

## **West Wyoming Borough Parks and Recreation**

464 West Eighth Street West Wyoming, PA 18644 Phone: 570-693-1311

## **MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

PERSONAL DATA:	
Name:	DOB:
Address:	City:
State: Zip:	_
Email Address:	
Day-time Phone:	Evening Phone:
Cell Phone:	Occupation:
Are you over 18 years of age? Yes ☐ No ☐	Resident of the Borough? Yes ☐ No ☐
PLEASE EXPLAIN WHY YOU ARE INTERESTED IN	I SERVING AS A BOROUGH VOLUNTEER:
REFERENCES: Please list three non-family members that we may	
NameName	Phone Phone
Name	Phone
<b>EXPERIENCE:</b> Have you ever belonged to any other Parks and Recre If yes, please list:	
SIGNATURE:	Date:
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If you under the age of 18 years, you must have the signature of a parent or guardian.

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## What You Need to Know - Obtaining Required Clearances

- 1. All new applicants aged 18 or older must provide required clearances must complete the required background checks at the time of application.
- 2. The required clearances are as follows:
  - PA State Police Criminal Background Check Clearance
  - Child Abuse History Clearance from the PA Department of Human Services
  - If you have been a resident of PA less than 10 years an FBI Criminal Background Check is also required
- 3. The State Police and Child Abuse clearances can be obtained online through the following websites:
- State Police: https://epatch.state.pa.us/Home.jsp
- o Child Welfare Portal https://www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis/public/home
- 4. The State Police and Child Abuse clearances are free for volunteers- you should be able to select "volunteer" as your reason for the clearance on both websites. This should automatically waive the fee.
- 5. For those that need the FBI Criminal Background Check, visit **Applicant Fingerprinting Online Services** http://www.keepkidssafe.pa.gov/resources/clearances/index.htm

If you have already obtained these clearances for another volunteer position, or employment, and the clearances are not older than 5 years, you may use them to meet the Borough's background check requirements. Incidentally, if you need these clearances for your place of employment, you cannot use volunteer clearances for a paid position.

- 6. Clearances are to be turned in with your membership application to the Borough. All applications will be kept confidential.
- 7. Clearances will need to be renewed every 5 years and are the responsibility of the applicant/member.

Please email your completed application with attached clearances to <a href="mailto:administrator@westyoming.org">administrator@westyoming.org</a>
- OR -

Drop off your application and clearances to the Borough Town Hall, 464 West Eighth Street, West Wyoming.