



Camp Sawtooth

Summer Program Staff Position Description

Title: Program Staff (7 positions: 3 male & 4 female) **Employment Period:** June 15th – July 27th, 2012

Purpose: Work with Summer Staff Team to design, coordinate and lead all Activities for resident youth camps.

The Program Staff focuses on building and leading a full range of program activities suitable for each specific summer camp and age group. This commitment empowers the Camp Deans to focus on the spiritual/pastoral dimensions of working with campers.

Qualifications:

- Personal faith in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord.
- Enthusiastic about serving Christ in the realm of camping ministry.
- Program Staff must be over 19 years old. (2 years out of high school is preferred.)
- Capable of being a team player.
- Eagerness to grow in Christian character (Galatians 5:22-23).
- Agree to the Camp Sawtooth Objectives and Statement of Faith.

Responsibilities:

- Participate fully in Staff Training Week and weekly Summer Staff meetings.
- Design, coordinate and lead activities relating to the Camp Theme developed by the Camp Board Program Committee.
- Program activities include Bible study, small groups, chapel and campfire worship, games, crafts, music, as well as other activities.
- Serve as a Cabin Leaders to 6 to 12 campers. If available, a volunteer Cabin Parent will be assigned to assist in this, as well as a Program Staff-in-Training (PSIT).
- Lead small groups. Build friendships with campers.
- Work with individual Camp Deans in support of their particular interests in teaching the Scriptures, emphasizing the Camp Theme and leading the other spiritual/pastoral dimensions of camp.
- Work in ministry partnership with volunteer Cabin Parents and Program Staff-in-Training (PSIT).

Program Staff Positions Available:

Cabin Leader/Music Coordinator (2): Serve as cabin staff and assist in the planning, preparation and leadership of program activities including worship, small groups, games, mixers, sports, nature hikes, skits, etc. Music Coordinators will lead worship at chapel, lodge time and campfire. This includes choosing songs, making sure song books/sheets are in proper location, and proper equipment is available.

Cabin Leader/Game & Activity Coordinator (2): Serve as cabin staff and assist in the planning, preparation and leadership of program activities including worship, small groups, games, mixers, sports, nature hikes, skits, etc. Game & Activity Coordinators are responsible for leading all camp games and activities.

Cabin Leader/Crafts & Nature Coordinator (2): Serve as cabin staff and assist in the planning, preparation and leadership of program activities including worship, small groups, games, mixers, sports, nature hikes, skits, etc. Crafts & Nature Coordinators are responsible for leading crafts, hikes, and camp clean-up (i.e. fixing paths, pulling weeds, picking up garbage).

Cabin Leader/Travel & First Aid Coordinator (1): Serve as cabin staff and assist in the planning, preparation and leadership of program activities including worship, small groups, games, mixers, sports, nature hikes, skits, etc. Travel Coordinators coordinate with the Directors to make sure buses are available for off-site travel, cook is aware of sack lunch needs, and release forms are on the proper buses. Assist Health Care Volunteer in attending to medical needs of campers.

Accountability: To the Camp Directors