



SUMMER CAMP APPLICATION

* Please Note: Attendees must submit completed paperwork and a Non-refundable deposit of \$200 to Stillwater Refuge by the close of business day on March 1.

Participant Information:

Full Name: _____

Name used: _____ Date of Birth: _____

School Attending: _____ Grade Level Completed: _____

Hunting/Fishing License Number: _____

Mailing address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home phone: (_____) _____ E-mail: _____

Emergency Contact Information:

*Name and Relation: _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home phone (_____) _____ Mobile (_____) _____

Other (_____) _____ E-mail _____

*Name and Relation: _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home phone (_____) _____ Mobile (_____) _____

Other (_____) _____ E-mail _____



PARTICIPANT CONSENT, RELEASE AND INDEMNITY FORM SUMMER CAMP 2022

* This form must be completed, signed, and returned to Stillwater Refuge prior to the beginning of camp, or the applicant will not be allowed to participate.

Name of Participant: _____

Permission for Emergency Medical, Surgical Procedure and Medication

In the event that we cannot be reached in time, any emergency surgical procedure or the administration of special medication can be performed on my child at the direction of:

Parent or Legal Guardian's Name: _____

Health Insurance Carrier: _____

Group #: _____ Ins. Phone #: _____

Doctor: _____ Dr. Phone #: _____

Medication to be Administered

Please list any special medication(s) that will be brought to check-in and/or preferred in case of illness. USE BACK IF NECESSARY.

Name: _____ Dose: _____ Times: _____ For: _____

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Does camper have any allergies? Yes No (Please Circle)

Please List any and all known allergies: _____

Adverse Medication

Please list any medication that should not be administered due to adverse reactions or allergy:



Consent, Release, IndemnityI, the parent/guardian of the above-named youth participant, hereby consent to his participation in the event described above. I understand the dangers involved in wilderness hunting fishing excursions, and in consideration of Stillwater Refuge giving youth participant the opportunity to participate in this event, I agree that, the mentioned youth is fit and able to participate and in the event of any accident causing injury or damage to the person or property of the youth participant that may relate to, arise out of, or in any way concern this event, I will hold harmless and will unconditionally indemnify Stillwater Refuge and its agents and employees against all claims, causes of action, and damages for which the organization may become liable by reason of such injury or damage, whether brought by the youth participant or by any person having a legal interest in the property or person of the youth participant. I understand that this release of claims and indemnity applies to accidents, damages, or injuries caused either in whole or in part by any negligent act or omission of Stillwater Refuge, its officers, employees, representatives, or agents.

I agree that should my son not abide by all the rules of the organization, he may be sent home at my personal expense and no refund of the camp cost will be made.

I have read this Participation Consent, Release, and Indemnity Form and understand its terms. I execute it voluntarily and with full knowledge of its meaning and effect.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____

Date: _____

Payment Information

The cost of Summer Camp is \$600 per camper. Cash, checks, and credit cards are accepted. Make checks out to “Stillwater Refuge” with “CAMP” in the memo line. We will not make refunds or rate deductions for late arrivals or early departures. Camp leaders reserve the right to dismiss any youth participant whose influence and conduct become in any way detrimental to the best interests of other participants during camp. Stillwater Refuge will not make any refunds to campers who are dismissed early from camp. Initial _____

Photographs and videos

Stillwater Refuge may take photos and videos during the camp for use in promotional materials, mail outs and websites. Stillwater Refuge reserves the right to copy, publish, reproduce and distribute these images exclusively for the use of the organization according to its non-profit mission.

Initial _____



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

PARENTS KEEP THIS HANDY

Check-In/Out

Check in is from at 2- 4 pm Sunday at the Bunkhouse. Please don't arrive earlier than 2 pm; we want everyone ready for your arrival. The physical address of Stillwater Refuge is 10230 FM 2022 N Grapeland, TX 75844 (.5 miles south of the intersection of FM 2423 & FM 2022). Upon arrival, we will complete the registration and check-in process. On the day of pick-up, please plan on being at Stillwater Refuge by 1:00 pm. We will share a "wild game" lunch and testimonies from the week. Please make an effort to come and pick up your camper instead of carpooling home. This will be an intense week for them both physically and spiritually. It is always so encouraging for campers to be able to share their week's worth of experiences with the group with their parents there. It means a lot to the guys, even if they don't show it!

