JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

POSITION: Camp Counselor

DEPARTMENT: Conservation Law Enforcement

LOCATION: Watton, MI, Camp Nesbit

CLASSIFICATION: Limited Term Employee August 11-16, 2024 (Mandatory Orientation date on August 11, 2024)

WAGE: $15.00 an hour

CLOSING DATE: JULY 1, 2024, or until filled.

DESCRIPTION:
The Onji Akiing (From the Earth) Cultural Summer Camp Program is a collaborative effort between the Great Lakes Indian Fish and Wildlife Commission and the United States Dept. of Agriculture- Forest Service. The camp centers around the Medicine Wheel, addressing not only the physical but also the emotional, mental, and spiritual aspects of adventure-based learning workshops to promote treaty right awareness and practice, strengthen relationships with the outdoors, and foster natural resource careers infused with traditional ecological knowledge for youth entering 5-8th grade.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Responsible for the supervision of youth campers during activities and throughout camp areas.
2. Organization of campers in your cabin, at activities and throughout camp.
3. Participates and broadly assists campers throughout the camp/summer program.
4. Maintains prompt and on-time scheduling, assists campers to and from activities.
5. Organizes and facilitates small activities.
6. Enforces and follows all safety guidelines including always knowing the location of assigned campers.
7. Supports positive interpersonal cooperation between campers.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Must be 18 years of age or older and be enrolled in higher education.
2. Must possess a positive attitude, be a role model to campers, and be of good moral character.
3. Maintain high standards of health and safety in all activities for campers and staff.
4. Be able to understand the developmental needs of young people.
5. Must be able to work long hours while staying attentive to camper’s needs.
6. Knowledge and respect for Native American culture and perspectives.

**Indian preference will be applied consistent with GLIFWC policies and the Federal Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act.**

**APPLICATION PROCEDURE:**

To apply download an application from our website [www.glifwc.org](http://www.glifwc.org) located under the “Employment” tab of our homepage or pick up an application in person. Please submit a sample of your writing along with your cover letter and curriculum vitae.

**Completed applications & materials should be returned (in person or email) to:**

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