

Furnace Mountain Retreat Application

During a retreat the participants sit, walk, work and eat together. The teacher (or teachers) leading the retreat will give encouragement through a talk each day and participants will have the opportunity to attend private interviews with the teacher.

Some people, including those who have been practicing for some time, may find the retreat schedule, including maintaining silence and physical stillness for long periods, challenging. Retreatants see, over and over, the mind's incessant activity. Everyone is asked to make a great effort to sit still, attend sessions no matter how tired, and to continually give their best to staying present.

Some previous experience of sitting meditation is therefore helpful. If you have any concerns, or believe you have a pre-existing physical, emotional or psychological issue that could impact on your ability to participate in the retreat, please office @furnacemountain.org and we will be happy to discuss your situation with you.

Admission to retreat is by application. Retreat space is limited and priority for weekend retreats is given to those who are able to attend the entire retreat. Additionally, priority for weeklong or longer retreats is given to those with previous retreat experience at Furnace Mountain or one of its affiliate centers.

Application Process:

- Please complete and return the information requested below.
- After you have completed and returned your application, you will receive a return email notifying you of your acceptance. This will include an email with information regarding payment options and travel arrangements.
- After payment has been received you will be sent confirmation of your registration as well as further retreat information including what to bring.

Retreats include accommodations in single-sex shared rooms. Bedding is supplied. Vegetarian meals are provided.

If you have any questions, please contact us at office@furnacemountain.org.

Please complete and return your form to office@furnacemountain.org or mail to:
Retreat Registrations, Furnace Mountain Retreat Center, Box 545, Clay City, KY 40312

Furnace Mountain Three Month Retreat
Sunday, September 20th, 7:30pm through Saturday, December 20th 1:00pm

Name:

Address:

Telephone:

Email:

Arrival date and time:

Departure date and time:

Contact name and no. in the event of emergency:

Food allergies:

Please describe your previous meditation and retreat experience:

Retreat fees:

Three month retreat	\$6,330.00
Early bird (apply and pay at least one month prior)	\$5,000.00
One month attendance	\$2,110.00
One week attendance	\$749.00

(Note: there is no partial attendance of less than one week during the three month retreat.)

Are you able to offer the full retreat fee? ___ yes ___ no

If you are requesting financial assistance, please indicate how much you will be able to offer. _____ .

Would you like to contribute to our scholarship fund? If yes, how much would you like to offer? _____

I hereby release the trainer(s), Furnace Mountain Zen Retreat Center, its trustees, and its members from any liability for any harm incurred as a result of my participation in the course.

(name) _____ (date) _____