RE: Environmental Educator

Nature Camp Locations:

Landon Bay, Lansdowne Ontario Mac Johnson, Brockville Ontario Sand Lake, Elgin Ontario Kendrick's Park, Lyndhurst

Organization: Frontenac Arch Biosphere Network (FABN)

Number of Positions Available:

Landon Bay, Lansdowne Ontario - 3 Mac Johnson, Brockville Ontario - 1 Sand Lake, Elgin Ontario - 1 Kendrick's Park, Lyndhurst - 1

Introduction

The Frontenac Arch Biosphere Network (FABN) is a not-for-profit organization that administers the Frontenac Arch UNESCO Biosphere designation and is dedicated to sustainable community development, through the celebration of nature, livelihood, wellbeing and culture. Our Nature Camps champion our mission statement "Enough for all, for all time" through programs that are designed to mentor campers, as they rediscover their unique connection to the natural world.

Summary of Position/Job Description

FAB Nature Camp employs staff who have experience working with children and who are passionate about nature and conservation. The Environmental Educator is one of up to five staff onsite at camp and is responsible for working with the Senior Environmental Educator and Program Manager, to implement the FAB Summer Camp Program at one of our four locations. The successful candidate will provide leadership and mentoring to our campers and volunteers, while maintaining a safe and enjoyable environment. Our Environmental Educators are responsible for upholding the policies and procedures of the FAB Nature Camps and the FAB Mission.

Duties and Responsibilities



- Represent FABN at one of the four Nature Camp Locations.
- Participate in one week of training.
- Demonstrate leadership and assist with campers' needs, who are between the ages of 5-13.
- Assist in implementing the FAB Nature Camp program.
- Maintain the FAB philosophy and mandate.
- Provide a safe, fun experience for all campers on land and on water.
- Ensure that the facility is clean, organized, and litter free.
- Know, enforce, and follow all safety guidelines associated with the camp and all program areas.
- Willingness to be in the water during each swim session, with their designated group.
- Complete the full length of the contract, without exception.

Qualifications - Required

- Must be 18 years or older.
- High School Diploma.
- Interest in working with children and in the outdoors.
- First Aid/CPR/AED certified.
- Police Record Check with the Vulnerable Sector Check (Valid within the last 6 months).
- Willingness to work Monday-Friday, rain or shine for their full 11 week contract
- Personal means of transportation to and from camp.
- Able to walk 5 kilometers and lift 50 pounds.

Qualifications - Assets

- Bilingual
- Outdoor enthusiast, naturalist, and survival skills preferred
- National Lifeguard Certification NLS **priority will be given to** applicants with this certification

Contract Start Date: June 17th, 2024 Contract End Date: August 30th, 2024 Contract Length: 11 Weeks Wage: \$17.50 Hours: 7:30am-4:30pm / 8am-5pm / 8:30am-5:30pm (40-44 hours per week) Application Deadline: April 26, 2024

Please send your resume and cover letter, indicating which camp location you're apply to, to Shannon Lem, FABN Executive Director, <u>shannon@fabn.ca</u>