



Garden Internship/WWOOFer Application

Please complete this application form in it's entirety and return it to us at (email) garden@trybalrevival.com or (mail) 1429 E Michigan Ave., Kalamazoo, MI 49048. You may attach additional pages to expound on any questions asked or to provide additional information you'd like to share about yourself in consideration for this application.

ABOUT YOU:

Name: _____

Permanent Address: _____

eMail: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Phone: _____

When would you like to start, and what length of stay? _____

Why are you specifically interested in Trybal Revival Gardens as an Internship/WWOOFer experience?

Do any of these areas particularly interest you:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Permaculture | <input type="checkbox"/> Organic Gardening/Growing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Urban Agriculture | <input type="checkbox"/> Native Plants |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ornamental/Flower Gardening | <input type="checkbox"/> Food Production/Gardening |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Beekeeping | <input type="checkbox"/> Chickens/Ducks |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Construction/Building | <input type="checkbox"/> Community Development |

What are your hobbies and interests? _____

What type of work do you enjoy the most? _____

What type of work do you enjoy the least? _____

What experience (work/volunteer/educational) do you have related to the vision/mission of Trybal Revival Gardens? _____

Have you previously done any live-in Internship/WWOOFer program? YES NO

Do you have any physical limitations or medical conditions that limit your ability to do physical work? YES NO

If yes, explain in as much detail as you care to (not required):

Do you have any dietary requirements/allergies/etc. YES NO

If yes, please describe:

Do you smoke? YES NO

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? YES NO

Have you ever been convicted of a charge involving violence? YES NO

Have you ever been convicted of a charge involving drugs? YES NO

REFERENCES

Please provide 2 references we may contact, preferably previous internship/WWOOFer hosts or employers, who can vouch for the quality of your work, reliability, and honesty.

REFERENCE #1

Name: _____
Company/Organization Name: _____
street: _____
city/st/zip: _____
eMail: _____ Phone: _____
Employed/Stay Dates (from/to): _____

REFERENCE #2

Name: _____
Company/Organization Name: _____
street: _____
city/st/zip: _____
eMail: _____ Phone: _____
Employed/Stay Dates (from/to): _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFO

CONTACT #1

Name: _____ Relationship _____
street: _____
city/st/zip: _____
eMail: _____ Phone: _____

CONTACT #2

Name: _____ Relationship _____
street: _____
city/st/zip: _____
eMail: _____ Phone: _____

DESCRIPTION OF CONDITIONS ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

For the purpose of this document, “we” and “us” refers to Trybal Revival Gardens and it’s owners/managers, and “you” refers to the undersigned applicant.

- By signing and submitting this form, you agree to submit to a background and criminal check as part of this application process. You understand that the results of these checks will be held in strictest confidence.
- If your application is accepted, when you arrive you will provide us with 2 forms of valid identification, one of which will be a photo ID. We will copy these for our records. If you can not produce this identification, you will not be accepted as an Intern/WWOOFer at Trybal Revival Gardens.
- A big part of our mission at Trybal Revival Gardens is education, and although there is a lot of work to be done and that is the main purpose of our bringing in an Intern/WWOOFer, we want to make the experience a positive one for you as well. That’s one reason we asked about your interests—we want to provide you with a rewarding experience in return for the work you will do for us. Likewise, we look forward to learning from you and the experiences you have had. In general, there is enough work to be done around here that we should be able to tailor a portion of the work to areas you are specifically interested in. Unfortunately, we can not guarantee that you will find all of the work/tasks you are asked to perform rewarding/inspiring/educational.
- Work performed may include heavy shoveling, digging and wheel barrowing. We will be reasonable in breaking up this work so as not to cause undue strain, but some amount of “heavy duty work” is required.
- We have an expectation that you are entering into this internship/WWOOFer arrangement in good-faith as an exchange of room and board (provided by Trybal Revival Gardens) for hands-on work (performed by you) at our gardens and/or home. We expect that you will arrive with adequate clothing (including appropriate shoes/boots) for the work to be performed. We can provide work gloves, safety glasses, and ear protection as needed.
- Upon arrival at Trybal Revival Gardens, you will be required to sign a release of liability which will hold harmless Trybal Revival Gardens and it’s owners of any liability resulting from injury while staying with us regardless of the nature or circumstances of your injury.
- We reserve the right to terminate this Internship/WWOOFer arrangement at any time prior to or during your stay with us.
- Trybal Revival Gardens is located in the city limits of Kalamazoo, Michigan. The parameters of city/urban living exist which include city noises such as traffic, trains, industry, and close-by neighbors.
- We eat just about anything, but tend toward a low-meat diet. If you have special dietary needs we will try to reasonably accommodate them, although you may need to take a more active role in food preparation to insure your special needs are met.
- We have a dog—she’s friendly, but she’s a dog none-the-less, and we consider her a family member.
- We have honey bees—they’re friendly, but they are bees none-the-less (we do NOT consider them family members.)

You have read this Description of Conditions and agree to the conditions.

Your signature below indicates that the information provided on this application is true to the best of your knowledge, and authorizes Trybal Revival Gardens and it’s owners to verify the information. You also acknowledge and agree to the background check and description of conditions.

signature

date