do you enjoy both the "great outdoors" and working with younger 4-H members? Then 4-H has a great opportunity for you! Summer 4-H Camp is set for **June 10-12, 2024**, and we're looking for qualified 4-H teens to serve as **Camp Counselors!**

Following are the qualifications for serving as a 4-H camp counselor:

- ◆ Must be a currently enrolled St. Joseph County 4-H member.
- ◆ Must be 15-19 years old by January 1, 2024.
- ◆ Prior experience working with youth 8-12 years of age desired, but not required.
- ◆ Must be available to attend training on Saturday, April 13 and Sunday, April 14 at Amigo Centre in Sturgis. If there is a conflict, please note that on your application.
- ◆ Must be available to work full time at Summer 4-H Camp. This includes participation in camp set-up starting at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, June 9 and continuing through the release of campers at 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 12. **Note:** Summer 4-H Camp officially starts on Monday, June 10 at 9:00 a.m. with registration of campers.



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4-H Camp Counselor Interviews will be held on **Saturday, February 16, 2024** in 10-minute intervals **starting at 10:00 a.m.** at the St. Joseph County MSU Extension office in Centreville, and will be conducted by a three-person team.

**Camp Counselor Application/Interview Process:** Please complete the following two (2) application steps by no later than **Friday, February 9, 2024** if you are interested in applying for a 4-H camp counselor position.

**Step No. 1** - Complete and print the ***4-H Camp Counselor Application Form*** and return it to the St. Joseph County MSU Extension office by **Friday, February 9, 2024**. If you mail your application, make sure you mail it early enough so it arrives at the Extension office by this deadline!

**Step No. 2** - Call the MSU Extension office at 269-467-5511 to schedule your interview.

**Notification of Results of Application/Interview Process:** Applicants will receive a letter indicating the outcome of the selection process following the interviews.

Please do not hesitate to call the office at 269-467-5511 if you have any questions regarding information contained in this letter or on the Camp Counselor Application Form.