



## Application Form - Taskforce 2010

This information will be kept strictly confidentially, unless requested by an appropriate authority.

Thanks for your interest in the YCYH Taskforce. This form is **only** to be used for those in School Years 12 & 13 (or equivalent). Taskforce is a training and mentoring program for those Christians who:

- DESIRE to know God more and make Him known, and who wish to:-
  - DEEPEN their relationship with Jesus
  - DISCOVER their gifts and ways to serve God
  - DEVELOP a positive Christian role with leadership responsibilities
  - DISCIPLE others to know God

If there is insufficient room to fully answer any question, please continue on PAGE 6 under ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. Please complete in BLOCK CAPITALS using BLACK INK.

### PERSONAL DETAILS

Name:

Address:

Postcode:

Age:  Date of Birth:

Tel No:  Mobile:

Email:

### HEALTH

Do you have any medical conditions or any allergies?

e.g. diabetes, epilepsy, acute allergies etc.

*(If yes, please provide details)*

Yes  No

Are you on any medication that causes sedation or could affect you in anyway?

*(If yes, please provide details)*

Yes  No

Do you require any special dietary requirements?

*(If yes, please provide details)*

Yes  No

Do you have any physical illness/disability that could directly affect your work as part of a Taskforce team for YCYH?

*(If yes, please provide details)*

Yes  No

Do you have any mental health problems that could directly affect your work as part of a Taskforce team for YCYH?

*(If yes, please provide details)*

Yes  No

## CHRISTIAN EXPERIENCE

How long have you been a Christian?

Please give a brief testimony of your Christian life?

What is your understanding of being a Christian?

How do you seek to grow as a Christian?

What Christian activities are you involved in at your church or elsewhere, and in what capacity?

What church do you attend?

Denomination:

Minister/Leader:

Address:

Postcode:

Tel No:

How long have you been at your current church?  Years

## TRAINING/DEVELOPMENT

What Christian or other relevant training events have you attended?

Are there areas in which you are currently seeking to develop your gifts?

*(There may be opportunities for you to learn from more experienced leaders as you volunteer)*

## QUALIFICATIONS

Have you any qualifications in one of the following?

Basic Food Hygiene      Yes       No       Date passed (mm/yyyy)     

First Aid Certificates      Yes       No       Date passed (mm/yyyy)     

## FURTHER INFORMATION

What practical experience do you have?

e.g. craft, drama, photography, sports, catering, musical, PA/technical etc.

Can you play a musical instrument? Yes       No       What type?

## AVAILABILITY/PREFERENCES

I would like to volunteer in:       Whithaugh Park - Camps       'RUUp4it?' - Events

**Whithaugh Park - Camps:** (Note - No person is allowed to participate on both Taskforce weeks. Although the Junior camp (8-11 year olds) for XCiTE finishes on 05/08/10, those who help out on this camp will stay on and receive a full week's Taskforce program, together with those involved at the Senior camp (11-16 year olds) on XPLoRE 2. Tick your preferred age group against either XPLoRE 2 or XCiTE)

I am available to help at:       XPLoRE 1 - (24/07/10 - 31/07/10)

XPLoRE 2 - (31/07/10 - 07/08/10)       XCiTE - (31/07/10 - 05/08/10)

I would like to serve as a:       Senior Taskforce - (DOB: 01/09/1991 - 31/08/1992)

Junior Taskforce - (DOB: 01/09/1992 - 31/08/1993)

I would like to get involved in these areas:       Sports       Catering

Leading Small Groups       PA/Technical       Music Group       First Aid

Discussion/Debates       Craft       Drama       Admin

## EMERGENCY CONTACT

In case of an accident or emergency, please provide the details of a suitable contact.

(NB. This should be someone who is not on the same holiday/event as you)

Name:

Address:

Postcode:       Mobile:

Tel - Daytime:       Tel - Evening:

Relationship:

## YCYH - BASIS OF FAITH

We believe that all Scripture is God given and has supreme authority in all matters of faith and conduct, and we confess the historic faith and trustworthiness of the Gospel. We accept that these doctrines are crucial to the understanding of the Christian faith and believe that we should act upon them with mutual love, practical Christian service and evangelical concern.

