



Summer Staff 2010

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Staff Positions ...

Beechpoint's staff positions are much like a short term missions project. They require a ten week commitment and are focused on service and teaching. If you have less time to offer, we appreciate volunteers to help as craft helpers, cook's assistants, health officers, cabin buddies, and lifeguards.

CABIN LEADER - The heart of the program is the Cabin Leader. You are the ones who develop relationships with the campers which can last a lifetime. It is through your lives the campers will see the reality of Jesus' love. You are a role model to the camper, their activity instructor, devotional leader, ethics instructor, and a friend. Cabin Leaders must be at least 18 years of age and enjoy working with kids. Preferably you have had some experience in working with children or in Christian Ministry in the past.

WATERFRONT DIRECTOR / LIFEGUARD - Waterfront directors and lifeguards have the responsibility of ensuring the campers' safety at the lake. You must have a current Red Cross LG, CPR, and First Aid Certification. Lifeguards must be 18 years of age and the waterfront director must be 21 years of age.

Assistant Wrangler - Serves within Horse and Farm Animal program areas, assisting Head Wrangler.

Coaches- Support and train the Cabin Leaders. Typically has had two years experience with our program and is 21 years of age.

Internships ...

Internships are a great way to help our ministry while fulfilling your internship requirements! Interns are provided with food and lodging and have the option to raise financial missionary support. Our current internships are:

Multimedia - Work with audio and visual media. Put together slideshows and movie shorts, run sound, manage equipment, and complete an advertising project for your portfolio and our use in local newspapers or movie theaters.

Office Administration - The office makes it all possible! From data entry to public relations, from thank-you notes to QuickBooks, you will be a part of the behind the scene's management of the camp.

Camp Nurse- Work with an R.N. in daily medication distribution, charting, routine first-aid, first responder responsibilities, and sanitization duties. Commit for a week or all ten weeks!

For Your Information ...

Beechpoint's summer camp is a ministry of Child Evangelism Fellowship. Our purpose is to share the saving grace of Jesus Christ with boys and girls, primarily urban and low income families, and to aid in drawing them to a relationship with Jesus. We also focus on nurturing the growth of young believers through the ministry of a caring, loving, committed staff, a fun-filled program, a spiritual emphasis (which underlies every activity), and a year-round discipleship program.

Camp Beechpoint is for children ages 8-14. Beechpoint is located 150 miles northeast of Chicago in Allegan, Michigan. Activities include archery, crafts, swimming, canoeing, boating, tubing, go-carts, hiking, challenge course, ball games, BMX bikes, cook-outs, rock climbing, zip line, firesides, worship times, Bible study, and lots of fun (for the kids!).

Requirements ...

- ⇒ Commitment to Jesus Christ as Savior.
- ⇒ Willingness to mature and grow as a Christian.
- ⇒ Capacity to take and follow instructions; responding well to leadership.
- ⇒ Must enjoy and work well with CHILDREN!
- ⇒ Good self-concept reflected in appearance, behavior, and relationships.

Conduct ...

All staff members are expected to conduct themselves in a way which will not deter from the goals and ministry of camp. All staff are expected to be subject to regulations regarding lights out, automobiles, tidiness, and neatness of dress. Questionable activities such as the use of tobacco, alcoholic beverages, and non-prescription drugs are prohibited.

Schedule and Salary...

Summer Staff training begins Tuesday, June 1st. The last day of camp is Saturday, August 7th. Summer staff will receive \$225.00 per week of camp (8 paid weeks after 10 days of training). Staff have the option of raising "matching support". Meals and lodging are provided.

Your next step ...

- Using this booklet as a guide, indicate on the application which position(s) you are applying for.
- Once your application is received, we will review it and wait for reference information. No decision will be made until we receive at least two references.
- If we have not met you and had a chance to talk, then we will call you to set up an interview either over the phone or in person.
- When you are accepted, we will notify you and pass along any relevant information about your position.
- After placement we will provide you with a form letter to send out to at least 20 friends and family members asking them to pray for you as you minister this summer. The letter will also explain the ministry of Camp Beechpoint and give them the opportunity to send a financial gift toward your support. We feel that Camp Beechpoint is a vital ministry to children in the Chicago and Southwest Michigan areas and it is important it is to have a group of prayer warriors upholding you daily.

Working with children is not always easy, but it can be very rewarding! We hope you will seriously consider applying for a Summer Staff position.

LIVES ARE CHANGED AT CAMP! ... IT MAY BE YOURS!

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