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THIS SUMMER



OUTDOOR RECREATION SUMMER CAMP POSITIONS

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Want to spend your summer outdoors creating memorable experiences?

Columbus Recreation & Parks is looking for enthusiastic camp staff to join our 2022 Outdoor Recreation Summer Camp team. We have a variety of positions available.

The Outdoor Recreation Section of CRPD facilitates access and awareness to the outdoor experiences. Our summer camps and activities provide outdoor experiences for youth, teens and adults in an open and inclusive environment. Activities include hiking, creeking, fishing, gardening, canoeing, archery and more. We have classic summer day camps, and also facilitate outdoor programs throughout Columbus.

Locations:

- **Indian Village Summer Day Camp:** McKnight Outdoor Education Center- 3200 Indian Village Rd.
- **Camp Terra:** Antrim Park - 5800 Olentangy River Rd.
- **Discover Boating:** O'Shaughnessy Reservoir - 9610 Riverside Dr.
- **Community Outdoor Recreation:** Various Locations
- **Gram & Gramp Camp:** Whetstone Park - 3923 N. High St.
- **Adaptive Outdoor Recreation Camp:** Wolfe Park - 105 Park Dr.
- **Teen Outdoor Recreation Service Learning:** Walnut Bluffs - 8111 Schott Rd.

All Positions:

- Staff Training June 6-10
- Camp operates Monday – Friday; June 13- August 19 (June 20 & July 5 off)
- Must complete background check and drug test
- First Aid & CPR Certification Required- training opportunities available
- Flexible time-off
- 40 hours/ week- varies based on position and opportunities for extra shifts

Ideal Candidates:

- Eager to spend time outdoors in an active environment
- Positive attitude
- Possess a professional demeanor and enjoy working with youth, teens and adults
- Work well individually and in an active team setting
- Strong communication skills with camp participants, parents, and staff/supervisors
 - Communicate incidents, challenges and successes throughout the day
- Highly motivated and creative
- Able to maintain a daily schedule and willing to be flexible
- Responsible and accountable for self and participants in your care

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Camp Director:

- Responsible for overseeing the daily operations of summer camp and facility. The Camp Director will implement and maintain a safe and exciting camp environment for campers and staff. This position will report to the Camp Coordinator while being responsible for their specific site and supervising camp counselors and teen volunteers while completing various administrative tasks.

Camp Counselor:

- Supervise campers and lead outdoor activities while ensuring that campers are having fun and trying new activities.

Outdoor Recreation Program Specialists:

Sailing

- Facilitate boating and sailing instruction for Discover Boating camp participants. Engage campers throughout the day in boating and additional activities. Prior sailing experience is beneficial but not required. Training is provided.

Canoeing

- Facilitate canoeing instruction and lead canoe trips to Columbus area reservoirs and rivers. Prior canoeing experience is beneficial, but not required. Training is provided.

Adaptive

- Lead Outdoor Recreation programs for camps in partnership with the Therapeutic Recreation Section. Ideal candidates are patient and flexible to meet needs of individuals and the group.

Community Center Activity Leader

- Facilitate Outdoor Recreation programming and activities at community centers throughout Columbus. Ideal candidates are positive, flexible, and have strong leadership skills.

Pontoon Boat Driver

- Operate and maintain the pontoon boat at Indian Village Day Camp. The boat driver will coordinate with camp director to schedule and take groups on boat rides on Griggs Reservoir. Previous boat driving experience preferred and boating certification required.

Summer Logistics

- Complete administrative responsibilities, such as communications with customers and program partners, tracking program data, develop social media content, and assist with camp and operational logistics.

Teen Program Coordinator

- Oversee and manage teen volunteer program (Counselor in Training Program) while creating leadership development engagement opportunities for volunteers throughout the summer. Assist with planning and directing the Teen Outdoor Recreation Service-Learning program.



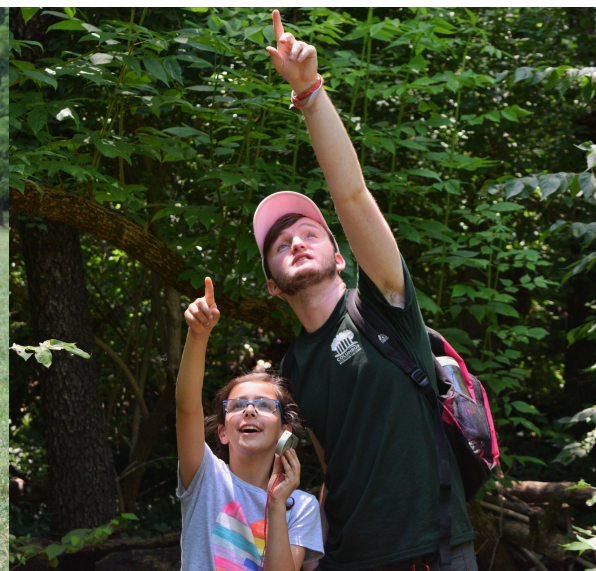
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How would you describe working for Outdoor Recreation?

Comments from summer staff



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