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Dear 2011 Staff Member,

Welcome back to another summer at the Ann Arbor YMCA. Last year was a great success for all involved, and we are excited to see those who made it possible. As you start to plan for another summer, there are some things to consider for this year.

Included in this packet is a list of the available positions and a short description of the duties. Please review these as some job tasks and responsibilities may have changed. Once you have had the chance to complete your application please return it to the Y. Upon return of the application an interview will be set up for a future date.

Please keep the following dates in mind.

March 16th – Applications due (late applications will be accepted to fill positions still open after March 16th)

April – Early May - Camp staff interviewed and selected, letters will be sent to all applicants

We would like to remind you that due to a high level of competition, no one is guaranteed a position. There are many wonderful people who would love to work at the Y this summer and unfortunately, we cannot take everyone. Because of this, please remember that hiring is based on your application, interview and performance last summer.

We look forward to hearing from you in the near future. Please send all completed applications to the Ann Arbor YMCA, attention: Steve Petty, Josh Humbel or Brandi Daniels.

Sincerely,

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**Y Day Camp
Ann Arbor YMCA Camp Employment
Reapplying Staff Insert**

Name: _____ Date: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Second Number: _____

Present Address: _____

Last Date at Current Address: _____ Email: _____

Please check the positions you are interested in:

Administrative Staff

____ Camp Registrar

Program Staff

____ Teen Adventure Director***

____ KidVenture

____ Whiz/Fit Kids Director

____ Specialty Camps Director***

____ Sports Camps Director***

____ Counselor in Training Director

____ Science Specialist

Specialists

____ Teen Adventure Assistant

____ Active Girls/You Go Girl! Camp Counselor

____ Baseball Camp Counselor

____ Basketball Camp Counselor

____ Bowling Camp Counselor

____ Cheer Camp Counselor

____ Dance Counselor

____ Design Star Camp Counselor

____ Flag Football Camp Counselor

____ Glee Camp Counselor

____ Gymnastics Camp Counselor

____ Horse Riding Camp Counselor

____ Prodigy: Science Camp Counselor

____ Roller Hockey Camp Counselor

____ Soccer Camp Counselor

____ Team/All Star Sports Camp Counselor

____ Theater Camp Counselor

____ Survivor Camp Counselor

____ Ypsilanti Sports Camp Counselor

____ Ypsilanti Arts & Crafts Counselor

General Staff

____ Pre and Post Care Staff

____ KidVenture

____ Whiz/Fit Kids Counselor

____ YVC Counselor

****Positions with three stars are positions in which applicants must be 21 or older.*

Please briefly respond to the following questions:

1. Describe your best and worst experiences as a staff member. How did they improve your abilities as a staff member? Why do you want to return to Y Day Camps?
2. What did you do well last summer? What do you want to improve on?
3. How would you expect a camper to benefit from an experience in your camp?
4. What is your advice for a first-time staff member?
5. How did you teach the character values of caring, respect, honesty and responsibility to campers last year? Would you do it any differently this summer?
6. Describe the experiences that have helped you to grow and learn in the past year. How do you plan to apply these new insights to your work at Day Camps this summer?
7. What contributions do you hope to make as a staff member/counselor?
8. What age group do you feel most qualified to work with and why?
9. There are many qualified applicants, both reapplying staff and new applicants. Why should we hire you over the others who apply? What did you do last year that makes you deserve this position?
10. Please briefly describe your qualifications for the position you are applying for.

Please photocopy any certification cards you hold and submit them with this application. This only applies to cards that are not currently on file in your staff file.

