# Moses Merrill Camp and Conference Center

Ministry Description

Position: Cabin Leader

# **Purpose:**

The Cabin Leaders are responsible for leading a cabin of eight campers ages 5-18. Each Cabin Leader is the primary leader for the campers assigned to their cabin. Cabin Leaders will help lead many parts of the youth camp program such as activities, games, Bible studies, and teaching times. Each Cabin Leader will also mentor an assigned JCL as they help lead their cabins. They will work together with the camp leadership to maintain a quality camp environment.

Number: 4 (two male, two female)

Compensation: \$200 weekly

Benefits: Room and Board

**Duration:** Seasonal

2 weeks of training, 5 weeks of youth camp

4th of July week off, Saturdays off

Reports To: Program Director and Senior

Cabin Leader

Responsible For: Campers and assigned

**JCLs** 

**Education and Training:** 

Preferred: LIT or JCL

Provided: Cabin Leader Training, First Aid

### **Qualifications:**

#### General:

- Must have a strong relationship with God.
- Must exhibit a mature Christian lifestyle.
- Must agree with Moses Merrill's Philosophy, Policies, and Statement of Beliefs.
- Must be able to work with the team at Moses Merrill.

#### Specific:

- Must be college age (19+).
- Must have completed one year of college (or one year out of high school)
- Must be a responsible and capable leader.
- Must be able to supervise and lead children.
- Must be able to maintain a physically demanding lifestyle at camp.
- Must have experience working with children.

#### **Responsibilities:**

#### General:

- Be a witness for Jesus Christ in all words and actions.
- Develop a Christ like environment.
- Maintain high standard in all work.
- Be flexible and help in other areas of camp as needed.
- Follow and uphold all safety and security rules and procedures.
- Follow and uphold all policies and procedures as trained.
- Set a good example to campers and staff by placing a priority on the health of your spiritual walk.
- Make every effort to be a constructive staff member, contributing in every way possible
  to the health, harmony, and happiness of the Moses Merrill team and to the
  accomplishment of the mission, goals, and objectives of Moses Merrill.

# Specific:

- Supervise and guide campers in your cabin throughout camp in order to meet the intended camper outcomes.
- Develop healthy and appropriate relationships with campers.
- Lead Campers in activities, games, meals, rest times and teaching times.
- Remind campers of rest time, bedtime policies, and camp safety rules and enforce those rules.
- Participate in the development and implementation of activities for campers within the mission and outcomes.
- Instruct in activities as scheduled.
- Plan and conduct Bible studies with your cabin.
- Plan and carry out evening programs and activities.
- Plan and conduct cabin time activities each day.
- Maintain high standards of health and safety in all activities for campers and staff.
- Watch the health of the campers and refer any problems to the nurse.
- Ensure the safety and well-being of the campers under your supervision.
- Be alert to equipment and facilities to ensure utilization, proper care, and maintenance is adhered to; report repairs needed promptly to the Program Director.
- Be a role model to campers and staff in your attitude and behavior.
- Lead and mentor assigned JCL, helping them learn the best practices of a camp leader.