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Mailed In

Blue Lake International Exchange Program Student Application

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Name: _____ Birthdate: ____/____/____
last first m.i.

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: (_____) _____ Email: _____

School: _____ Grade Next School Year: _____

Primary Talent (specific instrument, voice part, dance, etc.): _____

Performing groups of which you are a member: _____

List honors, awards, and/or special recognitions: _____

Other talents, skills, & interests: _____

OTHER INFORMATION:

Have you ever attended Blue Lake before? ____ yes ____ no What year? _____

What was your Major? _____ What Group were you in at Blue Lake: _____

ESSAY QUESTIONS: Please answer questions fully.

1. I am interested in becoming a member of Blue Lake's International... (please specify in rank order of any that are applicable to you)

___ Orchestra ___ Band ___ Choir ___ Jazz Band ___ Ballet

2. How did you learn about the International Exchange Program? (check all that apply)

___ Camp bulletin boards & signs ___ International concerts at camp
___ Counselor ___ Program representatives talked to group or unit
___ Friends ___ Other: _____

3. Why do you wish to become a member of Blue Lake's International Exchange Program? _____

4. Have you traveled to foreign countries before? ___ no ___ yes: _____
(please specify)

5. Have you studied, or are you studying, a foreign language? ___ no ___ yes: _____
(please specify)

6. How do you feel about staying in private homes with host families while on tour? _____

7. How do you feel about staying with a host family who may not speak English? _____

8. How do you feel about wearing the camp uniform while on tour? _____

9. What is your opinion on exchanges such as Blue Lake's program? _____

10. Members of Blue Lake's International Exchange Program are often viewed as "American Ambassadors" to the countries they visit. Do you feel responsible to represent a fair example of American culture? How would you contribute to this representation?

11. Explain what "International Exchange" means to you: _____

12. Additional comments: _____

AUTHORIZATION:

"I have answered these questions to the best of my ability. The opinions expressed here are solely my own."

Signature of applicant / /
date

Return to: Blue Lake International Exchange Program
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