



FORT WILDERNESS

Stronghold of Christian Adventure

FORT WILDERNESS' MISSION: Fort exists to present the gospel of Jesus Christ and to edify believers through God's Word, Adventure Programs, the Wilderness and Relationships. Our full-time missionary staff and summer staff are the real hands and feet that carry out that mission to love people well in Jesus' name. We provide the following information to guide you to understand if you fit what is required for a certain position. It serves as a basic guide and may change. Training will be provided at Fort before serving to prepare you for service once accepted as a leader on summer staff. Applying for summer staff is making a commitment to give your best every day.

LAB Cook

Responsible to: LAB Director & Food Services Manager

Provides delicious food so the campers are fed well and removes distraction to hear the Gospel.

Qualifications:

1. 19 years of age or older preferable
2. Some background in Food Service
3. Valid driver's license; insurable driving record
4. Satisfactory passing of sanitation test
5. Must enjoy making food
6. Desire to form relationships with campers and staff

Ministerial Responsibilities:

1. Make good food!
2. Participate in one-on-ones/discussions/lessons/activities when available
3. Cook spends most of their time preparing food for groups of 30+
4. Cut and slice fruits, vegetables, breads and meats
5. Create menus; read recipes and follow directions
6. Maintain sanitary working area, equipment and serving methods
7. Perform responsibilities of 3 daily meals while campers are in camp
8. Maintain order in kitchen
9. Dress appropriately: full coverage shoes and shirts with sleeves
10. Operate meat slicer and other cooking equipment
11. Prepare and pack food for trips

In addition to job specific qualifications, all leadership staff at Fort must have the following qualifications:

- Is a professing Christian, committed in both spirit and practice
- Sincere and current walk with the Lord and desire to show that to others
- Desire to impact other people for the Kingdom of God by sharing the gospel, leading devotions, sharing testimony, prayer, etc.
- Will embrace and live out Fort's values
- Mature; responsible; independent; initiative-taker
- Be flexible and willing to do whatever is asked
- Be a model of quality and hard work with a Godly attitude
- Demonstrated leadership skills and abilities
- Ability to communicate well with children and adults



FORT WILDERNESS

Stronghold of Christian Adventure

- Preferably 18 or older (unless otherwise noted for certain positions)

Leadership Responsibilities: In addition to the work responsibilities listed in that work area, the following responsibilities shall be required for **ALL** LAB staff:

- Maintain personal spiritual growth while serving here
- Attend staff meetings and spiritual sessions
- Be ready to share spiritually with those around you; reinforce spiritual topics and themes
- Take advantage of free time to build relationships with campers
- Show love to all campers, even when difficult
- Share life story
- Drive campers and equipment to and from sites (good record)
- Clean cabins, bathrooms and equipment regularly
- Work hard, with a cheerful attitude
- Follow instructions of LAB Director; complete tasks
- Help lead games or alternative activities
- Follow emergency procedures; maintain safety standards
- Promote counselor/camper involvement at activities
- Challenge campers to enjoy the outdoors
- Teach basic camping skills/outdoor activities