

United Methodist Church of Montevideo VBS '22
"NORB-E Out-of-this-World Mission to God's Glory..."
August 7-11, 2022 (Sunday-Thursday)
Youth Volunteer Application

I would like to volunteer as a (check all that apply)

- ☐ Group Guide (*Help group of children go thru VBS*)
☐ Youth Team Leader (Must be at least 10th Grade and Helped with VBS at least 2x)
☐ Station Helper (Circle which applies: Games/Crafts/Story-Time/Music)
☐ Floater Helper
☐ I am willing to serve wherever help is needed.

The Guides act as helpers (along with adults) for children who are pre-kindergarteners through going into 6th grade. All youth volunteers are responsible for reading the attached list of responsibilities "Volunteer Expectations", attending the volunteer training session (Wed. Aug. 3rd), reading any printed information distributed at the volunteer training session, and following the policies and procedures as provided.

Name _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Birthdate _____ Age _____ Grade completed as of June 2022 _____

Please answer the following questions:

1. Have you volunteered before at ANY Vacation Bible School (VBS)? ☐ Yes ☐ No
2. Approximately how many years have you attended or helped to lead VBS? # of Years _____
3. Describe any previous experience you have had working with children. For example, Boy/Girl Scouts, 4H, coaching, tutoring, camps, teaching Sunday School, babysitting, etc.

4. Which age groups do you prefer to work with? ☐ Pre-K to Kindergarten ☐ 1st-2nd Graders
☐ 3rd-4th Graders ☐ 5th-6th Graders ☐ No preference

5. Do you have any questions about being a counselor or volunteering at VBS? _____

(Over)

Personal Reference: List a supervisory leader/teacher/pastor and one other adult (not a relative).

Name _____ Address _____

Phone _____

Time Commitment & Responsibilities (check to indicate "Yes")

_____ I understand VBS is a 5 day (Sunday-Thursdays) experience from 5:30-8:00pm.

_____ I have read the attached list of responsibilities ("Volunteer Expectations") and I understand them.

_____ I will attend Youth Volunteer Training on Wednesday, August 3rd at UMC of Montevideo from 5:30-7:30pm. (If not, state reason):

Youth Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Name (please print)

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Return your completed application and health form to:

UMC of Montevideo

Attn: Pastor Sam Kautz

731 N. 11th Street Montevideo, MN 56265

No later than Sunday, July 31st. Thank you!

Youth Volunteer/Counselor questions? Contact Pastor Sam Kautz at 218-349-5334 (calls/texts) or 218-269-9054 (office) or umcpastorsam.kautz@gmail.com.

PLEASE NOTE

Youth Helper/Guides Training will be

Wednesday, August 3rd, from 5:30-7:30pm

(Set-Up/Training/Decorate/Packets Together/Root Beer Floats/Etc.)

United Methodist Church of Montevideo

731 N. 11th Street

ALL YOUTH VOLUNTEERS ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND!



UMC of Montevideo VBS '22
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Youth Volunteer Health Form

Name _____ Home Church _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Parent/Guardian _____

Phone (home) _____ (work) _____ (cell) _____

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If parent/guardian unavailable in an emergency, please notify:

Name _____ **Phone** _____ **Relationship to youth** _____

Do you have any special needs? _____

Do you have any allergic reactions to the following (check all that apply):

Penicillin _____ Pollens _____ Bee stings _____ Foods (specify) _____

Other allergies _____

What happens when you have a reaction? _____

How is it treated? Do you know how to manage your reaction? _____

Date of last Tetanus immunization _____ Will you be bringing any medications to

VBS with you? If so, please list them here _____

In an emergency, I hereby give permission to the VBS Staff to get my youth/child medical attention as soon as possible.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Please return your completed application and this health form
to UMC of Montevideo Church Office **by Sunday, July 31st**

VOLUNTEER EXPECTATIONS

Welcome to VBS '22! We are glad you have decided to be a youth volunteer/counselor and we hope you have a wonderful time! You have chosen to be an important part of this experience, and along with that go certain expectations. These are listed below. Please read them carefully.

FOR GUIDES

1. The first thing you need to do is learn the names of the children in your group and any important information about them (likes, dislikes, allergies/sensitivities, etc.)
2. Groups must stay together. For safety reasons you must stay with your group at all times.
3. You need to stay with your group at all the rotation stations and participate in the various activities (opening/closing/etc.). Please help your children when they need it.

FOR ALL YOUTH VOLUNTEERS

4. The needs of the children are more important than your own needs.
5. In the event of an emergency, contact one of the adult leaders immediately.
6. We expect that you will attend all five days.
7. Please make every effort to see that each child feels welcomed and cared for. Remember, YOU will be the person they look up to and admire, so it is largely up to you as to whether or not VBS will be a positive experience.
8. Have a good time!

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Wednesday, August 3rd from 5:30-7:30pm**

Aug. 3

**UMC of Montevideo
731 N. 11th St.
See you there!**

5:30 pm

Root Beer Float Treats...Yummy!