Hunting

Included in the camp fee is the opportunity to harvest a wild hog or a doe of an exotic deer species. Campers can use a rifle or bow to hunt (and even a knife for hogs). Campers will always hunt with knowledgeable and experienced guides. Because hunting is never guaranteed, no refunds will be given for failure to harvest an animal. Campers also have the option to "upgrade" their camp animal to a buck of an exotic deer species for an additional fee. Please contact Stillwater Refuge for this year's available "upgrade" options. Upgrade fees are due upon the day of registration. If the camper fails to harvest "upgrade animal", upgrade fees will be refunded, so that camper only pays the base \$600 camp price.

Please know that if blood is drawn on an animal it is considered a kill. We will do everything in our power to make good, ethical shots and kills as well as recover all animals. Hunting results are never guaranteed.

Taxidermy

Taxidermy costs are not included in camp fees. However, we can refer you to a great local taxidermist if needed. Upon registration, notice of any desired taxidermy (European skull mounts, shoulder mounts, or tanned hides) must be clearly communicated to Stillwater Refuge staff so that camper's animal can be handled appropriately.

Licenses

All campers are required to have a current Texas Hunting License. Requirements are different depending on the age of the camper. You can purchase the proper license from Academy, Wal-Mart, or numerous other locations. Please have already purchased the camper's hunting license prior to arrival at camp.



Code of Conduct

Our goal at Stillwater Refuge is to create a fun, adventurous community that encourages Godly growth, respect, and unity among campers and staff. We require every parent and camper to carefully read, discuss, and sign the Code of Conduct Agreement. We consider your signatures as acceptance of responsibility for both camper and parent to abide by these standards and to accept the consequences of non-compliance.

1. I will respectfully obey camp staff at all times.
2. I will not be part of any form of bullying: physical, verbal, or relational. Stillwater Refuge reserves the discretion to apply appropriate disciplinary action based on the severity of the camper's bullying.
3. I understand that profanity and vulgarity have no place at camp.
4. I will not at any time be in possession of, or talk of possession of tobacco, drugs, alcohol, or any illegal substance.
5. I understand that to assist in creating a camp community, involving interacting with bunkmates and gaining independence, I will not bring a cell phone, iPod, digital camera, or other electronic devices to camp. Stillwater Refuge has the right to confiscate these items when found, as they are not allowed at camp.
6. I understand that for my safety, it is important for camp staff to know my whereabouts at all times. I will not leave the Bunkhouse after lights out unless there is an emergency.
7. I will not damage Stillwater Refuge property or the property of others.
8. I will be respectful of other bunkmates' privacy, belongings and space.
9. I realize there are exciting activities planned, various methods of hunting, Campfire discussions, and Bible studies and I will be expected to participate with a good attitude. I want to be a part of everything that Stillwater Refuge has to offer and I am not being sent against my will.
10. Finally, I understand that the consequences of not abiding by the code of conduct outlined here may result in immediate dismissal from camp. I also understand that I may be dismissed from camp for any conduct that negatively affects the camp experience for another camper or reflects unfavorably upon Stillwater Refuge.

Signature of Camper _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____

Date _____



RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY

This Release and Waiver entered into on (date) _____ BY AND BETWEEN Stillwater Refuge, Inc., through its authorized officers and agents, having principal mailing address at P.O. Box 549, 10230 FM 2022 N., Grapeland, Texas 75844-9514 (Retreat Center) AND (Print Camper's Name) _____, having a physical address at _____
Email address _____
Texas Hunting License number _____

Now Therefore, In exchange for the mutual promises of this Agreement and Visitor's limited license to enter and use the Retreat Center property, Visitor hereby enters into this release and waiver agreement, subject to the following terms and conditions:

Retreat Center Property: Retreat Center Property means and includes any and all parcels of real estate owned, operated, leased, or used by Retreat Center as well as any and all personal property, vehicles, hunting blinds, or equipment owned, operated, leased, or used by Retreat Center or located on or within the grounds of the Retreat Center (Retreat Center Property).

Release and Waiver of Liability: Visitor hereby releases Retreat Center from and against any and all claims for personal injury or loss that may result to Visitor from Visitor's entry on and use of the Retreat Center Property including the use of the lake, swimming area, rope swing, boats, paintball, ATV's, UTV's, ranch vehicles and all hunting, fishing, archery, and firearm use of any kind. Visitor further holds harmless Retreat Center for any and all personal injuries, losses, or damages sustained by Visitor arising out of Visitor's use or entry on the property of Retreat Center.

