



### **NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS! Watch City Camp Counselors**

The Waltham Boys & Girls Club seeks highly energetic and experienced camp counselors for the 2018 Watch City Summer Camp that is based in our 47,000-square-foot, air conditioned facility for children ages 5-12. An ideal candidate would possess an outgoing, enthusiastic, team orientated personality with a positive can-do attitude. Experience as a leader and having worked with children are a plus. This is an excellent summer work opportunity for teachers, as well as college students studying child development, early education, psychology, sociology, sports management, and physical education. Our summer camp runs for 9 weekly sessions from June 26 through August 24. Counselors must be available to work our mandatory week-long orientation June 18 – 22, and also be available to work 8 of 9 weeks of the camp program. Camp sessions include weekly themes, special events, field trips, sports and fitness, arts and crafts, music, technology, costume contests, swimming, outdoor fun, a climbing wall, adventure challenges, and much more.

#### ***Camp Counselors under the direction of the Camp Director will:***

Emphasize personal safety and emotional well-being with campers, parents and other camp personnel at all times. Camper safety is a top priority.

Be a positive role model. Develop appropriate relationships with all campers in their care. Understand, establish, and abide by appropriate boundaries.

Plan and implement recreational and educational programs that emphasize group participation with an appropriate amount of choice.

Use positive, constructive methods of discipline/positive reinforcement.

Communicate respectfully, openly and effectively with all staff, parents and children.

Assist pool staff during daily swim instruction and aid lifeguards during free-swim time.

#### **Qualifications:**

- Experience working with children for a minimum of 1 year (youth programs, camp settings or related field); understand the needs of children.
- High school diploma or equivalent.
- Must demonstrate cultural sensitivity and utilize effective communication skills.
- Must be available up to 40 hours per week, Monday through Friday for an 8 hour shift between the hours of 7:30am-5:30pm. This is a seasonal position.
- Possess up to date CPR/First Aid certifications or successfully complete BGC provided First Aid, CPR, training upon hire.
- A valid driver's license is a plus.
- Possess knowledge of group process – collaborative style of working within a team
- Pass a national background check.

Interested candidates should submit a job application. Applications can be found online at [www.walthambgc.org/career-opportunities](http://www.walthambgc.org/career-opportunities) or in person at the Club.

Applications can be mailed or dropped off at 20 Exchange Street, Waltham, MA 02451, faxed to 781-894-5770, or emailed to [jwelper@walthambgc.org](mailto:jwelper@walthambgc.org).