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Day Camp Supervisor Job Description

Department: Summer Staff Program

Reports to: Program Coordinator

Type of Position: Full-time, Seasonal, 40+ hrs/week

General Description: Day Camp Supervisors are responsible for overseeing and developing the day camp program, as well as campers and staff. Supervisors are also responsible for clear communication with camper families.

Qualifications

Personal:

- 1. Vibrant relationship with Jesus Christ
- 2. Committed to the authoritative Word of God
- 3. Passionate for facilitating ministries that change lives
- 4. Devoted to furthering the vision and mission of Manitoqua Ministries
- 5. An active member in good standing in a church of Jesus Christ

Character:

- 1. Strong desire and ability to care for, love, teach, and work with children and staff in a camp setting
- 2. Actively pursuing personal Christian growth
- 3. Has a teachable spirit open to new ideas
- 4. Skills in interpersonal relationships, communication, and supervision
- 5. Previous camping experience preferred
- 6. First Aid and CPR certified
- 7. Age 20 years or older
- 8. Holds a valid driver's license

Duties and Responsibilities

Training

- 1. Attend coordinator and staff orientation
- 2. Reside in assigned staff housing



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Staff Expectations

- 1. Welcome all campers upon their arrival
- 2. Be prepared with the necessary materials for each day
- 3. Prepare and lead Bible lessons, devotions, games and activities (may also be assigned to lead an area that requires specific skills)
- 4. Lead activities within the structure outlined in the program and policies and procedures manual of Camp Manitoqua
- 5. Be present at all required camp sessions, campfires, and meals for active participation, prayerful support, and crowd control
- 6. Care for the spiritual, emotional, and physical health and safety of all campers and staff with energy and compassion
- 7. Attend the all staff debriefs on Friday afternoons at 5pm
- 8. Attend the all staff pre-briefs on Sunday evenings at 6pm for announcements, small groups, and worship at 7pm
- 9. Attend the Staff Retreat and Staff Party
- 10. Lead (2) "Friday Reset" shifts during the summer
- 11. Present a full evaluation of personal performance and camp operations at the close of summer
- 12. Perform other duties as requested by the Program Coordinator
- 13. Be familiar with Manitoqua Ministries, its mission, purpose, guidelines, and policies as outlined in the staff manual

Role Specific Responsibilities

- 1. Oversee the Day Camp Program
 - i. Communicate with clear understanding the purpose and expectations of the day camp program to staff, campers, and families
 - ii. Practice good behavior management within the guidelines and structure established in the Summer Staff Manual
 - Collaborate with day camp coordinators to implement daily programming
 - iv. Manage the care and purchasing of materials and supplies
 - v. Manage the day camp budget as established by Manitoqua Ministries



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- vi. Report all needs and requests in a timely fashion to the Program Coordinator
- 2. Supervise the Day Camp Coordinators and counseling staff
 - i. Assist in training for day camp staff
 - ii. Delegate responsibilities to staff
 - iii. Lead day camp coordinators in implementing the day camp program
 - iv. Lead and attend all program planning meetings and daily check in meetings
 - v. Encourage ongoing evaluation of staff in day camp
- 3. Oversee the SAMs in day camp
- 4. Lead sessions set aside for spiritual development for staff
- 5. Attend weekly program meetings with supervisory staff and Program Coordinator
- 6. Lead or assist in leading programs on weekends as requested by the Program Coordinator