

Thank you for your interest in volunteering with us!

If you have not already visited for a tour, please contact me to arrange one. I have open tour slots on Sundays at 1pm or Thursdays at 1pm.

Below you will find

- Application form
- Volunteer Responsibilities form to sign
- Description of our workshops

Please print these pages and mail to the address below. You can also stop by to pick up the application form as well as the other forms.

After we receive your application and determine that your interests and availability line up with our volunteer needs, we will proceed with the rest of the application process:

- Please mail a check for \$30 for a criminal background check to the below address, made payable to Camphill Village Kimberton Hills. Please write "day volunteer application" in the memo.
- Please fill out 4 additional forms which will be sent to you (Release to Indemnify, NJ Statement, Privacy Policy, Consent to Photograph/Record)

Thank you, and I look forward to meeting you!

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Camphill Village Kimberton Hills
Non-resident Volunteer Application Form

Full name (including middle):

Full address:

Phone number:

Email:

Employer and/or school name:

Date of birth:

Emergency contact (name/ phone number):

Are you willing to pay \$30 for a general criminal background check? We will not charge this amount unless we are sure your interest and availability lines up with our volunteer needs.

How often are you interested in volunteering?

- every day
- more than once a week
- once a week

- twice a month
- once a month
- other (please describe):

During which times do you prefer to come? (these times apply 7 days a week)

- Morning workshop (8:30am- 12pm)
- Afternoon workshop (2:30pm - 5pm)
- either one
- other (please describe):

Do you prefer:

- weekdays
- weekends
- either one

Which workshops are you most interested in? (see attached list for descriptions)

land workshops:

- CSA garden
- estate crew
- dairy farm
- herb garden
- orchard
- any land workshop

food workshops:

- houses
- bakery
- cafe
- any food workshop

craft workshops:

- weavery
- fiber arts
- pottery
- mosaic
- woodshop
- any craft workshop

- give me anything!

Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offense? please circle one: yes no

Have you ever been charged with neglect, abuse, assault, or any other crime? yes no

Has your driver's license ever been suspended or revoked in any state? yes no

Do you need volunteer hours to satisfy court mandated community service? yes no

If you answered yes to any of the above, please explain:

Do you need volunteer hours to satisfy high school community service or an internship for school or college?

Please list 2 references. Please no family members, and at least 1 professional or academic reference.

	reference 1	reference 2
Name		
phone number		
email address		
relationship to you		

Do you have any dietary restrictions?

How did you find out about CVKH?

Volunteer Responsibilities

Our mission is to create a living and working environment where adults with developmental disabilities can discover and develop their abilities to the greatest extent possible. Residents in our village can build a rich home life, find challenging vocational tasks, and share with dignity and joy in the social, cultural and spiritual activities of community life. Our primary purpose is to create community (live, work with and care for) developmentally disabled adults. This aspect of our life is combined with our commitment to Bio-dynamic agriculture. The inspiration for our work is Anthroposophy, the philosophy introduced by Rudolf Steiner and adapted to work in this field by Karl Koenig, M.D., founder of the Camphill movement. Volunteers may join in the work of the community in many capacities. It is important to remember that the safety, health and well-being of each villager are paramount.

Please carefully read the following before signing:

Volunteers at Camphill Village Kimberton Hills must be aware of the following:

1. All mishaps, emergencies, or injuries must be reported to the appropriate householder or work-leader and to the Executive Director after immediate action is taken to insure the health and safety of the participants.
2. Volunteers must agree to abstain from the use of alcohol and any other habit-forming or illegal substance while they are on Kimberton Hills' property or in the company of villagers.
3. If you are unable to continue in your volunteer position, please contact the main office (610-935-0300 x 12) so that we can make other arrangements. You may also need to contact those who expect you to arrive to volunteer.
4. If you need to change your schedule, assignment, or if you have any difficulty in your work in the community, please feel free to discuss your needs with the Volunteer Coordinator.

I affirm that I have read the above and that the information I have given is true and complete. If at any time this information is found to have been knowingly falsified, I may be disallowed from volunteering in any capacity at Camphill Village Kimberton Hills. I also agree to comply with all items addressed under "Volunteer Responsibilities."

I give Camphill Village Kimberton Hills permission to verify any information provided on my application.

I agree to keep any confidential information communicated to me by any means in the strictest confidence.

I grant Camphill Village Kimberton Hills permission to use my likeness, voice and/or words in any form to promote activities of Camphill Village Kimberton Hills.

Signed _____ Date _____

Before any applicant can be finally accepted for a volunteer position, Camphill Village Kimberton Hills needs to perform a criminal background check. A successful check reflecting no criminal history will clear the applicant for volunteer service. The charge for this background check is \$30, it is non-refundable and needs to be paid for by the applicant. You will have the opportunity to review and/or challenge the accuracy of this report before we would consider taking action to exclude you from our program based on it. Camphill Village Kimberton Hills uses ChoicePoint to run our checks on applicants. By giving us permission to run this background check, you are giving us permission to use your social security number and to share the results within our organization if we feel that this is necessary.

I hereby agree to the forgoing and permit an administrator at Camphill Village Kimberton Hills to run the appropriate criminal background check:

Signed _____ Date _____

Social Security Number _____

CVKH Representative _____ Date _____

The main areas we could use help is in the great outdoors; our land workshops consist of the following:

CSA GARDEN planting, weeding, harvesting, washing vegetables, set up market, tool cleanup, barn clean up, greenhouse work... approximately 125 share-holders pick up vegetables once or twice a week...

ESTATE CREW raking, weeding, picking up sticks, mulching paths with woodchip or gravel, tree planting, sweeping, chopping firewood, clearing brush and invasive plant species, building projects...

DAIRY FARM barn chores, shoveling, feed calves, whitewash... sometimes there are various projects. 35 cows are milked each morning...

ORCHARD and vineyard, has something to do in all seasons, pruning, thinning, harvesting, and more; remove invasive species, weeding, pick off insect infested apples...

HERB GARDEN planting and weeding; digging beds, harvesting, prepare to dry herbs, bag herbs for sale, path maintenance...

For those who cannot work outdoors easily or for extended periods, the following are available:

HOUSES doing dishes, food prep, laundry, yard work, cleaning, recycling...

BAKERY cookie dough scooping; bagging cookies, granola or bread; cleaning; firewood

CAFÉ take orders, serve, dishes, clean up, cooking, baking, recycling...

WEAVERY and FIBER ARTS clean wool, carding, spinning, knitting, felting, weaving, sewing, finishing, weaving, setting up a warp or a loom...

POTTERY joining in whatever project or parts of projects are going on: hand building, coil pots, wheel throwing, glazing, preparing clay for working with, finishing items...

MOSAIC WORKSHOP helping folks achieve their design ideas and finish grouting work, general workshop help...