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Lifeguard Job Description

Department: Program
Reports to: Head Lifeguard and Guest Services Coordinator
Type of Position: Summer Staff 15-25 hrs/week

General Description: Lifeguards are responsible for ensuring the safety, orderliness and operations of Camp Manitouqua and Retreat Center's Aquatic Center. In addition, lifeguards participate in various camp and required staff activities.

Duties and Responsibilities

Lifeguarding

1. Lifeguard all scheduled hours (or find a substitute) at the Aquatic Center as assigned by the Head Lifeguards and Guest Services Coordinator.
2. Be responsible for the health and safety of all persons in the Aquatic Center.
3. Wear the proper lifeguard uniform when on duty.
4. Attend Aquatic Center orientation prior to summer beginning.
5. Attend in-service trainings throughout the summer.

General

1. Assist in the cleaning of the Aquatic Center and general cleaning and overseeing of the bathhouse as assigned by the Head Lifeguard.
2. Perform other duties as assigned by the Guest Services Coordinator, Program Coordinator, and Program Director.
3. Assist in the overall program of the summer camp by being available for special duty as requested by the Guest Services Coordinator.

Personal Development

1. Make every effort to build up the community of the summer staff and to increase understanding among all staff members.
2. Be able to lead a young person to Christ if the opportunity arises.
3. Be available to individual campers in areas of special need, spiritual counsel, homesickness, etc.
4. Be aware of the spiritual atmosphere of the camp and work towards the goals each week.

Qualifications



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Personal: Vibrant relationship with Jesus Christ, committed to the authoritative Word of God, passionate for facilitating ministries that change lives, is devoted to furthering the purpose and mission of Manitoqua Ministries, and is an active member in good standing in a church of Jesus Christ.

Experience

1. Actively pursuing personal Christian growth
2. Ability to love and work with kids in a camp setting
3. Red Cross Certified, (WSI if possible)
4. First Aid & CPR certification
5. Age 15 years (with a valid work permit) or older