



CABIN LEADER

SEASONAL JOB DESCRIPTION

Contract Details

Reports To: Section Head

Period: July & August

Honorarium: \$210 per week if serving 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 a Cabin Leader is to serve as a spiritual, emotional and practical caregiver for their assigned campers. Cabin Leaders set the tone and determine the culture of their cabin, and contribute to the culture of their section. Cabin 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. Cabin Leaders also attend daily morning section meetings, daily Bible time and weekly small groups.

Key Responsibilities

- **Model Godly Character** – Practise regular prayer and encouragement, resolve conflicts in a loving way, be good stewards of the site and ensure campers are cared for.
- **Participate in Leadership of the Section** – Provide mutual support for other Cabin Leaders, working together to serve the campers in your care while contributing to the healthy culture of your cabin and the section.
- **Engage with Parents** – Welcome families to Camp on opening day, say goodbye on closing day, answer any questions and provide a professional overall experience.
- **Help Lead Activities** – Help engage your campers at activities, assist Activity Leaders as needed and occasionally lead certain activities.

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Personal Qualifications

- **Be a Christian** – Demonstrate a mature Godly character, with a desire and ability to care for children with kindness and respect.
- **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 Section 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 your campers on property as well as all your meals while employed.
- If serving 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 will be scheduled by the Site Director (Program & Administration). 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 [Statement of Shared Beliefs](#) and [Guidelines for Community Living](#) and uphold 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 or by phone at 705-571-3603.

Express interest or apply online at www.campmyw.com/staff.

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