



Camp Stepping Stones Volunteer Letter 2026



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Dear Prospective Camp Stepping Stones Volunteer,

We are very excited to be reaching out to you regarding volunteering opportunities at Camp Stepping Stones! CSS will be held at Camp Arnes from **May 29 to 31, 2026**. Camp activities this year will include Comfort Pillows, Memory Boxes, Hope Paintings, High Ropes, Archery, and a Family BBQ on Sunday to close the weekend out. We will be selecting 40 campers between the ages of 7 and 14 years to attend camp. Volunteer selection will be based on the specific needs of the campers. There are numerous volunteer positions and time commitments may vary depending on the role. Once we have received your application, we will contact you to arrange an interview.

All volunteers at Camp Stepping Stones are in a position of public trust, therefore you must satisfy a security check which includes the following:

- **Criminal Record Check:** you must attend the Winnipeg Police Service or local RCMP Detachment.
- **Vulnerable Sector Check:** you must attend the Winnipeg Police Service or a local RCMP Detachment.
- **Child Abuse Registry Check:** provided and completed with Camp Stepping Stones Committee.
- **Adult Abuse Registry Check:** provided and completed with Camp Stepping Stones Committee.
- **PHIA Pledge:** completed at Volunteer Orientation or prior to Camp.

Please note: a *RCMP Volunteer Criminal Record Check Fee Waiver* can be obtained from the Camp Stepping Stones Committee for those attending a RCMP Detachment. Winnipeg Police Services will not waive the cost.

All Volunteers are required to attend a training session held prior to camp. Training will be dependent on your role and will cover weekend activity schedules, safety guidelines, volunteer self-care, aspects of children's grief and grief activities. You will be notified of the training dates once your selection has been confirmed.

Please submit your completed application form to lschmidt@ierha.ca.
Thank you for interest in Camp Stepping Stones!

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