SHARK CAMP 2013 APPLICATION FORM

NAME ADDRESS AGE SCHOOL YEAR

Listening and learning skills:

The shark camp will involve time on the shore, local piers and at Sea in a fully licensed Boat. Participants must be willing to listen to and obey instructions on health and safety, as well as be able to undertake at least one long day in the field. Describe an experience when you have spent a full day at sea or on the coast: (200 words max)

Enthusiasm and fun:

The shark camp is looking for enthusiastic participants with a willingness to learn and have fun: Outline why you think you would be a good participant on the shark camp. (200 words max)

Practical fieldwork:

The shark Camp will involve fieldwork on the shore, pier and at sea: Outline any marine experience you and/or your family have. (200 words max)

Science and IT:

The Shark Camp will involve a taught programme on marine biology and shark ecology: List any scientific or computer experience you have including subjects at school and/or other projects you have an interest in, or have partaken in. (200 words max)

Art and video creation:

The shark camp will involve the use of artistic and video creation skills; please outline your artistic and/or video production and editing interests or experience, including any previous projects you have been involved with that are relevant to these skills. (200 words max)

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Additional Information

Please outline or list any other information you think might support your application (Max 200 words).

*Note: If you feel you cannot answer a question or feel the question is not suited to you, try not to leave it blank. For example if you have no interest in science or I.T., but are still keen to take part, just let us know what else you are good at!

IMPORTANT CONDITONS:

Places are limited to 10 participants. The decision of who are the 10 most suitable participants will be taken by the camp coordinators based on the applications provided.

The shark Camp will run from Monday 29^{th} July – Friday the 2^{nd} of August and from Tuesday the 6^{th} to Friday the 9^{th} of August inclusive: Participants must be available for all days during this time. Do not apply if you are not available as places are limited.

The Shark Camp is funded by the Inishowen Development Partnership and the Inishowen Basking Shark Study Group. Participation is free and Lunch will be provided for selected Interns. Participants will be required to bring their own suitable waterproof clothing and waterproof boots on a minimum of two days during the Camp.

The shark camp will involved some strenuous activity and some confidence in outdoor environments will be necessary to complete the tasks outlined.

I have read the conditions outlined above and I am willing and able to meet them.

Signed: Participant

Signed: Parent/ Guardian

Applications must be retuned via email to

<u>emmett.johnston@baskingshark.ie</u> and <u>r_mccloskey@hotmail.com</u> by closing date of June 30th.