



# Project Request Form

## Requesting Agency/Organization/Church

Smoky Mountain Resort Ministries

## City, State/Province

Gatlinburg, TN

## Relationship to Southern Baptist Convention

Other

## If other, please explain:

Formerly part of the NAMB until they restructured. We are now an independent 501-C-3

## Title of Project

Smoky Mountain Resort Ministries Summer Intern

## Type of Volunteers Requested:

- Summer (6-10 weeks)

## General Information:

### Is this project in the U.S. or Canada?

United States

### Mailing Address

333 Gatlin Drive  
PO Box 114  
Gatlinburg, Tennessee 37738  
United States

### Website Address

[smrm.org](http://smrm.org)

### Person Completing Form

Jodie Lamon

### Email

[jodie@smrm.org](mailto:jodie@smrm.org)

### Phone Number

(865) 333-9904

### Will the local supervisor be different than the requesting party?

No

**Which is the best contact method for volunteers to use to contact you?**

call, text, email

**Students Requested**

Summer (6-10 weeks)

**Beginning Date**

05/28/2022

**Ending Date**

08/01/2022

**Are dates flexible?**

Yes

**Number of male students requested:**

2

**Number of female students requested:**

4

**Number of students requested (either male or female):**

6

**Minimum years of college completed:**

1 Year

**Is an adult coordinator requested to come with the team?**

No

**Project Description****Brief Project Description**

We will share the love and hope of God to those who live, work, and play in the Great Smoky Mountains area of Tennessee. We will organize, lead, and participate in ministry in the midst of major attractions, special events, and campgrounds. You'll NEVER be bored!

**Additional Details**

Students will work as a team to plan, organize, and conduct worship services, weekly meals for international students, special events, and day camps in campgrounds. Students will live in community with their team in Gatlinburg, just minutes from the Great Smoky Mountain National Park. Students are permitted to bring their vehicles and will be reimbursed for mileage when used for ministry purposes. Houseparents live alongside students to provide emotional and spiritual support to students, along with preparing meals daily. Students will be provided with a stipend.

**What type of student is needed?**

Students must be willing to serve, be flexible, be comfortable with public speaking, and be ready to share the love of God with others! Beneficial if students have musical talent, speak/understands/willing to learn languages spoken by international students

(Spanish, Mongolian, Russian, Mandarin, Korean), able to work with children in a day camp setting.

**How will you mentor the student spiritually?**

Students will have daily interaction with leadership. They will participate weekly in team meetings, sermon prep with a local pastor, submit weekly reports reviewed by leadership, and meet one on one with leaders to check on goals, spiritual and mental wellbeing.

**What training/orientation will you provide for the student?**

Students will have one week of training/orientation. Additional training will be available as needed.

**If possible, suggest a possible weekly schedule for the student(s) or attach separately:**

Morning day camps in campgrounds, afternoons of preparing, evening activities include game nights at camp grounds, preparing and serving meals for international students, employee visitation in theme parks.

**Are you requesting student volunteers from other agencies/schools/states?**

Possibly from AL Baptist BCM, we would like to have a total of 6 students.

**Travel Information:**

**To which airport will volunteers need to arrive?**

TYS-McGhee-Tyson Airport, Knoxville, TN

**Is a particular time of day they need to arrive or other travel information or suggestions?**

Before 6pm, if possible

**Living Arrangements:**

**What are housing/lodging arrangements?**

Students will live together in a house with houseparents to supervise daily living.

**What are meal/food arrangements?**

All food will be provided and house parents will prepare meals.

**What are local transportation arrangements?**

Students may bring personal cars and will be reimbursed for ministry milage. A ministry van is available for the team.

**Costs**

Please include all costs volunteers will need to cover. This might include: housing, meals, local transportation, utilities, internet, phone, etc.

**Volunteer Living Expenses:**

0

**Ministry Expenses:**

0

**Additional Costs:**

Student must provide transportation to and from Gatlinburg

**Explanation of costs:**

SMRM will provide all basic needs once students arrive in Gatlinburg.

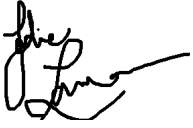
**Total cost for each volunteer:**

0

**I have read and understand the Memorandum of Understanding regarding the use of the BCM Life Missions website.**

- Yes

**Signature**

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**Today's Date**

08/06/2021