

RAINBOW VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY

Of WHITE OAK BOROUGH, PA.

2916 Jacks Run Road White Oak, Pa. 15131

Station Phone # 412-664-9523

Application Fee Paid Amt: \$ _____

Date: _____

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Regular Probation (180 Days) | <input type="checkbox"/> Regular Special Probation (30 Days) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Junior Probation (Age 14-15) | <input type="checkbox"/> Junior Probation (Age 16-17) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Associate Member | <input type="checkbox"/> Member Status Change |

Social Security Number: _____

Home Phone Number: _____

Drivers License Number: _____

Alternate Number(Cell): _____

Name _____
Last First Middle

Address _____
Street City State Zip

Date of Birth _____ Age: _____ Married: _____ Children: _____

Previous Firefighting or Medical Training / Experience: YES NO

If YES, give details and/or certificates: _____

List present and past membership in other Fire Companies or Ambulance Services:

→ _____

List any conditions, if any, which might prevent you from participating in any firefighting or related activities (HIPAA Compliance enforced with medical information):

→ _____

Do you have any ALLERGIES: NO YES If YES list _____

Have you been convicted of any crime: NO YES If YES list _____

I hereby make application for membership in the Rainbow Volunteer Fire Company of White Oak Borough; and, if accepted, I will abide by all the rules of the Rainbow Volunteer Fire Company. I certify that the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and agree that any willful misstatement is grounds for immediate dismissal.

Signature

Date

Proposed by: _____
be recommended by two (2) active members in good standing.

Only applicants 14-17 and their parent(s) should complete this side.

CHILD LABOR LAW – JUNIOR VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS (AS OF 1/1/2005)

I Minors 14-15 under the Child Labor Laws

Junior volunteer firefighters 14-15 are restricted by law to do the following activities:

1. First-aid
2. Clean-up service at the scene of a fire, but only outside the structure and only after the fire has been declared under control by the fire official in charge.
3. Providing coffee wagon and food services.
4. Engaging in training.

Junior firefighters 14-15 are specifically prohibited by law from the following:

1. Operating an aerial ladder, or platform, or hydraulic jack.
2. Using rubber electrical gloves, insulated wire gloves, insulated wire cutters, life nets or acetylene cutting units.
3. Operating the pumps of any fire vehicle at the scene of a fire.
4. Driving a fire truck, ambulance or other official fire vehicle.
5. Entering a burning structure.
6. Operating high-pressure hose lines except during training.
7. Ascending ladders except during training.

Junior firefighters 14-15 are prohibited from engaging in the fire company activities while school is in session and between 7 P.M. and 7 A.M. (10 P.M. and 7 A.M. during school summer vacation). Junior firefighters 14-15 may, however, attend firefighting classes as part of a training program even after 7 P.M. during the school year.

II Minors 16-17 under the Child Labor Laws

16-17 year old minors who have completed a fire training course (such as one given at a county fire school) may participate in firefighting activities if they are under the direct supervision of the fire chief or an experienced line officer.

16-17 year old junior firefighters are still prohibited however, from any of the following activities by law:

1. Operating an aerial ladder, or platform, or a hydraulic jack.
2. Using rubber electrical gloves, insulated wire gloves, insulated wire cutters, life nets or acetylene cutting torches.
3. Operating the pumps of any fire vehicle at the scene of a fire.
4. Driving a fire truck, ambulance or any other official fire vehicle.
5. Entering a burning structure.

16-17 year olds are normally prohibited from serving as firefighters between the hours of 12 midnight and 6 A.M. (1 A.M. and 6 A.M. on Friday and Saturday nights and during school term vacations, but **NO** night restrictions during summer vacations). 16-17 year old firefighters who answer a fire call before the 12 or 1 o'clock deadline may continue to respond to that call past that deadline. Such volunteers may **NOT** answer any new calls after 12 or 1 o'clock.

III Employment Certificate

All junior firefighters must obtain an employment certificate in order to participate as members of a volunteer fire company. Such certificates may be obtained through the junior firefighters local school district.

IV High School Graduate

Individuals 17 or over who have graduated from high school are no longer considered minors under the Child Labor Law. Therefore, 17-year-old junior firefighters who are high school graduates are NOT subject to ANY of the above restrictions. The exemption also applies to those 17 year olds who have been declared by the chief school administrator to have achieved their academic potential.

V Workers' Compensation

Minor volunteer firefighters are eligible for workers' compensation if injured while actively engaged as firefighters or while going to or returning a fire. However, in the case of fundraising events, junior firefighters are only eligible for workers' compensation if the local municipality specifically authorized them, through an ordinance, to engage in fund-raising activities.

Father _____ Address _____

Mother _____ Address _____

State of _____ **SEAL**

County of _____ Notarization Signature

On this _____ day of _____ 20____ before me personally appeared _____ to me known to the persons(s) named in and who executed the above release and acknowledge that _____ executed the same as _____ own free act and deed.

(OFFICIAL TITLE) _____