Personal Responsibility: Visitor understands and Agrees that Visitor maintains full responsibility for Visitor's safety and well-being and that Visitor will use all diligence, care, and safety for Visitor's person while entering on or using the Retreat Center Property.

Construction: This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas and enforced by a court of competent jurisdiction in the State of Texas. Further, the prevailing Party shall be entitled to reimbursement for all legal fees, expenses and costs incurred in such action. If any clause or provision herein shall be found invalid or unenforceable, such clause or provision shall not affect the validity of any other clause or provision, which shall remain in full force and effect. Each of the provisions of this Release shall be enforceable independently of any other provision of this Release and independently of any other claim or cause of action.



AGRITOURISM WAIVER

I UNDERSTAND AND ACKNOWLEDGE THAT AN AGRITOURISM ENTITY IS NOT LIABLE FOR ANY INJURY TO OR DEATH OF AN AGRITOURISM PARTICIPANT RESULTING FROM AGRITOURISM ACTIVITIES. I UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE ACCEPTED ALL RISK OF INJURY, DEATH, PROPERTY DAMAGE, AND OTHER LOSS THAT MAY RESULT FROM AGRITOURISM ACTIVITIES.

I, the undersigned Visitor, or Legal Guardian of the above-listed Visitor, represent that I have read, understood, and agreed to all of the terms of this Release and Waiver and hereby waive, relinquish, release, and hold harmless Retreat Center from and against any and all claims of Visitor, if any, whether such claims are known or unknown, present or future.

Parent/ Guardian _____

SHOOTING SAFETY POLICY

The rules listed below are important for safety, maintaining quality ranch wildlife, & avoiding misunderstandings. SHOOTING GUESTS MUST READ THE FOLLOWING RULES AND ACKNOWLEDGE THEIR AGREEMENT TO FOLLOW THESE RULES BY SIGNING, PRIOR TO PARTICIPATING IN ANY ACTIVITY AT STILLWATER REFUGE.

Safety is our primary concern, please make it yours and abide by the following:

1. Firearms must be unloaded before being brought inside and/or stored at any ranch building.
2. Firearms must be unloaded before entering & before leaving all ranch shooting facilities or hunting blinds.
3. All shooting guests must have their bolts/breach/action open on firearms when riding in any vehicle.
4. Firearms will only ever be discharged at designated ranch shooting facilities or under the supervision of a ranch hunting guide.
5. All recreational, target shooting guests will receive range orientation and gun safety briefing by ranch staff before discharging any firearm at any of the designated ranch shooting facilities.
6. All shooting guests are responsible for making sure of their targets and what is in front of and beyond their intended target prior to discharging any firearms.
7. No guest, guide, or associate is allowed to consume any alcohol on the same day of any hunt, unless and until the guest, guide or associate has completed shooting/hunting activities for said day.
8. No guest is permitted to be on the ranch without an Owner, partner, or employee unless approved by the Owners. If a guest remains alone in a blind while a guide attends to other matters, the guest



shall stay within sight of their assigned blind. Guests are not allowed to walk around the Ranch during hunting hours unless accompanied and supervised by their guide.

- 9. All hunters must be accompanied by a ranch guide anytime they are in pursuit of an animal.
- 10. All hunters must qualify in front of a ranch guide, with their weapon of choice, at the shooting range, to prove proficiency and the accuracy of the firearm, before that hunter is qualified to hunt.
- 11. All hunters will be required to have and provide proof of a valid Texas state hunting license. Hunters shall always carry said license with them while on the Ranch. All hunters must comply with all Federal State & County hunting laws, rules and regulations.
- 12. A photo of every animal harvested must be taken. All animals harvested must be logged at Gutshack. All wounded animals will be considered dead & all effort will be expended in retrieving the wounded animal. No exceptions.
- 13. Please be considerate of other guests and ranch staff. Excessive drinking and or drunkenness is not permitted. Excessive profanity and/or vulgarity is not permitted.
- 14. Only the partners, Owners, and employees of the Ranch are permitted to operate the gate locks and know the combinations. Gates will always remain locked.
- 15. "What is on the Ranch stays on the Ranch"- Do not borrow or remove anything from the Ranch without approval by the Owner.
- 16. The Ranch's management reserve the right, in its sole discretion, to terminate your stay and/or hunt at the Ranch without refund and immediately escort you off the Ranch for any violation of any rule.

Signature of Camper _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____

Date _____

*An electronic form of this application is available upon request.