

INTERVARSITY



# LIT PERSONAL REFERENCE FORM

APPLICANT'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

This two page form is to be completed by a responsible spiritual leader of the applicant. The applicant is applying for the Leadership Training Course at Circle Square Ranch. This course aims at stimulating personal growth in young people and helps prepare them for service in their community, school, or church, using the camp model as a training ground. We greatly appreciate your cooperation in answering the following questions **FRANKLY**. The information you give will be kept strictly confidential. Please return this form **DIRECTLY TO THE RANCH ADDRESS**. Thank you.

1. How long have you known the applicant? \_\_\_\_\_

2. In what capacity? \_\_\_\_\_

3. How well do you know the applicant? \_\_\_\_\_

4. Is the applicant living a Christian lifestyle? \_\_\_\_\_

5. To your knowledge, is the applicant discrete in all his/her relationships with the opposite sex, according to Biblical Christian standards? \_\_\_\_\_  
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6. Are there any negative tendencies of which we should be aware? \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. Would you want your child placed under the care and influence of this individual? \_\_\_\_\_  
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8. How do you feel the applicant will benefit from his/her involvement in the Leadership Training Course? \_\_\_\_\_  
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Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Position/Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Completed \_\_\_\_\_

**Please "Underline" all statements which you KNOW to be true about the applicant. Feel free to add statements if the ones listed do not adequately describe their characteristics.**

- Christian Testimony: effective; depends on people he/she is with; weak; has no testimony; enjoys sharing testimony; find it difficult to share their testimony.
- Spiritual Life: steady and growing; up and down; an inspiration to others; leans on friends; victorious; lacks victory; studies the Bible; reads the Bible occasionally; tries to apply Bible principles.
- Christian Character: the following fruits of the spirit are evident in his/her relationships with people: love; joy; peace; patience; kindness; goodness; faithfulness; gentleness; self-control.
- Church Life: attends regularly; attends irregularly; tithes regularly; actively involved; limited involvement; not involved; been away for a while but has kept good contact; been away for a while and has not kept very good contact.
- Home Life: loves family; contributes to family's well being; has no family; wishes was in a different family; respects parents; parents are Christians; is in a right relationship with parents/siblings; family relations need work.
- Social Life: friendly; a loner; needs considerable privacy; outgoing; shy; leans on others; has many friends; has a few friends; gets along well with others; has difficulty making friends.
- Emotional Stability: stable; irritable; anxious; peaceful; easily discouraged; occasional depression; difficulty controlling temper; controls emotions; on medication to control emotions; moody.
- Personality: introvert; extrovert; optimist; pessimist; creative; initiator; aggressive; easygoing; critical; encourager; good sense of humour; well disciplined; poor personal discipline; submissive to authority; co-operative; manipulative; easily intimidated.
- Work Habit: enjoys work; procrastinates; completes assignments; lazy; let others do it whenever possible; follows instructions carefully; ignores instructions; sloppy; perfectionist; does just enough to get by; takes pride in work; on time, often late; a quitter; rarely gives up; dependable; responsible; prefers to work alone.
- Leadership Ability: *With Peers:* a follower; a pace setter; accepts responsibility when asked  
*With Children:* exceptional; comes naturally; enjoys leading children;  
has never tried but would like the opportunity; afraid of children.
- Physical Condition: *Health:* rugged; average; tires quickly; frequent colds; on medication; health problems; allergies; disabilities; athletic; physically fit.  
*Appearance:* meticulous; pleasant; average; sloppy; neat.
- The Outdoors: enjoys it; avoids it; what is it?; would like to learn more; like tenting; hates dirt; likes water.

Additional Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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