



# Berkeley Tuolumne Camp Artist and Scientist-In-Residence Application Form 2024

## Tuolumne Camp Artist/Scientist-In-Residence (ASIR) Program

We are looking forward to another great season of Tuolumne Family Camp, including our popular Artist-In-Residence (AIR) program! We are excited to continue to offer this program for our Campers, and for our wonderful AIR's who have provided enriching programs for our campers for many years. AIRs provide amazing opportunities for campers to enjoy arts, crafts, and a variety of unique trades in an outdoor recreational setting. We greatly appreciate your interest in volunteering as an AIR at Berkeley Tuolumne Camp during our Family Camp program this summer.

This summer we are excited to introduce our new **Scientist in Residence** program in addition to our already popular Artist in Resident program. Similar to our Artist in Resident program, Scientists in Residence will develop 3 interactive and fun classes for campers. Classes may be for adults only or campers of all ages depending on what you prefer. Are you knowledgeable in Astronomy? Perhaps you like biology or earth sciences? We are looking for campers that would like to teach fun and interactive classes in the following areas:

- Astronomy
- Biology (Classes about local flora and fauna)
  - Fresh Water Biology and ecosystems
- Geology/Earth Science
- Meteorology
- Ecology
- Botany
- Archeology
- Zoology
- Any other sciences related to Berkeley Tuolumne Camp and the surrounding area

The Artist and Scientist in Resident program is designed to bring Adult-Oriented Arts, Crafts, and sciences into our camp setting. While Tuolumne staff provide Arts & Crafts to all age groups, we have recognized the need to serve our adult community more specifically. For this purpose, we will recruit about 18 artists and scientists to instruct our adult campers in a unique craft or art form throughout the summer Family Camp program.

For summer 2024, Artist and Scientist in Residents will be responsible for the provision of their own supplies and materials. If you are teaching Ceramics, we may be able to purchase the clay you require for your class. ***All Artist and Scientist in Residence are required to provide a negative TB test as well as complete a fingerprint background check to be eligible.***



### Timeline

Artist and Scientist in Resident Applications are now available. Camp Staff will review applications beginning in February 2024. Acceptance letters will be mailed following application review, in the beginning of March 2024.

### Accommodations

Artists and Scientists will be provided a private cabin for the duration of their stay, generally four days and three nights. AIRs will have a residence that can accommodate a minimum of two individuals, but a maximum of four individuals.

### Compensation

Artists and Scientists commit to teaching a 2-3 hour class each day of their stay (a total of 3 sessions / 6-9 hours of program time). This offering guarantees a free stay for the Artist and Scientist in resident. The Artist and Scientist in resident may also bring one additional adult or two children under the age of fifteen at no charge. Up to three additional family members may receive a fee waiver up to 80%, provided they use one tent cabin.

### Activity Offerings

Our Artist and Scientist-In-Residence program has limited space and availability, and artists and scientists will be selected based on Camp needs. From experience, we know that campers appreciate projects that are tactile, offer a 'take-away' or finished product, and enhance/incorporate aspects of the camp experience. Some examples of past artist offerings include:

- Origami
- Advanced Macramé
- Ceramics
- Leather Pressing
- Photography
- Felting
- Aerobics, Yoga, or Dance
- Drawing / Painting
- Basket Weaving

- Paper Weaving
- Rock Painting

What we are looking for in terms of Scientist in resident includes, but is not limited to:

- Astronomy (constellations, planets, etc.)
- Biology/Ecology (Lessons on local plants and animals.)

