

Teen Leadership Program

Thank you for your interest in taking part of the City of Dunedin Parks & Recreation Department's Teen Leadership Program. The Teen Leadership Program is designed to give Community Involved Teens (CIT's) **age 13 (as of January 1st, 2017) – 16 years old (through August 4, 2017)** a sense of pride and ownership through volunteering and preparing you for a future role within the workforce.

Your commitment will be to attend trainings and complete **(6) weeks** with the Dunedin Parks & Recreation Department during summer camp the weeks of May 30 – August 4.

Please complete the attached:

- Program application
- Essay on back of application
- Local Criminal Records Check with stamp of approval from Pinellas County Sheriff's Department. A juvenile seeking a background check must go to the Sheriff's Office- 737 Loudon Ave, Dunedin, FL 34698 with photo identification (Florida I.D. card, Driver's License or Passport) or a parent/guardian may obtain the background information with an original birth certificate of the juvenile and their proper photo identification.
- Attach reference letter from a non-relative.

Return these items to the Dunedin Community Center **by March 24, 2017**. Please schedule an interview when you drop off your application.



"The mission of the Dunedin Teen Leadership Program is to provide opportunities for teens in the community to grow as future leaders by training and working with our Parks & Recreation Department staff throughout the year."

Sponsored by the Derek Teele Foundation

Received date: _____

Staff initial: _____

City of Dunedin Parks & Recreation Department

Teen Leadership Program Application

Applicant Legal Name _____

Date of Birth _____

Age as of January 1, 2017 _____

Address (Street, City, ZIP) _____

Home Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Email Address _____

Last Grade Completed _____

GPA _____

What interests you in being a teen leader?

Are you involved in any student-related clubs, service organizations or groups? What other volunteer experience do you have?

Do you have any certifications, or any official training that can be useful as a TLP participant? (First aid, etc.)

Do you have any previous experience in working with children? If so, what age group?

As a participant in the Teen Leadership Program (TLP), the participant must be 13 as of January 1, 2017- 16 years old through August 4, 2017 and must attend trainings and commit to six (6) full weeks of summer camp. These weeks do not need to be consecutive and may fall anywhere within the 10-week schedule. Please mark all weeks you are available:

| Week 1 | Week 2 | Week 3 | Week 4 | Week 5 | Week 6 | Week 7 | Week 8 | Week 9 | Week 10 |
|----------|---------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|
| 5/30-6/2 | 6/5-6/9 | 6/12-6/16 | 6/19-6/23 | 6/26-6/30 | 7/3-7/7 No Camp 7/4 | 7/10-7/14 | 7/17-7/21 | 7/24-7/28 | 7/31-8/4 |
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LOCAL CRIMINAL RECORDS CHECK

Date: _____

Dear Sheriff _____:

Pursuant to Chapter 435, F.S., City of Dunedin
(name of facility)

Requests a local records check on the applicant listed below:

Full Name _____
*Last First Middle/Maiden Other Names
Known By*

Sex _____ Race _____ Date of Birth _____

Social Security Number _____

Current Address _____

City State Zip Code

Name of Director Dunedin Parks & Recreation Department

Address 550 Laura Lane, Dunedin FL 34698

Telephone number 727-738-2920 Fax Number 727-734-2839

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Pinellas County Sheriff's Department

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