## DEERFIELD TOWNSHIP JOB DESCRIPTION

Position Title: Camp Counselor

Department: Parks and Recreation
Reports to: Camp Director
Classification: Seasonal; Part-Time
Pay Rate: \$15.00/Hour
Probation: 180 Days
Work Hours: 8:00am – 1:00pm, Monday – Friday
Hours vary based on programs.

## **JOB RESPONSIBILITIES:**

Camp counselor for outdoor day camp for children ages 5 years old through 8<sup>th</sup> grade. Responsibilities include: ensuring safety of campers, conducting daily activity schedule, managing camp equipment and supplies, and implementing positive behavior management techniques.

## **QUALIFICATIONS:**

Minimum class requirements: equivalent to high school diploma; prefer: two (2) years college level courses in education and administration or two (2) years experience in structured outdoor activities involving children and juveniles; CPR and first aid certified. (Other evidences may be substituted).

## **ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:**

The following functions are normal for this position. These are not to be construed as exclusive or all-inclusive. Other duties may be required.

- 1. Follow established safety procedures and controls.
- 2. Serve as a positive role model for youth.
- 3. Maintain effective communication with staff, campers, and parents.
- 4. Attend preliminary training and weekly staff meetings.
- 5. Assist in the preparation of camp activities (prepare craft materials, gather supplies, etc.).
- 6. Assist with and follow established guidelines for camper check-in/check-out; supervise and engage campers in activities during arrival and departure times.
- 7. Lead small and large group learning activities, such as hiking, nature exploration, recreational sports, games, and crafts.
- 8. Manage group dynamics, behavior concerns, and emergency situations, including the application of first aid; use problem solving skills and seek assistance when needed.
- 9. Assist with setup/cleanup of camp area and activities.
- 10. Maintain and complete required camp forms (Daily Group Sheets, Incident Reports, etc.).
- 11. Other duties as assigned.

Application Deadline: April 12<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Online Applications are Available at: www.DeerfieldRec.com

Paper Applications May be Mailed to: Attn: Camp Director

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