



Township of Lacey

Recreation Department

818 W. Lacey Road
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Dear Future Leader,

The Leader in Training program (LIT) is a program within the Lacey Township Recreation Department where young people volunteer at the Summer in the Parks Program. It is designed for students who are 14 & 15 years old to assist our Leadership team in the operation of the summer day camp program. The summer program is 7 weeks long and is located at three township park sites (Hebrew, Huffly Wallis & Clune Park).

LITs will shadow and work side by side with veteran counselors who have demonstrated exceptional leadership skills and work ethic. This gives the trainee an opportunity to observe the daily operation of the camp program. **There is no guarantee of future employment for those who complete the program.** This is an unpaid position; however, it can be counted as community service hours.

LITs will specifically work with two age groups, 5-7 & 8-10. LITs will have 2 assigned days a week where they will assist with a full day at their site (8:45am-3:15pm) and will also have the chance to accompany the parks on trips if the schedule allows.

In order to apply, LITs need to be either 14 or 15 years old and a Lacey Township resident. Applicants must fill out an application, submit a short statement explaining why they are interested in the program, and one letter of recommendation from a teacher, coach, or other leader (please no family or friends) by **Friday, March 15th**.

Prospective candidates will be brought in for a brief interview and to also have the opportunity to meet some of the LIT mentors and counselors.

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2024 "LEADER IN TRAINING" APPLICATION

FIRST NAME:

LAST NAME:

AGE AS OF JUNE 24, 2024: _____ SHIRT SIZE: Youth / Adult: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME:

STREET ADDRESS: _____ TOWN: _____

APPLICANT CELL PHONE/HOME PHONE:

PARENT/GUARDIAN CELL PHONE/HOME PHONE:

PARENT/GUARDIAN EMAIL:

(Parents/Guardians: Please note you will be e-mailed with your child's schedule as well as information about the program!)

Did you attend the "Summer in the Parks" program as a child? YES: _____ NO: _____

If so, what park(s) did you attend? HUFFY: ___ CLUNE: ___ HEBREW: ___

What days of the week would you want to work (Circle one)?

Mon/Wed Tues/Thurs No Preference

Would you be willing to attend trips on select Fridays? YES: ___ NO: ___

Did you include your recommendation letter? YES: ___ NO: ___

Application Due: Friday, March 15th

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Please tell us a little about yourself and why you are interested in becoming a LIT with the
Lacey Township Recreation Department.

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