

CAMP COUNSELOR/ANIMAL EDUCATOR

Hours: Part-time, which may include day, evening, and weekend hours as scheduled

Accountability: The BNC Camp Counselor shall be accountable to the Barn Nature Center Education Program Manager and Executive Director(ED).

CAMP: The Barn Nature Center Summer Camp operates from June 16th to August 22nd
Staff training will take place the week of June 9th and is mandatory

Primary Duties and Responsibilities:

- A. Assisting in conducting and supervising a variety of recreational activities for campers age 5-12 in a day camp setting, as well as assisting in the care and supervision of the campers assigned to their group.
- B. Report any incidents or behavior problems to Education Program manager or ED.
- C. Assist in organizing, collecting, and help moving necessary supplies to the day camp sites.
- D. Assist in organizing and supervising crafts, games, sports, and other camp activities.
- E. Support other staff in animal care and animal interactions.
- F. Assist in the clean-up of all activities and day camp program areas including outside space, animal zone, human zone, and other.
- G. Assist in the enforcement of established rules to ensure safety of campers, staff, and animals
- H. Adhere to established schedules and work assignments.
- I. Be willing to vary your schedule to properly staff before and after care.

Expectations:

- Act in a positive and professional manner with campers, parents, and peers.
- Take initiative to analyze and solve problems.
- Be flexible and ready to meet changing work needs and demands.
- Be open to feedback and desire to grow professionally.

Physical Demands:

- Ability to lift 25pounds of weight.
- Must be able to sit or stand for long periods of time.
- Must be able to participate in physical activity for various amounts of time.

Minimum Qualifications:

Must be at least 18 years of age. Have an interest or are pursuing a degree in Conservation, Environmental Sciences or course of study relating to animals or child development or business management preferred; 1 year work experience with animals, business management, and/or education. Must be comfortable with interacting with animals and children. Valid Driver's License is preferred.

Interested candidates send resume to terryd@bncfoundation.org