Pastoral Reference Form for STR Mission Trip Group

Staff Expectations

Please review this information and the Position Descriptions as you evaluate your potential volunteers and choose the position where they can serve to the best of their ability. Then fill in the Mission Trip Group Member List and email it to daycamp@stranch.org, ATTN: Volunteer Coordinator. STR reserves the right to final placement of each volunteer.

1. On a scale of 1-5, how well do you know the applicant, with 5 being you know him/her very well? __________

2. To the best of your knowledge, has the applicant made a personal commitment to Jesus Christ?
   Yes _______ No _______

3. Would you describe his witness as solid? (Does he in general act in accordance with his testimony or have you observed behaviors such as dishonesty or inappropriate internet usage?)
   (scale of 1-5 with 5 being most solid) __________

4. What is the applicant’s spiritual influence on other youth in your church ministry (or other sphere in which you know him)? (scale of 1-5 with 5 being positive and 1 being negative) __________

5. Do you believe this person would be capable of leading in a situation where maturity is required? (scale of 1-5) __________ (leading defined as taking initiative, encouraging, correcting, instructing)

6. Do you believe this person would be capable of teaching either of the following, provided he/she had some coaching? (scale of 1-5 w/ 5 being most capable)
   Bible verse __________ Bible lesson __________

7. Does the applicant have musical ability, and if so, what would you recommend he do?
   Play an instrument (which?) ___________________________ (how well on scale of 1-5) _______
   Lead singing __________ (how well on scale of 1-5)

Thank You!