



Tierra Grande Chapter Texas Master Naturalist

PO Box 133, Alpine, Texas 79831

Application for the Texas Master Naturalist Program
Tierra Grande Chapter

This program is a collaborative effort between the Texas Cooperative Extension Service, and the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department

Application deadline: July 15, 2009

Please type or print clearly and return the application along with your check to:

Tierra Grande Chapter
Texas Master Naturalist
PO Box 133
Alpine, TX 79831

Name _____
As you wish to appear on your certificate

Name _____
As you wish to appear on your name tag

Sex: male _____ female _____

Mailing Address:
Street _____

City _____ County _____ Zip _____

Telephone Day(____) _____ Night(____) _____

Email Address _____

Occupation, if employed _____

If retired, former occupation _____

Areas of Interest:

Describe why are you willing to dedicate your personal time as a volunteer under the Texas Master Naturalist Program?

Please indicate any organizations of which you are a member or have volunteered for during the last two years. Please include the average number of hours per month you have given to each organization.

Please note the skills you have that would contribute to the Texas Master Naturalist Program. Include areas of interest such as photography, typing, computer skills, graphic arts, public speaking and teaching. Be sure to address relevant training or education.

Please rate your interest level 10 = high, 5 = medium, 1 = low

Education / Public Information

- Speakers Bureau (presentations) _____
- Guide or Docent (special projects) _____
- Children's activities _____
- Other _____

Field Research / Surveys / Educational Trails

- Forest Ecosystems _____
- Arid Grasslands Ecosystems _____
- Wetland Ecosystems _____
- Plant and Wildlife Census (bird, insect, amphibian, etc.) _____
- Habitat Restoration Projects _____
- Native Plant / Seed Collection _____
- Trail Building _____
- Other _____

Administrative Work

- Texas Master Naturalist Executive Board _____
- Fund Raising _____
- Computer Work _____
- Newsletter _____
- Website Development and Update _____
- Bookkeeping _____
- Other _____

Other Areas of Interest:

(See next page)

Tierra Grande Chapter of the Texas Master Naturalist Program

VOLUNTEER PLEDGE:

I understand that in exchange for the training made possible through the Tierra Grande Chapter of the Texas Master Naturalist Program, I will volunteer at least 40 hours of my time toward approved projects and complete eight hours of advanced training within one year. I also understand that by completing these requirements I will become a Certified Texas Master Naturalist and to continue my certification I must complete eight hours of advanced training and 40 hours of volunteer time on a yearly basis.

LIABILITY RELEASE:

I understand that in consideration of being accepted as a participant in the Texas Master Naturalist Program I hereby release, discharge, and agree to hold harmless the program and it's sponsoring agencies, their agents, employees, officers and successors, from all personal injuries (including death), known and unknown, or damage to property caused by or arising out of activities performed under the Texas Master Naturalist Program.

By signing below I accept both the Volunteer Pledge and Liability Release listed above.

Signature

Date