



ROOTs LEADER

2 Positions – ROOTs Altitude

2 Positions – ROOTs Arts

2 Positions – ROOTs Wild Effective: June 18 – July 30

Prerequisites:

Previous experience in a camp leadership role - and more specifically, experience in YDLP - are strong assets.

ROOTs Wild Applicants: NLS, First Aid and moving water qualifications are required, as well as experience in leading canoe trips.

ROOTs Altitude Applicants: Experience in leading trips. NLS, Bronze Med and First Aid are all valuable assets but not strictly required.

ROOTs Arts Applicants: Experience in teaching one or more fields within the arts.

Overview:

Give positive spiritual and practical leadership to the ROOTs participants providing structure and support for success and personal holistic growth. ROOTs leaders will work closely with the YDLP coordinator in the development of the curriculum and execution of the schedule.

Expectations:

1. To be an effective and supportive member of the YDLP team
2. Responsible for leading and supervising ROOTs participants in all aspects of the program.
3. Responsible for delivering the overall curriculum, maintaining the smooth running of the schedule and meeting the objectives of the program.
4. Work with the out-tripping team to ensure a safe, yet challenging experience on all out-trips.
5. Responsible for the creation, development and maintenance of a healthy community among participants.
 - a. Helping the individual to grow holistically through feedback and 1 on 1s
 - b. Working with the camp pastoral staff for any mental and spiritual health issues
6. Planning and preparing sessions concerning leadership, biblical teaching, and other topics for the program
7. Coordinate with the main camp scheduler/YDLP Coordinator concerning camp activities
8. Working with the community representatives before and during the day camp portion of the schedule.

A successful ROOTs staff will effectively communicate with their team and the YDLP Coordinator concerning what is going on within the ROOTs community and the staff team. ROOTs staff need to be able to lead others, teach others, and resolve conflict. They will be personable, able to give direction, and able to both lead and work in a team. An attitude and a heart submitted to the Spirit of God is essential to being effective in this role.

In addition to the above expectations, the successful candidate will contribute positively to an environment where we seek to encourage, build up and humbly challenge one another to continually grow. As a leader, they will demonstrate discernment and maturity helping to perpetuate safety, efficiency and fun as we strive to create a place for campers as well as staff from many different walks of life to be able to open up and experience freedom in a life with Christ.

All staff are required to signed IAWAH's Statement of Faith, Lifestyle Agreement and Commitment to Team; provide a minimum of 3 acceptable references and background check, including Police Records Check/ Vulnerable Persons Sector Check.

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