



2026 4-H Summer Camp Youth & Adult Staff Descriptions for Langlade, Marathon and Wood Counties

Overnight CAMP held at [Northern Lakes Impact Center](#) in Rhinelander, WI

Camp Dates: June 8-10, 2026 (Staff arrives on June 7)

Welcome to the 4-H Summer Camp program with Langlade, Marathon and Wood county 4-H programs. This year we are offering one 4-H camp for campers in grades 3rd-7th grade. This information is for counselors and adults interested in being on the planning committee & camp staff.

Overnight Camp Information – Counselors must be currently in 8th Grade and older. No previous experience is required. Campers, counselors & adults will lodge in cabins.

APPLICATION PROCESS:

Submit an application no later than January 7, 2026

Successful applicants will be notified via email no later than January 30, 2026. Be sure to provide email addresses that are checked frequently.

- Interviews may be held if necessary.
- Final Camp Counselor and Adult Staff selections will be made by the 4-H Educators.
- Staff roles may be changed to better fit programming needs.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- A. Enrolled and approved 4-H member or adult volunteer
- B. Willing to learn and lead
- C. Creative, energetic and compassionate
- D. Ability to lead and support others

COUNSELORS: Up to 15-20 Selected (More may be selected depending on camper enrollment)

Responsible for the day-to-day supervision and support of up to 8 campers. Responsible for escorting campers to and from all scheduled activities and assisting/participating in camp activities. Counselors will engage in planning and leading other activities.

ADULT STAFF POSITION DESCRIPTIONS

Incentive:

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Be a Certified 4-H Volunteer (Completed all 4-H Volunteer Trainings and Background Check)
- Be in good physical condition to withstand the rigors associated with camp programs such as walking on uneven ground, participating in camp activities, sleeping in cabins
- Willingness to be creative, energetic and compassionate
- Work cooperatively with fellow adult and youth staff team members

POSITION DESCRIPTIONS: (Male and female adults are encouraged to apply. Adult staff positions are made available based on the strengths of the candidates and the needs of the overall camp program.)

- **General Camp Staff:** Assist with camp duties and supervision of campers/counselors for up to 4 days. Specific roles and duties will be provided prior to camp.
- **Camp Medic:** Medic is responsible for providing medical care to campers. This includes administering medications and first aid. Individuals certified in CPR and First Aid are encouraged to volunteer. Additional training is required for camp medics who are not medical professionals.

Time Commitment: Adult staff will be most effective if they attend the whole camp experience. We will try to meet the requests of adults that need to adjust their time at camp.

STAFF TRAININGS

A well-trained staff is a prepared staff! All 4-H Summer Camp counselors and Jr Directors are required to attend the Camp Training and Planning Sessions. Adults are encouraged to attend as many sessions as possible. Please mark them on your calendars and save the dates.

Date	Deadline/Trainings
Sunday Feb 8	Welcome to Camp Staff! 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. via Zoom
Saturday February 28	Full Camp Staff - Planning & Training 9:00 am - 4:30pm In PERSON - TBD
Saturday March 21	Full Camp Staff - Planning & Training 9:00 am - 4:30pm In PERSON - TBD
Sunday April 26	Full Camp Staff - Planning & Training 12:00 - 6:00 pm In PERSON - TBD
Sunday June 7	Face to Face Training at Camp Afternoon & Evening prior to actual camp Arrive at 2pm and stay through the end of camp

Any questions? Contact your local 4-H Educator.

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