

Team Essentials

Any questions about this package should be directed to kirsty@miniyowe.com. See the "[Join Our Team](#)" webpage for a list of the staff positions available this summer.

1. Camp Sessions for Summer 2012

Dates/Location	Chemawa	South Camp	Edgewoods		Northwoods
June 23 – 27	Staff Week			Enterprise (June 24-July 7)	
June 27 – July 7	All Staff	Skills Week			LIT-Both Sessions
July 8 – 14	Discovery	Girls Camp	Boys Camp	Enterprise	LIT - Session 1
July 15 – 21	Discovery	Girls Camp	Boys Camp		
July 22 – 28	Discovery	Girls Camp	Boys Camp	Enterprise	Northwoods
July 29 – Aug 4	Discovery	Girls Camp	Boys Camp		LIT - Session 2
Aug 5 – 11	Discovery	Girls Camp	Boys Camp	Enterprise	
Aug 12 – 18	Discovery	Girls Camp	Boys Camp		Wake/Sail
Aug 19 – 25	Discovery	Girls Camp	Boys Camp	Enterprise	Sr. Co-Ed
Aug 26 – Sept 1	PRIME				

2. Police Checks

All staff members who work directly with children MUST have a Police Check on file that has been issued within the last 3 years (2010, 2011, 2012). Originals should be sent along with your acceptance package to the office. If you are under 18, we will send you a letter to take to your local police station.

We are also continuing to work with a company (myBackCheck) that will do police checks for us. If you are 18 or older, and haven't already obtained a current one, we can send you a link via e-mail that will allow you to submit information online and your police check will be sent directly to us. We will pay the fee for this service.

myBackCheck.com's step-by-step instructions:

1. Request an invitation from us by emailing office@miniyowe.com
2. Once you have received an invitation, follow the link to register and create an account with myBackCheck.com. Please record your login information (username and password) so you can access your account again in the future.
3. Once registered, you will receive a confirmation e-mail from myBackCheck.com. Open it to click on the web link.
4. Type in your username and password to log in. Once logged in, click on the 'Inbox' tab at the top of the page.
5. Click on the Camp Mini-Yo-We invitation.
6. Enter your identity information.
7. Disclose any criminal records.
8. Review the Term and Conditions.
9. Open the applicable consent form which will be pre-populated with your personal information.
10. Bring the Form and the proper identification (a photocopy AND the originals) to a Canada Post representative at any Canada Post outlet. See the list below for the list of acceptable ID.
11. The Canada Post representative will then submit the Form and copies of ID to myBackCheck.com via email or fax.

The following ID is required for BackCheck to begin to process a name-based criminal record check: 2 pieces of identification - One of which MUST be government issued and contain the applicant's full name, date of birth, signature and photo. The secondary piece of ID needs to allow you to validate the identity of the applicant and contains the applicant's full name; preferably secondary ID is also government issued ID, such as a Birth Certificate or SIN card.

➤ Acceptable Valid Government Issued Photo Identification:

- Provincial Driver's License
- Foreign Driver's License
- Canadian Citizenship Card
- Canadian Permanent Resident Card

- Certificate of Indian Status
- Passport (Canadian or International)
- International Student Identity Card
- Firearms Acquisition Certificate
- Canadian National Institute of the Blind Identification Card
- Military Family Identification Card

The ID needs to be legible when received by fax or email. In order to qualify as legible BackCheck will need to be able to clearly see the applicant's full name, date of birth, signature and photo.

The Consent Form must be fully completed and contain the applicant's full name, signature, gender, date of birth, place of birth, current address (including postal code) and any previous address.

3. Mandatory Training

The following training sessions are held at Camp.

LIT Weekend (LIT Leaders only)..... May 18-21, 2012

Program Staff Training Week..... June 23-27, 2012

All Staff Training Week..... June 27-July 1, 2012

Skills Week..... July 1-July 7, 2011

4. Spring Crew 2012

Do you plan to serve at Camp for a minimum of 6 weeks?

Are you a post-secondary student with school financial needs?

Are you interested in looking for some spring employment before volunteering at Camp?

If you answered yes to the above questions, check into our Spring Crew Program!

You must be approved to work at Camp BEFORE being able to participate on Spring Crew.

For more information or an application, please email office@miniyowe.com .

5. Financial Aid

Staff members who commit to working at Camp Mini-Yo-We for 4 or more weeks during the summer qualify for the following two programs.

1. The Seasonal Staff Allowance

2. The Seasonal Staff Fund

The Seasonal Staff Allowance

There is no need to apply. If you work 4 or more weeks, an allotted amount will be given to you for your service, depending on your position and number of weeks worked.

The Seasonal Staff Fund (formerly known as the Fisherman's Fund):

You **must apply** to this program **before June 27** to be part of it.

