Position: Vikes Summer Camps Senior Leader

Our Vision and Purpose:
Together we transform student’s lives.
Excellence distinguishes us in sport and active healthy living.

Vikes Summer Camps:
Vikes Summer Camps seek personable, passionate, responsible and caring team members to deliver a wide variety of quality sport and recreation camps. We provide high quality, fun, safe and positive experiences for all participants.

Key Responsibilities and Duties: (under the direction of the Camps & Community Programmer and Summer Camps Assistants)

- Ensure the safety and supervision of camp participants ages 5-18 years of age
- Assist with planning and organizing activity schedules and activities
- Assist in monitoring daily attendance, medical information forms, equipment and supply needs
- Lead a variety of games, sports, outdoor activities, out trips, theme activities and pool activities
- Develop, deliver and maintain a positive camp atmosphere
- Maintain an exceptional level of confidentiality
- Assist in the supervision and evaluation of camp programs, junior leaders and volunteers
- Demonstrate excellent customer service skills and a positive attitude with staff, participants and parents at all times
- Assist with the promotion of the various Vikes Summer Camps

Qualifications:
- Valid Standard First Aid & CPR -C
- Experience working with children in a summer camp environment
- Ability to work as part of a successful and engaged team
- Commitment to service excellence
- Coaching or instructor experience would be an asset
- Program planning experience would be an asset
- HIGH FIVE PHCD or HIGH FIVE Sport an asset
- Craft, art or dance instructor experience an asset
- Tennis Canada Instructor Level I (for tennis and racquet sport camps)
- Indoor climbing belaying experience and orienteering knowledge (for Vikes Adventurers camp)
- Successful applicants must complete a criminal record check before employment commences

Applicants:
Applicants must be reliable, mature, motivated, have experience organizing and delivering children’s activities and demonstrate a commitment to quality and excellence.

Deadline for applications is 4:30pm on Monday, March 26, 2018 (see below for details)
Vikes Summer Camps include:

- **Mini Vikes Full Day and Half Day Camps** (ages 5-7)
  - Campers explore a variety of activities including games, stories, arts and craft projects and instruction in sports and physical activity with a focus on skill development and fun.

- **Vikes Sports Camps** (ages 6-12)
  - Vikes Sport campers will enjoy a jam-packed week of all kinds of sports, which could include: basketball, soccer, touch rugby, squash, tennis, and volleyball to name a few!

- **Vikes Adventurers Camps** (ages 8-12)
  - Activities include rock climbing, hiking, orienteering, geocaching, scavenger hunts, team building, beach adventures and swimming to name a few!

- **Vikes Kids Camps** (ages 8-12)
  - Activities include art projects, interactive games, scavenger hunts, science experiments, beach trips and “Fun Fridays”.

- **Ball Hockey Camps** (ages 8-9 and 10-12)
  - Suited to the camper who loves hockey and wants to learn the skills that go with ball hockey. The mornings are spent learning skills and drills and the afternoon consist of games.

- **Tennis Camps** (ages 8-14)
  - Participants develop fundamental game skills and the technical and tactical aspects of the game. Other games/activities are scheduled to ensure a healthy balance of play and skill development.

- **Racquet Sports Camps** (ages 8-13)
  - Participants develop skills and learn the rules of play in tennis, badminton, squash and table tennis.

- **Squash Camp** (ages 10-13)
  - A great opportunity for children to learn the basics of squash! Camp instructors will lead the participants through warm up, skill development, drills, and match play.

- **Girl Power Camps** (ages 11-13)
  - Girl Power brings girls together to participate in a week full of team building, leadership development and health and fitness activities.

- **Dance Camp** (ages 10-13)
  - This camp is geared for children who are interested in learning various forms of dance; hip hop, jazz, musical theatre and cultural dances to name a few!

- **Volleyball Camp** (ages 10-13)
  - Designed for the middle school aged participant wanting to develop skills and strategies for both beach and indoor volleyball in a fun and challenging environment.

- **Youth Leadership Development** (ages 14-18)
  - This program provides youth an opportunity to acquire training certifications, expand their leadership skills and gain valuable experience working with children.
Terms of Employment:
Wage: $15.25/hour + 4% in lieu of benefits
Hours of Work: Monday-Friday, up to 35 hrs/per week*
   *Hours and weeks of work dependant on camp registration
Commitment to work: July 3- August 31, 2018 (*mandatory training week June )

Ways to submit your application package: Cover Letter, Resume and Application Form (can be downloaded from vikescamps.com website)

1) Drop it off personally to:
   Vikes Athletics & Recreation Administration Offices
   CARSA Building, top floor
   Monday –Friday between the hours of: 9am-4:30pm
   Attn: Summer Camps – Kathleen Wirtanen

2) E-mail it to: kathwirt@uvic.ca

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We thank all applicants in advance for their applications however, only those short-listed for an interview will be contacted.

   *Shortlisted applicants will be contacted for interviews to be conducted April 4-6 2018.