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- Geology/Earth Science (rock identification/soil composition, etc.)
- Botany (Plant identification/removal of invasive plants)
- Meteorology (Cloud identification/weather cycle, etc.)
- Fire Ecology/prevention (How to prevent fires/how fires can

sometimes be beneficial in new forest re-generation

**Typical Artist and Scientist-In-Residence schedule:**

Day 1	Day 2-3	Day 4
<b>11:00 AM</b> Arrival – settle into cabin	<b>8:30 AM</b> Breakfast	<b>8:30 AM</b> Breakfast
<b>12:30 PM</b> Lunch	<b>9:00 AM</b> Program prep	<b>9:30 AM</b> Cabin Move-Out
<b>2:30 PM</b> ASIR Session #1	<b>9:30 AM</b> ASIR Session #2/#3	<b>11:00 AM</b> Check-Out
<b>5:30 PM</b> Program Clean-Up, enjoy camp remainder of the evening	<b>12:30 PM</b> Program clean-up --Enjoy the camp remainder of the day	



**VOLUNTEER AGREEMENT AND RELEASE FROM LIABILITY**

- 1. The Undersigned (“Volunteer”) has requested to perform various works in exchange for room and board, for a period of several days at the City of Berkeley’s Tuolumne Camp (“BTC”). Volunteer understands that s/he will perform such work unsupervised. Work will include, but not be limited to: teaching art classes for BTC campers and/or staff, which may include working with others who have no experience whatsoever; handling hazardous materials; and operating tools and other machinery. Volunteer understands that there are risks associated with working with such individuals, materials and tools. Volunteer will observe and comply with all applicable safety procedures regarding such work.
- 2. I understand that I may be photographed at times to help promote the Artist and Scientist in Resident program for future summers and marketing of camp.
- 3. Volunteer understands that s/he is voluntarily participating in this activity with knowledge of the danger involved and agrees to accept any and all risks of personal injury.
- 4. As consideration for participating as a volunteer at BTC, Volunteer hereby agrees that s/he, and her/his assignees, heirs, guardians, and legal representatives, will not make a claim against or sue the City of Berkeley or its employees, agents, volunteers, or contractors for injury or damage resulting from the negligence, whether active or passive, or other acts, however caused, by any of its officers, employees, agents, volunteers, or contractors of the City of Berkeley as a result of her/his participation in the volunteer program.

I HEREBY RELEASE AND DISCHARGE THE CITY, AND ITS OFFICERS EMPLOYEES, AGENTS, VOLUNTEERS, AND CONTRACTORS FROM ALL ACTIONS, CLAIMS, OR DEMANDS THAT I, MY HEIRS, GUARDIANS, AND LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES NOW HAVE OR MAY HAVE IN THE FUTURE FOR INJURY OR DAMAGE RESULTING FROM MY PARTICIPATION AS A VOLUNTEER AT BTC.

- 5. I UNDERSTAND THAT IF I AM INJURED IN THE COURSE OF THIS VOLUNTARY ACTIVITY, THAT I AM NOT COVERED BY THE CITY OF BERKELEY WORKER’S COMPENSATION PROGRAM. I authorize the City of Berkeley to seek emergency medical treatment in case of injury, accident or illness. I understand that I will be responsible for medical costs incurred by such accident, illness or injury.
- 6. I UNDERSTAND THAT PURSUANT TO STATE LAW, I MUST BE FINGERPRINTED PRIOR TO WORKING WITH CHILDREN AS A VOLUNTEER. I FURTHER UNDERSTAND THAT MY FINGERPRINTS WILL BE ANALYZED BY AN INDEPENDENT STATE AGENCY TO DETERMINE IF I HAVE A RECORD OF “SUMMARY CRIMINAL HISTORY INFORMATION” THAT WOULD BE RELEVANT TO MY QUALIFICATIONS TO WORK WITH CHILDREN; IF I HAVE SUCH A RECORD, IT WILL BE DISCLOSED TO THE CITY THROUGH THIS PROCESS.
- 7. I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS AGREEMENT AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENTS. I AM AWARE THAT I AM RELEASING THE CITY AND ITS AGENTS FROM LIABILITY IF I AM INJURED DURING THE ACTIVITY.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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PARTICIPANT SIGNATURE

