



# ACTIVITY LEADER

## SEASONAL JOB DESCRIPTION

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### Contract Details

**Reports To:** Activity Head

**Period:** July & August

**Honorarium:** \$210 per week if working 4+ weeks (plus room & board)

### Mission

Camp Mini-Yo-We is a Christian summer camp and year-round retreat centre located on beautiful Mary Lake in Muskoka, Ontario. Our mission is to develop tomorrow's leaders through life-changing adventures in God's creation.

### Position Description

The primary role of an Activity Leader is to facilitate memorable and quality adventure experiences for campers. Activity Leaders are trained in specific skills and are responsible for setting up and putting away equipment, teaching activities and tracking repairs as needed. They set the tone and determine the culture at their activity as well as contributing to the culture of their cabin. Activity Leaders lead by example, ensuring all policies and procedures are followed. The goal is to provide a Christ-centred, safe and fun atmosphere for campers and staff to learn and grow. Activity Leaders also attend morning activity meetings and Bible time each day.

### Key Responsibilities

- **Model Community Living Guidelines** – Live and contribute to the community in a manner that reflects the [Guidelines for Community Living](#).
- **Lead Engaging Activity Sessions** – Lead campers in fun and memorable activity sessions, meeting them at their skill level and seeking to help them grow.
- **Care for Area** – Practise stewardship when working with safety and activity equipment, ensuring that everything is handled with care and respect, the activity space is clean and free of debris, and that all damages are reported.
- **Engage with Parents** – Welcome families to Camp on opening day, say goodbye on closing day, answer any questions, and provide a professional overall experience.

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## Personal Qualifications

- **Be Servant-Hearted** – Have a servant attitude, being flexible and willing to pitch in and assist as part of the team.
- **Be a Good Communicator** – Demonstrate strong communication skills with parents and guardians, suppliers, children, staff and other guests.
- **Be Enthusiastic & Approachable** – Present an upbeat and pleasant personality with a helpful attitude towards all.
- **Be a Problem Solver** – Remain calm under pressure and deal with challenging situations wisely and selflessly.
- **Be a Good Listener** – Create a safe space and be attentive to the needs of others.
- **Be Willing to Grow** – Be a teachable person of integrity.

## Your Support

- **Your Supervisor** – The Activity Head will support and mentor you during your time at Camp with 1-on-1's, encouragement, development and prayer.
- **Your Spiritual Health** – All staff at Mini-Yo-We are given time each day to spend with Jesus and their Bible. You will also have daily time to connect with other staff, read and discuss the Bible and pray together.
- **Your Mental Health** – Each week, we welcome Jordan Mason, our counsellor friend, to Camp. He is available for free 30-minute 1-on-1 appointments with staff members who would like extra support.

## Conditions of Work & Benefits

- You will be provided with accommodation that is shared with campers and/or staff on property as well as all your meals while employed.
- If working for 4+ weeks, you will receive a weekly honorarium.
- Working at Camp is physically demanding, with long stretches on the go without a rest. Daily time off is scheduled by the Activity Head. Weekly time off begins on Saturdays when all closing day duties are completed and verified by the Section Head. It ends at the beginning of our staff chapel on Sunday mornings.
- You will agree to understand Camp Mini-Yo-We's [Guidelines for Community Living](#) and abide by them while serving on our team.

## Next Steps!

If you have any questions about this position, please contact Anna Temple, our Team Development Coordinator, by email at [anna@miniyowe.com](mailto:anna@miniyowe.com) or by phone at 705-571-3603.

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