



SATELLITES SUMMER 2021

TEAM FAQS

How old do I have to be to serve?

Satellites Teams will be open to anyone aged 16 and over. Any team members under the age of 18 will need a letter from a parent or guardian giving permission to be on team. Any team members under 18 can qualify for the 50/50 ticket – an opportunity to be on team half the time and be a guest at the event half the time. See below for more info.

Why can't I choose a specific role?

In order to ensure you get the best out of serving, and we can make sure all team roles are covered, you will choose a wider team that you would like to serve in. Within the wider team, we have created some specific questions that will help us place you in the most suited role or roles.

What If I want to serve on one team only?

There is a chance you may only serve on the same time throughout the event, however, we ask that all our volunteers are flexible and open to be put in different roles when needed. If you are really drawn to one role and one role only, please add this on your application form when you apply, we can't guarantee that you will get that role but it will help us to know when allocating.

How long do I have to serve for?

Depending on the team you are serving on, role times may vary, however it will be a minimum of 6 hours and maximum of 10 hours each day.

What's the 50/50 team?

The 50/50 Team is for 16 – 18year olds only. This is so you can still serve the event but also attend main sessions or seminars and will not miss out on the main programme. You will serve half the time and pay half a ticket price.

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I am bringing a youth group, can I still be on team?

We ask that all youth leaders are committed to looking after their youth group whilst on site. If you think you can do both, then please email us to explain your thinking.

I have additional needs, can I still serve on team?

Of course, we may ask you to let us know your additional needs on the team application form, so we can accommodate the best we can.

Will I be fed?

Yes! We will feed you all week. You will need to let us know if you have any dietary requirements, you can do this when you complete your application form.

Where will I camp?

We have a team campsite specifically for those serving the event, this way you can meet other team members and hang out when you are not serving. You will need to bring your own camping equipment.

Can I camp with my church youth group who will be on site?

Yes of course, you will need to let us know when you sign up, so we can ensure we allocate enough space for you with your church group.

Do I need a DBS?

For some roles, yes, if you are serving on a team that requires a DBS check, you will receive an email asking you to apply when you complete your team application. If you already have an Enhanced DBS and are on the Update Service you will need to provide evidence of your current certificate. Details of how to do this will be included in the automatic DBS application email.

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Who can be my referee?

We ask that either the senior leader of your church is your referee or someone from your employment or somewhere you may volunteer. You cannot choose a friend or someone who is related to you. You must have known them for at least 6 months. Please also let them know that you have put their name down!

How do I sign up?

Now that's a question we like to hear! It's super easy. First you need to head to our ticketing site and book a volunteer ticket. Once you have done this, you will receive an automated email with the team application link to complete, this will be through a website called PAAM. Here you will create your own profile, complete the application form and add in your referee's. Once your references have responded and all is ok, we will then accept you on the team. Depending on the team you will be serving, you will then need to then go through the DBS process.

If you have any other questions about being on team at Satellites 2021, please email us on hello@wearesatellites.com.

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