

Aquatic Instructor

Job Summary

Under the supervision of the Parks Deputy Directors and the Park Manager this position is responsible for implementing and overseeing programming pertaining to teaching swimming and water safety.

Explanatory Comments

The work activities of this position are mainly concerned with the instruction of swimming skills and water safety awareness to members of the public.

The pools operate June through September and may require work on evenings, weekends, and holidays. Locations include North Park Swimming Pool, Boyce Park Wave Pool, Settlers Cabin Park Wave Pool, and South Park Wave Pool.

Training and Experience Required

This position requires a current lifeguard certification. The applicant is required to be confident in their swimming skills and have a strong understanding of various swimming techniques, water safety protocols, and teaching strategies. Water Safety Instructor certification is not required but preferred.

Major Duties

- Instruction: instruct participants of various skill levels, demonstrating correct techniques, as well as stressing water safety
- Safety: Maintain constant supervision, enforce pool rules, and ensure a safe environment for all participants
- Lesson Planning: Assist in developing and adapting lesson plans to meet needs of the participants
- Feedback and Evaluation: Provide constructive feedback and assess student progress
- Communication: Interact effectively and timely with participants, families, and staff
- Program Support: Assist with equipment management and implementation of aquatic programming

Wages

\$18-20 per hour based on experience

The above statements reflect a general description of this position and are not intended to be an all-inclusive list of tasks which an employee may be assigned including alternate functions from time to time, both within and outside of their assigned department.

Questions?

Contact the Parks Recreation Office at 412-350-2468.

Ready to apply?

1. Complete the Seasonal Employment Application
2. Email ParksSeasonalEmployment@AlleghenyCounty.US with the job title in the subject line.