

Life Guard/Aquatic Supervisor Position Details

Responsibilities

1. Move canoes from livery to lakefront and back.
2. Post boating and safety rules.
3. Know Aquatic Emergency procedures and review with Aquatic Observers and staff.
4. Assess the swimming ability of each student. (Refer to Aquatic Procedures).
5. See that swim areas are clearly marked daily.
6. Make sure the raft, located in white swim area, is secured in water greater than 5 feet in depth. Check raft position daily during waterfront inspection and move to meet above criteria, if necessary.
7. Make a daily inspection of canoes. Remove unsafe canoes from service and inform Director.
8. Make a daily inspection of the waterfront, including the swim and canoeing area. Report any applicable changes in beach or any adverse weather conditions (rough water) to Center Director.
9. Accompany aquatics class.
10. Enforce safety rules, including the wearing of life vests.
11. Record who is out in the canoes on the Canoe Check-out Roster.
12. See that the canoe weight and capacity is not exceeded.
13. Allow a reasonable number of canoes out at one time. Refer to staffing ratio for this activity.
14. Make sure all safety equipment is on hand when any student is using the canoes.
15. Be responsible for care and storage of waterfront equipment.
16. Coordinate activities with other waterfront personnel.
17. Perform and supervise emergency lifesaving/rescue procedures as necessary.
18. Report all emergency procedures performed to the Director and Medical Officer.
19. Know all safety procedures and policies at the center.
20. Supervise Aquatic Observers and waterfront staff.
21. Attend staff meetings.

Qualifications

1. Applicants must be 18 years of age or older.
2. Must have current American Red Cross WSI certification.
3. Will have current Professional Rescue CPR certification and be skilled in first aid procedures.
4. Should have at least one year's experience in canoeing and boating, but not required.
5. Must be in capable physical condition.

**Supervised By: Director/
Assistant Program Manager**