

APPLICATION TO SERVE ON A PENINSULA RAINBOW EMMAUS TEAM

Note: this application can be filled out on your computer by clicking over the line or in the box you wish to type information into.

I am applying to serve on Peninsula Rainbow Walk Number _____

Name: _____ Name You Like to be Called: _____

Address: _____
NUMBER & STREET CITY STATE ZIP

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email _____

Church You Attend: _____

Your Church Involvement: _____

Pledge of commitment when applying for an Emmaus Team:

1) I am willing to arrange my priorities to make time for teaming.

If you apply to be part of an Emmaus team, you are making a commitment to be available for that weekend, and for a team training once each week for the eight weeks prior to that weekend. Availability and the sacrifice of time is the real requirement. Expect to spend 24 to 28 total hours in training, as well as the time outside of the training sessions to read manuals, prepare talks, learn music, pray, etc.

2) I understand that I may not be selected even though I am qualified.

Each time a walk occurs, there are about twice as many new members of the Emmaus Community produced as would be required for a future team. The committee responsible for team selection earnestly tries to see that everyone has a turn, but it must work within certain guidelines. One of the guidelines is that a team should have built-in experience. About one-third of the members are teaming for the first time, one-third should have previously served on one or two teams, and one third should have been on three or more teams. An effort is also made to limit the number of members from any one church, and to limit back-to-back teaming.

3) I will joyfully accept any job position on the team.

Beyond the Spiritual Directors, Lay Director, Music Director, and Assistant Lay Directors, people are NOT selected for specific jobs. No one has the authority to promise you a particular responsibility. Everyone must be willing to serve in whatever capacity is needed. If you really want to serve, you will accept any service opportunity with grace and humility.

4) I understand that my needs are less important than the needs of the pilgrims.

You should be prepared to submit to the needs of the pilgrims, to the requirements of the Emmaus model, and the loving guidance of our God. Although teaming can be a wonderful mountain top experience for a team member, you should never forget that it is not about you. Your role will be as a servant only, but God can use you more powerfully in that role than in any other you might choose.

I understand and agree to the above conditions YES _____ NO _____

Team Selection Use Only	Postmark Date _____ Date Rec'd _____
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Please Provide the Following Information:

I walked on (Community & Walk Number): _____

Date(s) of Walk: _____ Location: _____

I have participated in a Day of Deeper Understanding (DODU) Yes _____ No _____
 I am currently active in a reunion group Yes _____ No _____
 I attend gatherings on a regular basis Yes _____ No _____
 I am active in Emmaus Community Activities Yes _____ No _____

Previous Teaming Experience (please provide all that you can, this is important information for the team selection committee – start with most recent and work back)

Community & Walk Number	Dates	Location	Team Position	Talk Given (if applicable)

Please let us know what (if any) musical instrument(s) you play: _____

Please provide any additional comments here: _____

TEAM MEMBERS ARE EXPECTED TO PAY THEIR OWN WAY ON THE WEEKEND. The teaming fee is \$200.00. If you are unable to make this financial commitment, you are still needed and welcome to serve on a team. Please indicate in the space below if you need financial assistance.

- I am requesting full financial assistance
- I am requesting partial financial assistance Amount: _____

Note: Requests for financial assistance will be held in strict confidence

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

Please mail application to:
PENINSULA RAINBOW EMMAUS COMMUNITY
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HAMPTON, VA 23666-7743