

WATERFRONT INSTRUCTOR (SAILING, POOL & CANOE)

“Skill, talent, and strong witness to a positive attitude of caring make this essential safety position more than just sitting on a chair.”

Qualifications:

1. Lifeguard certification, First Aid/CPR certification
2. NC Boating License preferred
3. Desire to instruct and lead all waterfront activities including sailing, pool & canoeing in a Christian setting
4. Desire to take pride and responsibility in safety and enjoyment in all waterfront program areas
5. Ability to work with campers and staff as a teacher and group leader

Responsible to: Waterfront Leadership Team (Head Lifeguard, Sail Master, Assistant Sail Master, Waterfront Coordinator)

General Responsibilities:

1. To conduct waterfront programs of instruction to all camper groups
2. To act as the on-duty lifeguard during all waterfront activities
3. To carry out all responsibilities assigned by the Waterfront Leadership Team

Specific Responsibilities:

1. Instruct campers in basic canoeing/kayaking techniques and safety procedures
2. Instruct campers in basic sailing techniques and safety procedures
3. Interpret and enforce all rules of water safety
4. Keep all supplies and equipment in good condition and make repairs as needed and instructed by the Waterfront Leadership Team
5. Assist in maintenance of all waterfront program areas
6. Assume active leadership during any use of waterfront facilities
7. Assist in teaching swim lessons if needed
8. In case of inclement weather, facilitate “rainy day” group games or activities with assigned group
9. Rig and unrig boats, operate power boats, and perform on-the-water rescue and assistance.
10. Lead sailing trips both on the water and on land.
11. Lead a trip prep classroom before each trip with the group and a debriefing after the trip has returned.
12. Participate in all camp activities
13. Serve as a support staff to a group of campers.