

Camp Fire Inland Northwest Job Description

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Position Title: Food Service Director

Primary Position Location: Camp Sweyolakan, Coeur d'Alene, ID

Responsible to: Director of Camping and Program Services

Salary: \$50 per day

Special Notes Regarding Employment: Salary includes room and board, and free use of laundry facilities (including laundry detergent). Additional Pay Opportunities available if signed up for extra events.

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS OF ALL STAFF

- Current CPR, First Aid, and AED certifications.
- Visual, physical, and auditory ability to identify and respond to environmental and other hazards related to the camp setting.
- Abide by health and safety rules to ensure well-being of campers and staff at all times.
- Ability to assist campers and staff in emergency (fire, evacuation, illness, or injury).
- Ability to observe and evaluate camper behavior; enforce safety regulations and emergency procedures; and apply appropriate behavior-management techniques.
- Prepare the necessary reports, inventories, and records as assigned.
- Plan for and carry out the care and maintenance of the equipment and facilities assigned.
- Know the basic facts about the program of Camp Fire.
- Display a willingness to accept a reasonable share of camp responsibilities, and other duties as assigned.
- Prepare for and participate in the meetings and conferences of the staff.
- Ability to communicate and work with groups participating (age and skill levels), and provide necessary instruction to campers and staff.
- Bring complaints or problems directly to Assistant Camp Director or Camp Director.
- Abide by established procedures and policies covered during staff training, in Camp Staff Practices and Guidelines, and Code of Conduct.
- Successfully pass a state, local and federal background check. Successfully pass a search in the U.S. Department of Justice National Sex Offender public database.
- Willingness to work at alternate camp locations; state and camp applicable wages apply.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- 3-5 years' experience as a cook and / or assistant cook, preferably at a camp.
- Training and experience in cooking for large groups.
- Ability to work well with others; be a good role model and mentor.
- Ability to prepare foods for special groups (i.e., people with eating disorders, allergies/intolerances, diabetes, etc.).
- Knowledge of standards of food preparation, serving, and kitchen procedures.
- Current Washington and Idaho Safe Food Handling Permits or ServSafe certification.
- Good character, cleanliness, integrity, and adaptability.
- Enthusiasm, sense of humor, patience, and self-control.
- At least 18 years of age.
- Desire and ability to work with children outdoors.
- Ability to accept guidance and supervision.
- Ability to relate to one's peer group; be a good role model and mentor.

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SPECIFIC JOB RESPONSIBILITIES

- Organize and supervise the kitchen staff:
 - Assist and participate with staff in preparation planning.
 - Assist with camper and staff needs, as appropriate (e.g. vegetarian, vegan, gluten-free, allergies, etc.).
 - Assign and participate in kitchen area cleaning responsibilities.
- Plan and participate in regularly scheduled meetings of the kitchen staff.
- Evaluate performance of kitchen staff on a weekly basis.
- Plan meals and snacks; maintain inventory control.
- Maintain a clean appearance when serving meals.
- Plan three meals at least one snack daily; train kitchen staff to successfully carry out designated plan.
- Review cookout requisitions for balanced meals and appropriate quantity. Assist staff as needed.
- Ensure kitchen, and kitchen staff, meet all standards and codes regarding cleanliness, personal hygiene, safety and sanitation.
- Adapt to camp resources, conditions, and programming.
- Plan and participate in all meetings of the staff as requested when in Camp, including Leadership Meetings.
- Order food and other products as agreed upon with Camp Director.
- Assist in opening and closing of camp and monitor end of season inventories in all areas of food service.
- Maintain "Kitchen Black Book;" the food service manual, for future years.
- Maintain an open line of communication with Camp Director with regard to "in-camp" scheduling
- Temporarily fill other positions in camp and assist with camper supervision in assigned unit when not focused on primary duties.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

- Ability to maneuver wilderness terrain with uneven ground and steep inclines.
- Ability to lift/unload/move food supplies of at least 50 lbs.
- Ability and knowledge to use kitchen equipment safely.
- Ability to maintain appropriate inventory of food supplies.
- Ability to operate or monitor dishwasher while maintaining appropriate temperature.
- Ability to determine cleanliness of dishes, food contact surfaces, and kitchen areas.
- Ability to properly assess condition of food and store properly.
- Ability to communicate and work with groups participating (age and skill levels), and provide necessary instruction to campers.
- Ability to help train staff in the proper way to handle food, menu planning, and use of equipment, as needed.
- Have a valid driver's license.
- Possess the strength and endurance required to maintain constant supervision of campers.

Appointment/Employment is at will. Camp Fire Inland Northwest Council is free to determine that continued appointment/employment of any staff member is not in its best interest and is free to discharge that staff member, with or without cause.

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