# 2024 Berkeley Tuolumne Camp Artist and Scientist-In-Residence (ASIR) Application

## General Information

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Secondary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Successful applicants will be required to provide a negative TB test and complete a background check which includes DOJ fingerprinting.**

## Activity Proposal

1. Length of activity session (prefer ~3-hour session times): \_\_\_\_\_
2. What is the maximum number of participants per session? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Please describe your workshop or activity:

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4. If applicable, please attach a photograph or physical example of a finished product from your activity.
5. Experience: List any paid or volunteer experience you have with your proposed workshop or activity:

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*~Please attach additional sheets as necessary~*

## 2024 Artist and Scientist in Residence Session Dates

Please select (rank by number) your TOP THREE session choices.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Session 1A June 17 -20 | <input type="checkbox"/> | Session 1B June 20 – 23 | <input type="checkbox"/> | Session 2A June 24 - 27 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Session 2B June 27-30  | <input type="checkbox"/> | Session 3A July 1 - 4   | <input type="checkbox"/> | Session 3B July 4 – 7   |

City of Berkeley Recreation Office  
1720 8<sup>th</sup> Street, Berkeley, CA 94710

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Internal

**Session 4A July 8 – 11**

**Session 4B July 11 – 14**

**Session 5A Jul 15 - 18**

**Session 5B July 18 -21**

**Session 6A July 22 - 25**

**Session 6B Jul 25- 28**

**Session 7A July 29 – Aug 1**

**Session 7B Aug 1 - 4**

**Session 8A Aug 5 - 8**

**Session 8B Aug 8 - 11**

**Session9A Aug 12 - 15**

**Session 9B Aug 15-18**



## Berkeley Tuolumne Family Camp

### ARTIST AND SCIENTIST-IN-RESIDENCE (ASIR) Application, Fees, and General Information

ASIR's must apply to take part in our program. This form is for informational purposes, and will be collected by the **Camp Manager** following acceptance into the program. ASIR's may bring one additional adult or two children under the age of fifteen for the full fee waiver. Up to three additional family members may receive a waiver up to 80%, provided they use one tent cabin. Additional Guests will be charged at Standard Fees for the program.

#### FEES FOR 2022 CAMP SEASON

(Fees are for the entire 4-day length of an ASIR stay)

Age Category (during stay)	Fee for <b>entire stay</b> for ASIR guests who are Berkeley Residents	Fee for <b>entire stay</b> for ASIR guests who are <b>NOT</b> Berkeley Residents
Additional Camper Over 3 years old (up to 3 Campers)	60.00	72.00
Infant (under 3 years)	No Charge	No Charge
Additional Campers Full Fee	300.00	360.00

**Session Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **(Lunch)** **Departure Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **(Breakfast)**

#### Artist and Scientist-In-Residence Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Alt Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Adult Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Res / Non-Res Date Of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

**OR**

Child #1: \_\_\_\_\_ Res / Non-Res Date Of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Child #2: \_\_\_\_\_ Res / Non-Res Date Of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Additional Guest Information – ASIR's may bring up to three guests at reduced ASIR Rates

Camper #1: \_\_\_\_\_ Res / Non-Res Date Of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Fee: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Camper #2: \_\_\_\_\_ Res / Non-Res Date Of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Fee: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Camper #3: \_\_\_\_\_ Res / Non-Res Date Of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Fee: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

#### Additional Guests at Standard Fees (see Family Camp Fee Chart):

Camper #4: \_\_\_\_\_ Res / Non-Res Date Of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Fee: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Camper #5: \_\_\_\_\_ Res / Non-Res Date Of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Fee: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Camper #6: \_\_\_\_\_ Res / Non-Res Date Of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Fee: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Fee \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of ASIR:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

#### Submit this form to:

Berkeley Tuolumne Camp Manager, 1720 8<sup>th</sup> Street., Berkeley, CA 94705 or [npiatt@cityofberkeley.info](mailto:npiatt@cityofberkeley.info). The Camp Manager will review, approve, and verify total payment due. Checks should be made payable to "City of Berkeley."

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