

**Alligator Attraction Volunteer/Internship Application Form:**

First name:

Last name:

Street Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Home phone:

Work/Cell phone:

Email address:

What is the best way to contact you?

Date of birth:

Gender:

Shirt size:

Allergies or physical restrictions:

Drivers license #:

Emergency contact name:

Emergency contact number:

Have you had your tetanus shot?

Are you volunteering for school/community hours?

How did you here about us?

Availability (circle):      M      T      W      Th      F      S      Su

Describe previous experiences of working with animals:

Describe any special skills:

Why do you want to volunteer at The Alligator Attraction?:

PLEASE KEEP THIS PAGE FOR YOUR RECORDS AND REFERENCE AS NEEDED

Welcome and THANK YOU for volunteering with the Alligator Attraction! We hope you find your volunteer experience rewarding, educational, exciting, and fun. You can have a HUGE impact the lives of our animal rescues. Because of volunteers like you, our animals are provided with the highest level of care. Thank you again for your time and commitment!

As a volunteer, I understand that:

- I should wear closed toed / non-slide shoes and should not wear dangling jewelry.
- My clothes and shoes may become dirty or damaged while volunteering.
- Volunteers do not receive compensation.
- Volunteering at The Alligator Attraction building and/or working with the animals may lead to injury or illness and I assume all liability and risk associated with volunteering.
- Should be up-to date on my Tetanus Shot, just to be safe.

As a volunteer I am expected to:

- Conduct myself in a professional manner at all times when interacting with other staff members and guests.
- Perform my tasks under the guidelines established within the job description for that task.
- Treat the animals with respect and kindness
- Report any abusive behavior in the Rescue to the appropriate staff person.
- Report animal injuries, illness or behavior concerns to a staff member.
- Never handle an animal that makes me feel afraid or uncomfortable.
- Adhere to all established policies and procedures.

This volunteer agreement is entered into as of the date set forth below by The Alligator Attraction (TAA). Whereas, the volunteer has voluntarily contacted TAA and has expressed an interest in working with animals in the care and custody of TAA. In consideration of TAA's agreement to allow the volunteer to interact with such animals is as follows: 1. The volunteer is fully aware of the risks that animals pose and have elected to interact with one or more animals in the care of TAA voluntarily. The volunteer knowingly assumes all risks that exposure to animals may pose. 2. THE VOLUNTEER HEREBY WAIVES, RELEASES DISCHARGES, HOLD HARMLESS, AND PROMISES TO INDEMNIFY AND NOT TO BRING SUIT AGAINST TAA, its directors, officers, volunteers, staff, and all other agents, and attorney for any of the referenced parties and any other parties acting for or on behalf of the referenced parties from and all rights and claims which the volunteer has or which may hereafter accrue to the volunteer and from any and all damages which may be sustained by the volunteer directly or indirectly in connection with, or arising out of, the volunteer's exposure to such animals.

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_