

# <u>Summer Staff – Job Descriptions</u>

The mission of Adventurous Christians is to provide an environment where people encounter and Experience the Wonder of Christ in creation and in a Christian community.

# **General Qualifications:**

- Must be a committed and joyful follower of Christ.
- Must have a passion for working with youth and ability to exhibit patience and grace while working with guests.
- Must be motivated, hard-working, and servant-hearted.
- Must work well with others and be able to function as a member of a team.
- Must be willing to learn new skills
- Must be willing to become certified in Wilderness Water Safety and Wilderness First Aid (during staff training)

# TRAIL GUIDE

### **Responsibilities**:

- Responsible for preparing and leading a small group of people on a canoe trip through the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness.
  - Groups vary in size from 4-8 and ages vary from youth, families, adult & senior citizens at times.
- Leading devotionals, teaching wilderness skills, teaching creation stewardship and environmental awareness.
- Strive to cultivate an atmosphere of Christian community that will challenge the group to help each other grow spiritually, physically, mentally and emotionally.
- Keep in mind that his/her first priority is the group and their safety.
- Challenge their group spiritually, mentally, and physically.
- Prepare for trips:
  - Pack food, equipment pack, canoes & camping gear
  - Prepare & clean cabins for campers
- Willing to become certified in Wilderness Water Safety and Wilderness First Aid (during staff training).

#### Qualifications:

- Desire to work with people and share their Christian faith with them.
- Recommended camping experience, though not required.
- Must be minimum 20 years of age
- A desire and mindset to learn. We will teach you the necessary skills for the job.

# <u>In-Base</u>

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## Responsibilities:

- Responsible for upkeep and maintenance including: Garbage, recycling, mowing, and grounds keeping (hauling & chopping wood, etc.).
- Preparing the drying fields and sauna before groups return from their canoe trips.
- Help maintain cleanliness and order for the trail room, equipment, & canoe yard.
- Assist & support Trail Guide's group and trail preparation.
  - Including orientation rotations, route planning, equipment prep, cleaning/prepping lodging, chores/tasks to be completed for hosting/guiding.
  - Involved in leading daily devotions and willing to share Christian faith with camper groups.
- Assist in hosting/programing in-base groups including leading day trips.
- Assist in the kitchen or any other areas of camp as needed.
- Identify camp needs and take initiate to fix/pick up with Director's approval.

## Qualifications:

- Welcoming, inviting, and hospitable.
- Good communicator to staff and Directors.
- Must be minimum 18 years of age
- Demonstrate leadership capacity.
- Willingness to learn how to run power tools safely & properly. Able to lift heavy objects/loads.