

Kinhaven Activities Staff Job Description

Job Title: Summer Camp Counselor - Activities Staff

Location: Rural Vermont

Duration: 6 weeks (summer)

Job Type: Full-time, Temporary

Reports to: Director of Student Activities and Camp Director

Overview:

Kinhaven is looking for energetic, responsible, and fun-loving Activities Staff to join our team of counselors in rural Vermont. The Activities Staff will work with high school aged musician campers, supervise their daily activities, and ensure a positive and safe summer experience for all campers.

Responsibilities:

- Supervise and engage with high school aged musician campers during the day
- Live adjacent to campers to provide round-the-clock supervision and guidance
- Plan and attend field trips to nearby locations in Vermont for hiking or recreation
- Plan and organize traditional Kinhaven events such as the Wally Wampus festival, Regatta, Movie Night, or softball
- Collaborate with the Director of Student Activities and other counselors to ensure a positive and enriching summer experience for all campers
- Ensure the safety and well-being of campers at all times
- Encourage campers to participate in activities and engage with others
- Help with the general maintenance and upkeep of the campsite

Qualifications:

- Must be at least 21 years of age
- Experience working with teenagers, preferably in a camp setting
- Strong communication and interpersonal skills
- Ability to work well in a team environment
- A positive and enthusiastic attitude
- Must be able to live on-site for the duration of the summer camp and for four days prior to campers' arrival
- Must have or obtain Red Cross CPR/First Aid Certification
- Must have ability to walk up flights of stairs, lift and carry 20 pounds

- Must have ability to live in a cabin in a room adjoining campers, eat meals in a large, noisy dining room, and address stressful situations appropriately in a fast-paced, interactive environment with camper and/or staff
- For Activities Staff who is also a lifeguard during swimming activities: Must have the ability to see and supervise participants in the swimming area along with Red Cross Lifeguard Certification

Benefits:

- Salary, meals, and accommodation provided
- Opportunity to work in a beautiful and serene environment in rural Vermont
- Gain valuable experience working with teenagers and collaborating with fellow counselors and staff
- Enjoy outdoor activities and explore the natural beauty of Vermont

If you are passionate about working with teenagers, have experience in a camp setting, and are excited about spending your summer in rural Vermont, we encourage you to apply for this position. We are an equal opportunity employer and welcome candidates from diverse backgrounds.