POSITION TITLE: Waterfront Specialist

Employment Type (FT, PT, Contract): Contract
Rate of Pay: $14.25/hr
Job Location: Christie Lake Conservation Area
Hours of Work: 7.5hrs/day
Start Date: Week of June 20th 2020
Application Deadline: Aug 21, 2020

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General Description of Duties:
The Waterfront Specialist is responsible for the overall safety and supervision of the waterfront areas for Camp Chippewa and Specialty Chippewa at Christie Conservation Area. The Waterfront Specialist will assist in providing support to the waterfront staff (lifeguards, canoe and kayak instructors) and will assist/facilitate with program areas (lifeguarding, canoeing, kayaking, water games), if necessary. The Waterfront specialist is on-site all day and reports directly to the Site Supervisor. Waterfront Specialists are knowledgeable in waterfront safety, lifeguarding standards, as well as canoe and kayak safety. Waterfront Specialists will be hired for the following:

- Camp Chippewa (supporting a team of lifeguards and canoe instructors)
- Camp Chippewa Specialty (supporting all watercraft activities at Camp Chippewa Specialty, i.e. canoe and kayak programs)

Responsibilities:
- Skilled in waterfront activities/games
- Works alongside Site Supervisors, Program Specialists and Section Heads to ensure safety measures are met
- Maintains high standards of safety and risk management in delivery and communication of staff assigned to waterfront areas
- Regular contact with staff, camp participants, parents, community agencies, and volunteers involved in the program
- Assists with waterfront training to all waterfront staff
- Oversees maintenance of the equipment (canoes, kayaks, paddles, lifejackets, first aid, lifeguard tubes, etc.)
- Further supports staff in the planning, supervision, and leading of activities when needed
- Other duties as assigned

Skills and Experience Required:
- Standard First Aid and CPR-C valid through Summer 2020 (must provide proof of certification or enrollment in course before contract signing)
- 2-year post-secondary degree/diploma, or pursuing same, in any discipline but preferably in the area of leisure and recreation, social services, child and youth worker or education
- Must submit clear Police Records Check prior to commencing work
- NLS certification is required and must be valid through Summer 2020
- NLS Waterfront training is an asset
- ORCA certification is an asset
- Previous YMCA camping or child and youth program experience is preferred
- Strong interpersonal skills

How to Apply:
Please complete the online application: https://ymcahbb.campbrainstaff.com

When you are done your application please email your resume and copies of all required qualifications. Only attach current and valid qualifications or proof of enrollment in courses to acquire valid certifications. Resumes can be sent to: hbb.daycampjobs@ymcahbb.ca

Ensure you have and show proof of all necessary qualifications valid through 2020, or show proof of being enrolled in courses you still need to acquire (Standard First Aid and CPR-Level C for all staff, NLS for Waterfront Positions). Only staff with proof will be interviewed for positions.

Please DO NOT get a Criminal Reference Check or Vulnerable Sector Screening prior to receiving an employment offer.

Please note start and end dates of all positions you apply to. Only those who can complete full contracts will be considered for full time positions.

Any staff requiring significant time off will be considered for supply positions.

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