Girl Guides of Canada – BC Camping Committee

**PROVINCIAL & INTERPROVINCIAL CAMP/EVENT APPLICATION**

**For Guiders**

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| **Name**:       | **Birth Date**:       |
| **Address**:       |
| **City/Town**:       | **Postal Code**:       |
| **Phone Number**: (     )-     -      | **iMIS Number**:       |
| **Email that is checked regularly**:       |
| **Unit**:       | **District**:       |
| **Area**:       | **Image Release:** Yes [ ]  No [ ]  |
| **Years in Guiding:** Girl       Adult        | **Valid Driver’s License:** Yes [ ]  No [ ]  |
| **Have you done a Swim Test?** Yes [ ]  No [ ]  | **Have you done a Boat Test?** Yes [ ]  No [ ]  |
| **Current Position(s) in Guiding:**       |
| **Past Position(s) in Guiding:**       |
| **Camp(s)/Event(s) applied for (in order of preference):**1.
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| **Qualifications:**First Aid (Level & Expiration Date): Waterfront (Level & Expiration Date): Other if applicable such as Food Safe, Canoe/Kayak Certifications, etc. (Level & Expiration Date): What aspects of Guiding do you most enjoy? Interests and hobbies outside of Guiding: What interprovincial/international experience do you have that is relevant to this camp? What education, employment, volunteer, and/or life experience do you have that is relevant to this camp/event? Have you accompanied girls on an overnight Guiding camp/event outside of your area? If so, please give details. Are you subject to motion sickness (carsickness or seasickness)? Yes [ ]  No [ ] If yes, how will you manage this during this camp/event?   |

**Camping Experiences within Guiding** (as an adult only): Please attach an extra sheet or adventure trip log if applicable.

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| Date | LocationGirl Guide camp, provincial campsite, etc | Residential (R)Tenting (T)Adventure (A) | Number of Nights | Type of Cooking(patrol/QM, etc) | Method of Cooking (propane, white gas, fire, tin foil oven) | ResponsibleGuider (Y/N) |
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**Camping Experiences outside of Guiding** (as an adult only):

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**Applicant’s letter:**
In your own words, please write a letter stating why you feel you should be chosen for this camp/event, what you expect to contribute to the camp/event and if applicable, to your host family (if applicable) and to the province you will be visiting. Also tell us what you expect to gain from this camp/event and how you feel you will be able to share it with your Unit/District/Area/Province. (500 words or less)

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**GUIDING REFERENCE FORM for Adult Applicant**

To be completed by applicant prior to giving to the Guider writing the reference.

Applicant’s name:

Name of Camp/Event:

This form is to be returned by  to camp@bc-girlguides.org or

Girl Guides of Canada – BC Council

 1476 West 8th Avenue

 Vancouver, BC V6H 1E1

Brief description of camp/event from the information page:

Guider who has camped with the applicant and has been asked to write this reference:

Guider’s Name:

Guiding Position:

**GUIDER:** The applicant has chosen you to fill out the reference form on the reverse side to accompany her application for the camps/events listed above. **In order to preserve confidentiality, you are requested to return the completed form directly to** **camp@bc-girlguides.org** **or mail to the address above.**

In order to help us in selecting the most suitable candidates for each camp/event, your **honest**, detailed evaluation (point form is acceptable) of the applicant's qualities is essential. The guidelines are suggestions only—your comments from personal observation are important for the selection process­­­­

1. **How long have you known the applicant, and in what capacity**?
2. **Personal Appearance & Hygiene:** what overall impression does the applicant give? How does she feel about wearing her uniform? Can she keep clean in a rustic camp situation (i.e. when using porta-potties/pit toilets, sponge baths, and solar shower)?
Rating: 1 [ ]  2 [ ]  3[ ]  4[ ]  5 [ ]
Comments:
3. **Care of Camp and Personal Equipment:** How does the applicant demonstrate responsibility for camp equipment (tents, stoves, patrol equipment, etc.) and her own and others personal belongings? Rating: 1 [ ]  2 [ ]  3[ ]  4[ ]  5 [ ]
Comments:
4. **Social and Emotional Maturity:** Comment on the applicant’s courtesy, tolerance, adaptability, poise, capability, expression of thought, awareness and sincerity.
Rating: 1 [ ]  2 [ ]  3[ ]  4[ ]  5 [ ]
Comments:
5. **Relationships:** Describe the applicant’s relationship with Guiders and girls at camp.
Rating: 1 [ ]  2 [ ]  3[ ]  4[ ]  5 [ ]
Comments:
6. **Adaptability:** How does the applicant adapt to difficult or different camping conditions including unexpected changes in plans or stressful situations?
Rating: 1 [ ]  2 [ ]  3[ ]  4[ ]  5 [ ]
Comments:
7. **Camping skills:** What specific camping skills does the applicant possess?
8. **What specific qualities make this applicant a suitable person for this event?** Does she have any outstanding personality traits or skills, camping or other, which would enhance the experience she and others would have at this camp/event?
9. Please provide any additional comments that will help the selection committee decide whether or not this applicant is ready and prepared to attend this camp/event.
10. Please rate the applicant overall: 1 [ ]  2 [ ]  3[ ]  4[ ]  5 [ ]
11. Do you fully recommend this candidate for this camp/event? Yes [ ]  No [ ]

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| Guider Name:       | Signature or iMIS #:       | Date:       |

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**NON-GUIDING REFERENCE FORM for Adult Applicant**

To be completed by applicant prior to giving to the person writing the reference.

Applicant’s name:

Name of Camp/Event:

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 Vancouver, BC V6H 1E1

Brief description of camp/event from the information page:

Person who has camped with the applicant and has been asked to write this reference:

Name:

How do you know this applicant?

For how long?

**REFERENCE WRITER:** The applicant has chosen you to fill out the reference form on the reverse side to accompany her application for the camps/events listed above. **In order to preserve confidentiality, you are requested to return the completed form directly to** **camp@bc-girlguides.org** **or mailed to the address above.**

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1. **Personal Appearance & Hygiene:** what overall impression does the applicant give?
Rating: 1 [ ]  2 [ ]  3[ ]  4[ ]  5 [ ]
Comments:
2. **Care of Camp and Personal Equipment:** How does the applicant demonstrate responsibility for her own and others personal belongings? Rating: 1 [ ]  2 [ ]  3[ ]  4[ ]  5 [ ]
Comments:
3. **Social and Emotional Maturity:** Comment on the applicant’s courtesy, tolerance, adaptability, poise, capability, expression of thought, awareness and sincerity.
Rating: 1 [ ]  2 [ ]  3[ ]  4[ ]  5 [ ]
Comments:
4. **Relationships:** Describe the applicant’s relationship with adults and her peers.
5. **Adaptability:** How does the applicant adapt to difficult or different conditions including unexpected changes in plans or stressful situations?
6. **What specific qualities make this applicant a suitable person for this event?** Does she have any outstanding personality traits or skills which would enhance the experience she and others would have at this camp/event?
7. Please provide any additional comments that will help the selection committee decide whether or not this applicant is ready and prepared to attend this camp/event.
8. Please rate the applicant overall: 1 [ ]  2 [ ]  3[ ]  4[ ]  5 [ ]
9. Do you fully recommend this candidate for this camp/event? Yes [ ]  No [ ]

Name:

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

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