We believe:

- In one true and living God who exists as Father, Son & Holy Spirit.
- In Jesus Christ as fully God and fully man. We believe in His virgin birth, His perfect life, His death on the cross, His bodily resurrection to life, His present reign as Lord and His impending return in power and glory.
- In the person of the Holy Spirit. We believe that He convicts us of our sin, saves those who repent and believe in Jesus Christ, and equips and empowers believers to live the Christian faith.
- In the sinfulness and guilt of everyone, making us subject to God's wrath and condemnation.
- That we are saved only by the grace of God through personal faith in the person and work of Jesus Christ.
- That all believers belong to the universal Church, of which Christ is the Head, and are committed by His command to proclaim the Gospel throughout the world.

Do you have any reservations about any aspects of the YCYH Basis of faith? Yes  No   
(If yes, please provide details)

## REFERENCE

Please complete the details below of a minister/church leader/youth leader who you know well and would be willing to provide a personal reference. They **should not** be a relative, a close friend, someone who is on the same event as you, or a volunteer for YCYH. We will contact them directly to obtain a suitable reference. We also reserve the right to take up character references from other individuals as deemed necessary.

### Reference: Minister/Church Leader/Youth Leader

Name:	<input type="text"/>		
Role/Responsibility:	<input type="text"/>		
Address:	<input type="text"/>		
Postcode:	<input type="text"/>	Tel No:	<input type="text"/>
Email:	<input type="text"/>		

## DISCLOSURE

This section **must** only be completed if you are applying for Senior Taskforce. As the work in Senior Taskforce will involve unsupervised contact with children/young people, you must undergo a criminal records check, before this can be confirmed.

*Because of the nature of the work for which you are applying this position is exempt from the provision of section 4(ii) of the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exemptions Order 1975), and you are therefore not entitled to withhold information about convictions which for other purposes are "spent" under the provisions of the Act and in the event of appointment, any failure to disclose such convictions could result in the withdrawal of approval to work with children/young people within YCYH.*

*As this post will involve unsupervised contact with children/young people, all applicants who are accepted as volunteers will be asked to submit to a criminal records check before the position can be confirmed. You will be asked to apply for an Enhanced Disclosure through the Criminal Records Bureau (CRB). As the position is exempted under the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act this check will reveal any details of cautions, reprimands or final warnings, as well as formal convictions. This process is subject to a strict code to ensure confidentiality, fair practice and security of any information disclosed. It must be stressed that a criminal record will not necessarily be a bar to appointment as a volunteer, only if the nature of any matters revealed could be considered to place children/young people at risk.*

*Please be aware that details of pending prosecutions, previous convictions, cautions, or bindovers against you will be disclosed along with other relevant information which may be known to the police, Department of Health or the Department for Education and Skills.*

*YCYH undertake to meet the requirements of the Data Protection Act 1998, the Protection of Children Act 1999 and the Criminal Justice and Court Services Act 2000.*

Have you ever been charged with, cautioned or convicted in relation to any criminal offence; or are you at present the subject of criminal investigations/pending prosecution?

Yes  No

*(If yes, we will send you a voluntary disclosure form. This must be completed and returned in a separate envelope to an YCYH 'recruiter')*

Has there ever been any cause for concern raised regarding your conduct with children/young people?

*(If yes, please provide details)*

Yes  No

Have your details ever appeared in a newspaper, radio or television programme in connection with allegations made against you of abuse against children/young people?

*(If yes, please provide details)*

Yes  No

To your knowledge have you ever had any allegation made against you, which has been reported to, and investigated by, Social Services and/or the Police?

*(If yes, please provide details)*

Yes  No

## DATA PROTECTION

YCYH will hold your contact details on file but will not release the information to any third party. However, your contact details may be shared with other leaders and young people connected to a particular event, unless you request for this not to occur.

Do you give your consent to this?

Yes  No

## DECLARATION

I declare my personal faith in Jesus Christ as my Saviour and Lord. I believe the Bible to be fully trustworthy and my highest authority for faith and life. I will uphold to the truths found in the bible, outlined by the YCYH Basis of Faith and seek to share them faithfully and clearly.

I will work in accordance with the policies and practices of YCYH.

I will put the needs of the children/young people in my care first and always treat them with dignity and respect.

I confirm to the best of my knowledge, the information given is correct and complete.

Signed:  Date:

*(This form is only valid with your signature. Type in your name if completed electronically)*

To be completed **only** if you applying for Senior Taskforce:

I understand that to have unsupervised contact with children/young people, I will be subject to an Enhanced disclosure from the Criminal Records Bureau.

Signed:  Date:

*(This form is only valid with your signature. Type in your name if completed electronically)*

**Please return completed form to:**

YCYH Office, 12 Stonethwaite, Woodthorpe, York. YO24 2SY. Email:office@ycyh.org.uk

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION