

WHAT IS *Hidden Acres?*

Hidden Acres Christian Center is a camp and conference center purchased in 1979 by the Central District Evangelical Free Churches. Our mission is to be “a place set apart to encounter Jesus.”

We are located on 660 forested acres near Dayton, Iowa, in the beautiful Des Moines River Valley. Today we have more than 60 buildings, housing for over 800, and a dining hall that seats 1,000. We typically host over 20,000 guests each year. Last summer, we had over 3,800 summer campers and 180 summer staff.

IMPORTANT DATES: *Summer Staff 2025*

- **ONLINE EQUIPPING CLASS BEGINS**
February 3, 2025
- **SPRING TRAINING**
April 4 - 6, 2025
- **INTERN TRAINING WEEK**
May 19 - 26, 2025
- **SUMMER STAFF TRAINING WEEK**
May 27 - 30, 2025
- **SUMMER CAMP 2024 DATES**
June 1 - July 18, 2025

QUESTIONS? *Reach out to us!*

Scan the QR code on the right to fill out our Quick Info Form. This will allow us to contact you and answer your questions about summer staff!



Hidden Acres' **SUMMER STAFF**

*Supporting the local church by using camp experiences
to equip students to serve and lead wherever they go*



POSITIONS & REQUIREMENTS

Positions Available

COUNSELOR

leads a group of campers



- Junior Counselor
- Senior Counselor
- T3 Counselor
- AW Counselor
- Quad Leader

SPECIALIST

oversees the operations of the camp program



- Airsoft
- Kitchen
- Maintenance
- Photography
- Wrangler
- And more!

INTERN

leads other summer staff



- Lead Ministry
- Counseling
- High School
- Day Camp
- Specialist
- And more!

Job Requirements

- Must be a follower of Jesus Christ, who shows evidence of their faith through word and deed
- Must be able to meet our four core staff objectives: Connect, Guide, Protect, and Teach
- Must be willing to work in different capacities for the sake of serving campers & sharing the gospel
- Must be humble, teachable, and a team player
- Must be at least 15 years old by the start of camp
- Must abide by Hidden Acres' Statement of Faith

HIDDEN ACRES' STATEMENT OF FAITH

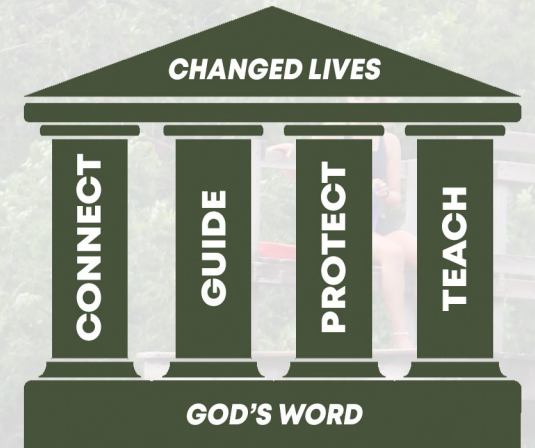


OBJECTIVES & APPLICATION

Summer Staff Objectives

We have four objectives for our summer staff that reflect our mission, vision, and values. They are so crucial to our ministry that we call them our "Four Pillars."

We build relationships (**CONNECT**), lead by example (**GUIDE**), keep camp safe (**PROTECT**), and proclaim the gospel (**TEACH**). If any of these are missing, we're not doing our job. All of this is based on God's Word and leads to changed lives.



Why Apply?

- Spiritual Growth
- Experiential Leadership
- Intentional Discipleship
- Lifelong Relationships
- Personal Development
- A Summer of Fun!

Apply Online Today! Visit: HACAMPS.ORG/SUMMER-STAFF

FOUR REFERENCES REQUIRED

Academic | Work Performance | Family | Pastor

INTERVIEW IN PERSON OR ON ZOOM

After we receive your application and references

APPLY BEFORE DECEMBER 1, 2024

To be entered to win an Amazon gift card!

