

2019 Work Crew Information

ARE YOU READY TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE?

God has used Ness Lake Bible Camp since 1953 to introduce thousands of children and young people to Jesus Christ. Throughout our history, NLBC has hosted over 50,000 campers (1,465 campers in 2018). We hope to give every child or teenager the opportunity to experience unconditional love, fun, excitement, laughter, and joy. More significantly, we want to challenge children to respond to Jesus' invitation to "Come follow me". We believe that Christian Camping is one of the most effective tools of evangelism in Canada today! If you have a desire to know God more and a longing to serve Him, NLBC may be the place for you. This year we have 60 Work Crew openings. Don't let this summer pass you by without making the most of it. Follow His leading and be part of what God is doing in the lives of others!

Work Crew is a fantastic way to prepare for a full summer of service at camp as a LIT or Leader! NLBC is looking for young people who can demonstrate an ability to serve others with joy without seeking attention or glory. Work Crew will be one of the most challenging things you've ever done, but it will also be one of the most powerful and rewarding experiences of your life. Former Work Crew members will be given preference for Summer Team positions in the future. We often hear people say that their time on Work Crew had a profound impact on their lives. Even as they washed thousands of sets of dirty dishes, cleaned countless bathrooms and floors, and chopped hundreds of fire logs, they also learned the joy of serving others and built many strong friendships. Some dishes may have broken and the logs quickly burned up, but the friendships continue to this day! Work Crew will be one of the most significant experiences of your life, and it will help shape you, and launch you on an amazing adventure in Christ! **Take a risk and learn to serve this summer!**

WHAT CAN YOU EXPECT FROM SERVING ON WORK CREW?

WORK EXPERIENCE – Gear up to work hard at camp! Doing outdoor work, cleaning dishes (750 place settings daily!), toilets, sinks, and floors takes up a huge part of every day. In addition, you will enjoy tubing, beach volleyball, rock climbing, laughter, spontaneous fun, and lots more. A certificate of completion will be issued at the end of Work Crew, and can be a significant asset in applying for a job.

Toward the end of your work crew session we will celebrate with a themed banquet. More details to follow closer to the time!

SESSION INFORMATION

Dates	Work Crew #1: June 28 – July 18	\$390
& Cost:	Work Crew #2: July 21 – August 10	\$370
	Work Crew #3: August 11– August 30	\$350

Breaks: Work Crew is not in session between camps.

*Please take note that **pick up times will vary** with different camps. Registration and return to camp time is **2:45 p.m.**, except the **very first day**, which is **2:15pm.**

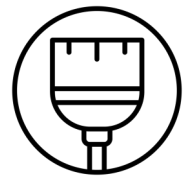
	Come	Go
Work Crew #1	2:15pm June 28	11:30am June 30
	2:45pm July 1	11:30am July 5
	2:45pm July 7	7:30pm July 12
	2:45pm July 14	11:30am July 18 END
Work Crew #2	2:15pm July 21	7:30pm July 27
	2:45pm July 29	11:30am July 31
	2:45pm August 2	2:30pm August 5
	2:45pm August 6	11:30am August 10 END
Work Crew #3	2:15pm August 11	7:30pm August 18
	2:45pm August 18	11:30am August 22
	2:45pm August 25	11:30am August 30 END

*Please enjoy your breaks, do your laundry, and get plenty of sleep!

SKILL DEVELOPMENT – To prepare you as a future leader, we provide you with specific training on how to teach campers skills such as crafts, canoeing, games and other activities. We ensure our Work Crew receive relevant and positive experience with campers, working alongside our Summer Team, before they return as future Summer Team members.

SPIRITUAL GROWTH – You will go beyond your limits as we strive to provide opportunities for God to work in and through you. You will be challenged and stretched as you build relationships through activities, Bible studies, and discussion times.





2019 Work Crew Application

We are excited you are applying for our Work Crew program! We want to ensure that you are aware of what is expected of you as a Work Crew participant. Work Crew is demanding and the days are long, but the rewards are great! We hope that Work Crew will help teach you to serve with excellence, provide you with an awesome experience of Christian community, facilitate the formation of new friendships, and encourage you in your faith. Most of your time will be spent working as part of a crew doing dishes, cleaning washrooms, or other 'behind the scenes' jobs. You'll also spend time every day participating in Bible Study, Leadership Training (working with campers in a supervised capacity), and discussion. Time is set aside daily for breaks and fun time too.

Directions: Please print clearly using INK or type your responses. Send us a recent photo with your completed application.

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NOTE: *You must have completed grade 9, 10, 11, or 12 in June 2019 to apply for this program.*

I am applying for:	Price
[] WC #1 – June 28 - July 18, 2019	\$390
[] WC #2 – July 21 – August 10, 2019	\$370
[] WC #3 – August 11 – August 30, 2019	\$350

Applicant's Name: _____ Date of Birth: ___/___/___ Age: ___ Gender: [] M [] F
 Address: _____ City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____
 Phone Number: _____ Cell Number: _____
 Email address: _____ Parents Email: _____
 School Name: _____ Grade: _____
 Church (if any): _____ Pastor: _____ Phone Number: _____

Response Questions

1) Why do you want to serve at camp as Work Crew?

2) What do you hope to gain from being on Work Crew at NLBC this year?



3) Do you have any camp experience? (Where? When? What?)

4) If you have a faith journey, please summarize...is Christ personal to you? If so, how?

5) If you have a current relationship with the Lord, please describe:

6) What is your current /past involvement with church? How often do you attend?

7) Please outline your employment history. Include company, job title, dates, and responsibilities.

8) Describe any leadership training you have received.

9) What are your strengths and talents? (Don't be modest)

10) In what areas do you feel you need further growth/development?



11) List your hobbies, skills, and interests.

12) Please explain any use of tobacco, alcohol or nonmedical drugs you've had or involvement in occult activity (practices not approved of by the Bible eg. ouija board, palm readings, witchcraft) during the past year. Explain your belief or attitude with respect to each item.

13) Do you have any health concerns or limitations we should be aware of? (asthma, mental health, etc.).

14) Do you have any allergies or dietary concerns? Please be specific and include the degree to which the allergy/concern exists, so we can be prepared with appropriate food options.

15) Anything else that we should know?

References

Two references are required with this application. It is your responsibility to ask people who will be able to accurately assess your character, abilities, and spiritual growth. Reference forms can be found online at www.nesslakebiblecamp.com under the camping tab and by clicking "work Crew" and "click here to provide a reference for a Work Crew applicant"
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I give permission to NLBC to contact previous employers and references for further information.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Signature of Parent

Commitments

I am willing to abide by NLBC's requirements while I am on Work Crew **including the days between camps**. I understand that my services are voluntary and I choose to cooperate fully and to maximize every opportunity for personal spiritual growth. I understand that applicants are selected on the basis of attitude, character, and leadership potential, and that anyone demonstrating a poor attitude or a poor quality of service is subject to dismissal. I will abide by all NLBC rules and guidelines.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Signature of Parent

I will allow pictures of myself to be used for the purpose of promoting NLBC at the discretion of the camp.

Yes No

