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C.I.T. PROGRAM

Wanna Volunteer?

Helping Hands are Needed All Summer Long!



CALLING
ALL
TEENS!



Inspire Kids!

Gain Leadership Skills

Get Experience for Future **JOBS!**

Make Lasting Friendships

Be **Outside** During Your Summer Break

A program to develop future leaders for tomorrow!

For boys & girls ages 13-15 by the first day of session 1 of all camps (Sorry, NO Exceptions)

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CITY OF JANESVILLE

Wisconsin's Park Place

What's the Deal?

For young adults age 13-15 (by the first day of session 1 of all camps) who have a desire to assist counselors at our summer camps, either Kids Count Camp, Kids Count Camp ½ Day or Camp Tot Lot. Hours vary depending on the camp. The cost is \$30/session for all camps, except Tot Lot which is \$15/session. This is an excellent opportunity for you to get experience working with children, as well as general work experience. At the end of the session(s) each C.I.T. will receive an evaluation. This is a fun and rewarding way to spend the summer. C.I.T.'s also get a cool t-shirt!

Qualities...

Do you enjoy babysitting or working with younger children? **Are you able to participate as a leader, rather than as a camper?** Can you be dependable and trustworthy? Do you have some creative ideas that you'd like to share? Are you able to take direction and work well with others? Would you be able to get along with all kids and not show favoritism? **These are all things to think about and to honestly assess about yourself, so that you are prepared for situations that might arise.**

Job Summary:

Counselors in Training will report to their assigned Camp Supervisor, "buddy counselor" and the Recreation Programmer. They are to act as positive role models to all campers. Counselors in Training will assist the camp counselors in leading games, crafts, sports, and activities. They will participate in camp activities as a leader, rather than a camper.

Essential Duties:

1. Assists counselors in set-up and clean-up of all activities.
2. Assists counselors in crafts, sports, games, and special activities.
3. Ensure cleanliness of work areas.
4. Participate and assist with theme days, special events.
5. Helps counselors maintain discipline during each activity.
6. Lead activities when counselors are in a camp meeting.
7. Model good sportsmanship in ALL activities.
8. Organizes special projects for counselors, such as, making a project example, sorting t-shirts and coming up with activities, sports or games.
9. Reports any camper behavior problems to their immediate supervisor.

Qualifications:

- Must be between the ages of 13-15 by the first day of session 1 of all camps. Cannot be both a camper and a C.I.T. in the same summer/year. Preference will be given to previous campers; behavior reports will be a factor. However, everyone is encouraged to apply.
- Be able to act as a camp assistant, rather than a camper.
- Must be willing to work, rather than just “hanging out”.
- Must be available to attend **every day** of each session awarded.

Still Interested?

If so, then here's what you need to do*: (4 Steps)

1. Submit a letter stating why you believe you'd be a good C.I.T.
2. Along with your letter, you need to also submit a reference letter from someone who is familiar with you (**a non-relative**), such as a teacher, minister, or someone who knows your abilities in the area of childcare. (If they prefer, they may mail it separately.)
3. Complete the application with the session and camp desired. **If you are requesting more than one session, then prioritize them using numbers with 1 being your first choice, 2 being your second choice, etc.** We will have two slots at each camp per session and will try to give everyone a chance to participate, after they are accepted for the program. You may sign up for all sessions or select certain ones. Preference will be given to previous campers; behavior reports will be a factor.
4. You must attend a mandatory training session on Monday, June 3rd from 4-5PM at Traxler Park Warming House (600 N. Main St.) It is also suggested that chosen C.I.T.'s attend Meet the Counselors on Wednesday, June 5th at 5:15PM at the Palmer Park West Pavilion to meet the camp counselors.

*If you have previously been a C.I.T. for the City of Janesville-Recreation Division, you will only need to do Step 3 and Step 4.

C.I.T. APPLICATION

Name: _____

Parent(s) Names: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Parent Day# _____

Emergency Contact/Phone #: _____

Date of birth: _____

Camp Desired: (put in order of preference; 1 being first choice, etc.)

Kids Count Camp I ___ II ___ III ___ IV ___ V ___ VI ___

Kids Count Camp ½ Day I ___ II ___ III ___ IV ___

Camp Tot Lot I ___ II ___ III ___ IV ___ V ___ VI ___ VII ___ VIII ___

If possible, I would like to do:

all of the sessions checked ___ only my 1st choice ___

Any allergies/medical conditions? _____

Please Circle T-shirt Size: YL, AS, AM, AL, AXL, AXXL

C.I.T.'s will be issued two camp t-shirts. If you would like additional shirts please indicate on form and send in an additional \$5 per shirt.

2019 SUMMER CAMP SCHEDULE

Please Note:
Themes & Field
Trips are Subject to
Change

KIDS COUNT CAMP FULL DAY

2 C.I.T.'s Per Session

Camp is held at Palmer Park-West Pavilion

Sessions & Dates	Times	Theme	Field Trip
1: June 12-21 (Wed. Start)	9AM-4PM	Animation Domination	Betty Brinn Children's Museum
2: June 24-July 5**	9AM-4PM	Explosions of Fun	Pump It Up
3: July 8-19	9AM-4PM	Nature Unleashed	Jellystone Park
4: July 22-August 2	9AM-4PM	Wacky & Wonderful	Skatin Station
5: August 5-16	9AM-4PM	It's a Zoo Out There	Henry Vilas Zoo
6: August 19-30	9AM-4PM	Time Warp! Blast from the Past	Midway Village Museum

C.I.T.'s are more than welcome to assist with before care (7-9AM) and/or after care (4-5:30PM)

KIDS COUNT CAMP ½ DAY

2 C.I.T.'s Per Session

Camp is held at Palmer Park-Hilltop Pavilion

Sessions & Dates	Times	Theme	Field Trip
1: June 17-21	11:30AM-5:30PM	Crazy Carnival Week	Coral Cove Family Fun Center
2: June 24-28	11:30AM-5:30PM	Ninjas Vs. Pirates	Elkhorn Sunset Pool & Park
3: July 1-5**	11:30AM-5:30PM	We All Scream for Ice Cream	Babcock Hall Plant & Ice Cream Parlor & Olive Jones Park
4: July 8-12	11:30AM-5:30PM	Superheroes in Training	Nickel World

CAMP TOT LOT

2 C.I.T.'s Per Session

Camp is held at Adams Elementary School, Room 105

Sessions & Dates	Times	Theme	Field Trip
1: June 17-21	8:45AM-11AM	Cowboy/Cowgirl Farm	Skelly's Farm Market
2: June 24-28	8:45AM-11AM	The Great Outdoors	Rotary Botanical Gardens
3: July 1-5**	8:45AM-11AM	The Secret Lives of Pets	Humane Society of Southern WI
4: July 8-12	8:45AM-11AM	Vehicle Adventures	Fire Station
5: July 15-19	8:45AM-11AM	Disney Days	Palmer Wading Pool & Camden Playground
6: July 22-26	8:45AM-11AM	Teddy Bear Explorations	Rock County 4-H Fair
7: July 29-August 2	8:45AM-11AM	Storybook Summer	Tee Shack Mini Golf
8: August 5-9	8:45AM-11AM	Dinosaurs Roar!	Macs Pizza Shack Tour

****No Camp July 4th for all Camps!**