Due to government regulations, donors who wish to receive a receipt for Income Tax purposes can no longer direct funds to support an individual – they must support an organization or one of its programs. Therefore, we have set up a **Fund** in which participants work together to raise funds.

At the end of the summer, the money in the Fund is divided between the participants of the program based on conditions such as: how many weeks worked, position, how many letters were sent out, how many responses an individual brought into the fund, etc.

For full details on these programs, please visit the [Join Our Team/Accepted Summer Staff](#) section of our website.

6. Conditions of Service at Camp Mini-Yo-We

Please read the following conditions. If you accept these conditions and are willing to be subject to the rules governing Camp Mini-Yo-We, please sign the appropriate part of your application.

1. The Camp Director reserves the right to dismiss a staff member who, in his/her opinion, is a hazard to the safety and the rights of others, or who appears to him/her to have rejected the reasonable controls of Camp.
2. Staff members will receive a copy of Camp's Staff Manual. Staff members are required to have read and understood the manual, and follow the policies and procedures set out within it. Failure to do so may result

in dismissal by the Camp Director.

3. Precautions are taken for the safety and good health of our staff, but in the event of accident, sickness, Camp Mini-Yo-We Incorporated, including the Camp Directors and their staff, and the employees of facilities outside of the camp ground, are hereby released from any liability. Each staff member must be covered by Provincial Health Insurance or equivalent private medical insurance.
4. In case of medial emergency, I hereby give permission to the physician selected by the Camp Director to hospitalize, secure proper treatment for, and to order injection, anesthesia, or surgery for the staff member as named in this application.
5. In the event that a staff member requires special medication, diagnosis, or treatment beyond that which is possible at the camp, family members will be notified and will be charged with the additional expense of transportation and special care.
6. I give permission for Camp Mini-Yo-We to use any image or likeness or recording of me for promotional use. I also give permission for my name and address to be distributed on a staff mailing list.
7. I give permission to Camp Mini-Yo-We to retain the information in the staff application. All information will be kept confidential except address and telephone information which will be used for contact lists for staff.
8. I accept the Camp Mini-Yo-We statement of faith and mission statement, and will teach, instruct, and conduct myself in keeping with the beliefs set out therein.

7. Mission Statement & Statement of Faith

Mini-Yo-We is a Christian Camp whose mission is to reach and disciple young people with the message of Jesus Christ through excellence in camping and retreat programs.

- A. We believe that there is one God, eternally existent in three persons; Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. (*Duet 6:4; Neh 9:6; Matt 28:19; John 14:16-17; 1 Cor 8:6; 2 Cor 13:14; Eph 2:13-18*)
- B. We believe in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His substitutionary and atoning death through His shed blood, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father, and in His personal return in power and glory. (*Matt 1:23; John 1:1-2; John 1:14-18; Rom 3:24-25; 1 Pet 2:21-24; 1 John 2:1-2; Rev 3:10*)
- C. We believe all human beings are created in the image of God, but through sin of the first man Adam, separation from God has passed to the entire human race; therefore, all now have a sinful nature. We further believe that sin and its penalty of physical and spiritual death has passed on to the entire human race and, therefore, all people are subject to eternal judgment and cannot save themselves. (*Gen 1:27; Isa 53:6; Acts 17:24-28; Rom 3:10-12,23; Rom 5:12-19; Eph 4:18-32*)
- D. We believe in the inspiration of all Scriptures, originally given by God, that they are inerrant and the final authority of faith and life. (*Luke 4:4; 1 Thess 2:13; 2 Tim 3:16; 2 Peter 1:20-21*)
- E. We believe that, for the salvation of lost and sinful man, regeneration by the Holy Spirit is absolutely essential. Salvation is a gift of grace from God which man cannot earn through works, but only through faith in Jesus Christ. (*John 3:3-21; Rom 3:24-25; Rom 4:1-9; Eph 1:1-7; Titus 2:11-14; 1 Pet 2:24; 1 John 5:11-13; Eph 2:8-9*)
- F. We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit by Whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a Godly life. (*1 John 3:5; John 14:26; John 16:7-14; Acts 1:5-8; Acts 4:8,31; Rom 8:9,14,23; Rom 15:16; 1 Cor 6:19,20; Gal 5:6*)
- G. We believe in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost; they that are saved unto the resurrection of life, and they that are lost unto the resurrection of damnation. (*Luke 16:19-26; John 5:28-29; John 11:25-26; John 14:2-3; 1 Thess 4:16-17; 2 Thess 1:7-9; Rev 20:11-15*)
- H. We believe in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus Christ, who is the head of the Church (Universal) and in the responsibility of its members to be committed to a local fellowship for the purpose of encouraging one another toward maturity in Christ, and love and good deeds toward others. (*Rom 12:5; Eph 4:3-10; 1 Cor 12:12-27; Col 2:19*)
- I. We believe there is one God and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus. (*1 Tim 2:5; Heb 8:6; Heb 12:24*)