Outdoor Youth Leader: Photography Instructor

Salary: $127.5/day

Duration of Employment: Camps run from Jul 5th – Aug 27th (Monday – Friday)

Camp Staff Training: June 28th-30th and July 2nd, 2021

A. NATURE & SCOPE
We are looking for passionate educators, outdoor enthusiasts, and avid photographers. This position will be responsible for taking the lead on our Parks and Pixels camps for youth in grades 2-8, as well as help with our other camps. Each day instructors will take the lead teaching campers photography skills through fun activities, as well as teach their co-leader how to instruct the program. Instructors are required to supervise children and implement weekly activities. Instructors will be given the camp manuals in advance and will meet with the other instructors to make some changes to the program. Instructors will go through a short staff training and will also run a Parks and Pixels specific section of staff training for all staff. The instructor is the content expert; however, the camp leader and the instructor will share the leadership role. Instructors report to the Youth Program Coordinators and will be required to work for the duration of the dates listed above. If you want to spend your summer teaching young people the basics about their point and shoot digital camera, how to take an inspiring landscape photo, and more, then this position is for you!

B. CHARACTERISTIC DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Enthusiasm for working with young people in the outdoors, rain or shine
- Adaptability in changing environments
- Meet and greet guardians and campers on arrival and departure from camp.
- Implement all aspects of the daily schedule.
- Provide quality care, fun, and supervision to all campers.
- Participate in all group activities and encourage camper participation.
- Provide first aid when necessary and notify the Youth Program Coordinators of actions.
- Provide weekly written reports to Youth Program Coordinators.
- Abide by the Outdoor Centre’s Policies and Procedures.
- Adhere to all Alberta Health Guidelines at work and enforce them with campers.

C. QUALIFICATIONS

- Must be available and willing to work Monday to Friday between the hours of 7:30 am to 4:45 pm (schedules will be provided closer to the summer).
- To be available for staff training dates (listed above).
- Experience and/or educational training working with youth (ages 5-18).
- Valid (or intent to get) Standard First Aid and CPR.
- Valid (or intent to get) a police check for the vulnerable sector.

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS March 26th, 2021
WE WILL START INTERVIEWS PRIOR TO DEADLINE
Please Submit Resumes to Bridget at outkids@ucalgary.ca