

Between Friends Camp Bonaventure Day Camp Group Leader Position

Between Friends creates opportunities for people with disabilities to connect, grow, and belong through social and recreational activities. As a charitable organization, we rely on the efforts of our personnel to help provide safe and inclusive programming for our participants. Between Friends is an equal opportunity employer. Between Friends thoroughly screens all applicants initially and on an on-going basis.

Camp Bonaventure creates a summer full of excitement, friendship and fun. Children and youth thrive at Camp Bonaventure. They are encouraged to challenge and develop their abilities through canoeing, sailing, swimming, and many other exciting activities and adventures. Camp Bonaventure typically operates on a staff to participant ratio of 1:4 and can accommodate participants with a 1:1 to 1:6 ratios

Day Camp Group Leader – 21 Positions Available	
<i>Group Leaders are placed in a specific age group with 2 other Group Leaders; age groups range in age from 4-17 years.</i>	
Duties & Responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Providing support to the Team Leader of the group ● Responsible for the direct care and supervision of up to 10 participants ● Planning and implementing high quality camp activities; inclusive to all abilities ● Providing the highest standard of personal care and support to participants ● Effectively managing and supporting participant behaviors ● Communicating with parents/guardians throughout each session ● Positively represent Between Friends when in public and at various internal or external events and activities ● Other duties as requested by their Team Leader, Camp Supervisor, and Program Coordinator, WeConnect & Camp Bonaventure
Time Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Start Date: June 21, 2021; End Date: August 27, 2021 ● Training is mandatory. Camp Wide Training runs from June 21-30, Mid-Summer Training is on Saturday, July 24 ● Shifts are 8:00 am – 5:30 pm; some evenings work may be required (staff meetings, admin duties, etc.)
Skills & Qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Experience working with people with disabilities is not required, but considered an asset ● Experience working in a day camp setting is an asset ● Experience in high stress environments is considered an asset ● Ability to take initiative and try new things ● Strong communication skills are required ● Must be physically able to apply proper lifting techniques, assist with wheelchair transfers and be able to physically support participants ● Must be able to participate in all camp activities ● Due to the length of the contracts, all summer employment positions will be expected to fulfill the entire contract dates including training <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Absolutely no vacation time will be allowed</u></p>



Application Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Must be 18 years and older• Must pass a Screening Process including a Backcheck search and an Intervention Record Check completed by Alberta Human Services• Must have an interview conducted by the Program Coordinator and designate• Must be able to provide proof of current Standard First Aid and CPR certification, Level C prior to the start date• Minimum 2 professional references
Benefits	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Starting wage: \$15.45 per hour• Staff shirt provided• After successful completion of the contract, a Reference Letter is available by request• Invitation to the Awards Ceremony & AGM (Annual General Meeting)

If you would like to apply, please send your resume and cover letter to programcoord1@betweenfriends.ab.ca by Wednesday April 14, 2021 at 11:59 pm MST.. We appreciate all applications, but only those being selected for an interview will be contacted. No phone calls please.

Please be sure to state in the subject line the job title that is listed with each posting.

If you are applying for more than one position, you can apply using one cover letter - listing the positions you are interested in applying for in your cover letter. If you are a returning staff applying for the same position as last year, please state in the subject line "RETURNING". Once we review your application, our Program Coordinator, WeConnect & Camp Bonaventure will contact you to set up an interview.

If you are returning to the same position, you may be asked to re-interview for the position.

If you have any questions or need further clarification, please contact our Program Coordinator, WeConnect & Camp Bonaventure, **Emily Furber: efurber@betweenfriends.ab.ca | 403-880-9295**

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