OUTDOOR PROGRAM TRIP LEADER APPLICATION

This application is a required tool that will be used to select leaders for all trips of 2 or more days in length. Everyone interested in leading trips must have an application on file so it is possible for the OP to make appropriate leader selections.

Please be as specific as possible with your responses.

Date of Application _____

Name _____ Phone ( )_____ (home)
( )_____ (other)

Current Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

e-mail Address _____ Student I.D. # _____

Driver's License number _____ State of Issue _____ Date of Birth _____

CERTIFICATION/LICENSURE:
First Aid Certifications (include CPR, First Aid (include level), EMT, etc.)
• Type of Certification _____ Valid Until _____
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Professional Certifications and Licensure - include lifesaving, teaching licensure, skills instruction, etc.
• Type of Certification _____ Valid Until _____
    Organization Affiliated with _____
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Type of Driver's License (Class A, B, C, Commercial Endorsment, etc) _____

SKILLS - rate yourself from 1 to 5 where "1" is weak, "5" is expert (we want to know what you are good at):

_____ Canoeing	_____ Carpentry	_____ X-C Skiing	_____ Birding
_____ Kayaking	_____ Wtr. Camping	_____ Photography	_____ Nat. History
_____ Rafting	_____ Group dynamics	_____ Lesson planning	Working with:
_____ First Aid	_____ Rock Climbing	_____ Survival Skills	_____ Adults
_____ Leadership	_____ Backpacking	_____ Snowshoeing	_____ Children

• Why do you feel confident in your highest ranked skill areas?

QUESTIONS (attach on a separate page):
• What makes you a good trip leader?
• What skills would you like to improve?
• What was one of your most difficult teaching experiences and how did you handle it?
• What teaching methods or leadership techniques do you use to work effectively with participants?
• Why do you believe Outdoor Education is valuable?

OTHER ITEMS TO ATTACH:
1). RESUME - includes: education, experience, & references
2). TRIP LOG - you can use the OP form or your own system
3). TRIP LEADER QUALIFICATIONS AND SCHEDULE- indicates the trips you would like to lead by filling in the box that matches your level of experience with several trip options.