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Spring Creek Prairie
Audubon Center

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VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Main phone: _____ Other phone: _____

Email: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____

Please check all of the following typical opportunities you are interested in helping with.

Regular

- Front Desk (*greeting visitors, using cash register, answering phone*)
- Education Programs (*Discovery Leader, prairie club, etc.*)
- Habitat Management (*outdoor work including weed removal, limb removal, mulching, landscaping, seed collecting*)
- Maintenance Work (*carpentry, mowing, repairs*)
- Community Science (*bird surveys, monarch monitoring, etc.*)

Occasional

- Computer Help (*scanning, software installation, training for staff, etc.*)
- Yearly building clean up
- Special Events (*set up, clean up, assistance with activities, greeting*)
- Public Programs on weekends and evenings (*preparation, implementation, etc.*)

Please write down other tasks/projects you are interest in helping with:

What days and times are you available? Check all that apply.

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
Morning							
Afternoon							
Evening							

Spring Creek Prairie Audubon Center & the National Audubon Society run background checks on volunteers. By signing this form, you acknowledge that this is a standard procedure and that you are willing to grant a release to perform the background check.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

**RELEASE OF LIABILITY by an Adult Participant
(and Permission for Use of Image and Artwork & Background Check)**

Program: _____ Date: _____ Site: Spring Creek Prairie Audubon Center, Denton, NE

In consideration of my participation in the National Audubon Society, Inc. ("Audubon") program identified above ("Program"), I state and agree as follows:

Liability (Injury): I agree to follow the instruction of the Program Leader(s). I have been instructed in and understand the use of equipment I am to use. I understand that there are possible dangers associated with the Program, including, but not limited to,

_____.

I understand that my participation in the Program may involve sustained strenuous physical activity. I am in good health and am aware of no physical problem or condition that will limit or interfere with my ability to participate in the Program.

I agree that I am participating in the Program at my own risk, and acknowledge that Audubon has made no warranty or representation, expressed or implied, regarding the safety of conducting the Program.

Liability (COVID): Audubon's primary concern is the health and safety of staff, volunteers, and visitors to our offices, centers and sanctuaries. At our properties, Audubon is providing hand wash soap, hand sanitizer, [and tissues] for your use, and has increased its cleaning of frequently touched surfaces such as doorknobs and interactive exhibits. We ask anyone who is feeling unwell or who has had contact with someone diagnosed with COVID-19 to stay at home until the risk for infection has passed. However, no public activity can be 100 percent safe. By participating in the Program, you accept the risk that you may come into contact with pathogens, including the COVID-19 virus. Older adults and people of any age with severe underlying medical conditions may be at higher risk for developing serious complications from COVID-19. If you are in an elevated risk category, please consider volunteering at a later date when it is safer to do so.

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Image Use: I agree and understand that recordings, which may include my image, appearance, voice, name and/or biographical material ("My Likeness") may be made and/or produced at the Program. I hereby give Audubon permission to use, reproduce, duplicate, broadcast and distribute My Likeness, in any and all media, including but not limited to the Internet, whether now known or hereafter devised, in perpetuity. I agree that I have no claim for compensation, that My Likeness may be used in commercial or advertising materials, that My Likeness may be edited at Audubon's sole discretion, and that I waive any right to inspect or approve the finished version.

Artwork Use: I agree that Audubon may use, reproduce, display, make derivative works and distribute any materials I create while participating in the Program ("Artwork"), or any parts thereof, in any and all media, including on the Audubon website and in Audubon magazine, and permit Audubon to use the Artwork in connection with fundraising appeals. Audubon's license to use the Artwork shall be perpetual, royalty-free and non-exclusive.

I expressly release and hold harmless Audubon and its officers, directors, employees, agents, licensees, successors and assigns from and for any and all claims, demands, actions and causes of action whatsoever for (i) libel, defamation, invasion of privacy or right of publicity arising from Audubon's use or alteration of My Likeness (or any part thereof); or (ii) any loss, damage or injury to person or to property suffered or incurred by me in connection with the Program or any aspect of it, including, but not limited to, any transportation arranged by, paid for or provided by Audubon.

This release shall be binding upon me and my heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators and assigns. By signing below, I acknowledge that I have thoroughly read and understand this form and that the statements I have made are all true.

Background Check: Spring Creek Prairie Audubon Center runs background checks on volunteers working with children ages 19 and under. By signing this form, I agree to acknowledge that this is standard procedure and that you are willing to grant a release to perform the background check.

Participant's Name (sign)

Participant's Name (print)

Date

Emergency Contact Name

Emergency Contact Phone Number

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