

Volunteer Application / Background Clearances

The Lower Paxton Township Parks and Recreation Department has established standards for individuals volunteering to participate in programs and/or render services offered by the Parks and Recreation Department.

Volunteer Application: Each coach must submit a Lower Paxton Township Volunteer Application. Applicants may be removed from further consideration at any time for:

- Making a false statement or provide false information on his/her application
- Conviction for a felony offense
- Conviction for an offence related to illegal drugs
- Attend event sponsored by Parks and Rec. Dept. and/or the Friendship Center in the possession of or under the influence of drugs or alcohol
- Conviction for an offense involving assault causing bodily injury to another
- Conviction for an offense related to sexual assault or any offense requiring the applicant to register with Megan's Law and/or any other sexual offender registry
- Conviction for an offense involving minors

Background Clearances: Each coach must submit a copy of the following clearance forms that are current within the last five years:

PA State Police Criminal History Clearance

PA Child Abuse History Clearance

FBI Criminal History Clearance (or Waiver Form if PA Resident for 10+ years)

Lower Paxton Township

-Volunteer Application & Agreement-

Parks & Recreation
425 Prince Street
Harrisburg, PA 17109
(717) 657-5600

Name: Last _____ First _____ MI. _____

Address: _____ City, St, ZIP: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

Driver's License #: _____ E-Mail Address: _____

Are you under 18 years of age? ___ No ___ Yes

Emergency Contact: _____ Phone # _____

My volunteer work is a requirement for (school, scouts, etc.) _____

Number of volunteer hours I need: _____ I am available: ___ Days ___ Evening ___ Weekend

Activity for which you are volunteering **(Please check all that apply):**

Recreation Program Seniors
 Basketball Other _____
 Volleyball

Have you ever been convicted of a crime? ___ No ___ Yes If yes, explain the nature of the offense.

What personal experience qualifies you for the position for which you are volunteering?

Do family members participate in the program for which you are volunteering? ___ No ___ Yes
If so what relationship? _____

Are you a past volunteer? ___ No ___ Yes If yes, what program? _____

I agree to abide by all the rules and regulations set forth by the Parks and Recreation Department as they relate to the position I am volunteering for and agree to return all equipment at the conclusion of the program. I herewith release and hold harmless Lower Paxton Township from any and all claims by myself or my family or assignees, which may arise from performance of duties for which I am volunteering and while traveling from said duties. I understand that Lower Paxton Township will indemnify me from any and all claims arising from the performance of the duties for which I am volunteering as long as I am following the rules, regulations and policies of the Department and Lower Paxton Township. I authorize employees of Lower Paxton Township to investigate my background as is determined necessary for the particular activity for which I am volunteering.

Signature (Parent or guardian if under 18) _____

Date _____

Parks and Recreation Department of Lower Paxton Township supports and complies with the laws which are enacted to protect and safeguard the rights and opportunities of all people, without being subjected or exposed to harassment or discrimination of any kind, including age, national origin, sex, race, religious affiliation, color, height, weight, or marital status.

Please return to: Lower Paxton Township, 425 Prince St, Harrisburg, PA 17109 (over ->)