



## **Kawkawa Camp Society Membership Application**

*Thank-you for your desire to become a society member of Kawkawa Camp. Kawkawa Camp is a distinctively Christian organization. Our policies are built on principles taken from the Holy Bible. The Scriptures are the final authority guiding our faith and actions. Our understanding and interpretation of Scriptures is consistent with the evangelical Christian tradition. We expect all Kawkawa staff, board members society members and volunteers to believe and support our Statement of Faith and Membership Commitment.*

### **The Process**

1. The Application Form must be completed by the individual applying for membership.
2. The Application Form must be submitted to the Board for approval by email to

board@kawkawa.com or by mail:

c/o Board Chair Kawkawa Camp  
66706 Kawkawa Lake Road  
Hope, BC  
V0X 1L1

The Board will respond to the individual in writing confirming their membership in Kawkawa Camp Society and its effective date. Thank-you!

*Please read through the following forms and complete the application. We look forward to meeting you.*



## Membership Commitment

In applying to be a member in the Kawkawa Camp Society, I commit to:

1. Support the ministry of Kawkawa Camp through the giving of my time, finances, spiritual gifts, and abilities as I am able.
2. Championing the ministry of Kawkawa and wholeheartedly supporting the vision, mission, and values.

**Mission:** We create space to cultivate deeper connection with God and others.

**Vision:** We envision lives changed and a world transformed

**Values:** We value:

***Faith:** Living in relationship with God, rooted in biblical truth, guided by prayer.*

***Relationships:** Loving as Christ loves us; we foster healthy relationships and model servant leadership.*

***Safety:** We work to create an environment that is physically, emotionally, and spiritually safe.*

***Stewardship:** Stewarding God's gifts of people, land, structures, and finances with integrity, accountability, and transparency*

***Leadership Development:** We will develop Christian leaders who go on to live lives of influence.*

3. Supporting and abiding by the Statement of Faith.
4. Praying for Kawkawa Camp: Kawkawa staff & volunteers; for its programs, initiatives, and projects; for its success and progress in being a significant ministry in and for the Kingdom of God. Praying for the Board of Directors, for Godly vision, direction, purpose, and focus.
5. Participating in the democratic process of governance: Upholding the bylaws and constitution of the society. Attending and contributing to business meetings, providing a vote when required. Staying apprised of society news through board communication.
6. Respect is integral to any healthy, functioning society. It underpins our interactions, our relationships, and the way we function together as a community. **I commit to creating a safe environment for society members, Kawkawa staff, and board members by participating in respectful behavior through my words and actions.**
7. Annually subscribing in writing to renew membership as noted in *Bylaw 2.2(a)*  
*Membership in the Society shall be available only to individuals interested in furthering the Society's purposes and who wholeheartedly accept, adopt and **subscribe annually in writing** to the Society's Statements of Vision and Mission and Values and Statement of Faith and been accepted into membership in the Society by resolution of the Board or in such other manner as may be determined by the Board.*



## **Statement of Faith**

We believe—

1. In one God in three persons - Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. (Deut. 6:4, Gen. 1:26)
  - a) God the Father is the source of all that is good. He initiates creation and redemption which He accomplishes through His Son and the Holy Spirit. (Rev. 4:11, Isa. 53:4-5; Matt. 8:16-17)
  - b) The deity of the Lord Jesus Christ, His atonement for sin through the cross, His bodily resurrection and His personal, visible return to earth to reign in righteousness and glory. (John 3:16 or 2 Cor. 5:21; Luke 24: 6-7; Matt. 25:31-34)
  - c) The Person of the Holy Spirit and His work of conviction, regeneration, and sanctification, who indwells every believer equipping them with gifts for service and witness. (1 Thessalonians 5:23, Acts 1:8, Romans 6:1-14)
2. In the Bible as originally given by God, divinely inspired, infallible, entirely trustworthy and the supreme authority in all matters of life and faith. (2 Pet. 1:20-21; 2 Tim. 3:15-17)
3. In the necessity of new birth, in salvation by faith in Jesus Christ alone and the importance of a life fully committed to the will of God in Christ. (1 John 2:2, Rom. 3:21-24, Titus 3:4-7, Rom. 8:14-16; John 1:12; Acts 4:12)
4. In the church as the one universal body of Christ who is the Head, called to be God's redeemed people. (1Corinthians 12:12-13)
5. That each life is a gift from God and therefore is valuable. Because of this, we believe it is important to treat all individuals with respect and kindness, regardless of their personal beliefs. We acknowledge the command of Christ to love our neighbours, resulting in service to the Church and society, in seeking reconciliation for all with God and their fellowman, in proclaiming liberty from every kind of oppression; and in spreading Christ's justice in an unjust world until He comes again. (Mark 12:28-31)
6. That creation is a gift from God which we are to steward in a way that points everyone back to the goodness and love of God. (John 1:3-4, Genesis 1:1-2, 26)



## Membership Information

*In an effort to get to know you, please complete the personal information section and brief questionnaire: Thank-you!*

### Personal Information:

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**Name**

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**Address**

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**City & Province**

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**Postal Code**

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**Phone Number**

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**Email**

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**Affiliation (church/business/agency, etc.)**

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**Signature**

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**Date**



**Membership Questionnaire:**

- 1) *Please share a brief description of your faith journey.*
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 2) *How do you know about Kawkawa Camp?*
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 3) *Have you served with Kawkawa Camp previously and in what capacity?*
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 4) *Why do you want to become a society member?*
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 5) *Is there any specific area that you might be interested in serving with Kawkawa Camp?*



### Membership Agreement

I have read and agree with Kawkawa Camp Societies Membership Commitment. I have read and agree with Kawkawa Camp's Statement of Faith.

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

***Thank-you for taking the time to read through and complete this application. The board will review your application and a representative from the board will be in touch with you as soon as possible.***