

Tumalo Day Camp: Volunteer Counselor



Volunteer Position Description: Facilitate and plan outdoor adventures, fun activities, crafts, games, and songs for a group of similarly-aged kids at a five day session of Tumalo Day Camp. Volunteers will be assigned a teenage Counselor In Training (CIT) during the week who will be there to assist in organizing/prepping for activities, running fun games, and supporting with general supervision of youth.

Camp Fire's Statement of Inclusion: *Camp Fire believes in the dignity and the intrinsic worth of every human being. We welcome, affirm, and support young people and adults of all abilities and disabilities, experiences, races, ethnicities, socio-economic backgrounds, sexual orientations, gender identities and expressions, religion and non-religion, citizenship and immigration status, and any other category people use to define themselves or others. We strive to create safe and inclusive environments that celebrate diversity and foster positive relationships.*

This camp is entirely run by volunteers, we couldn't do it without YOU!

Details:

- There are three 5-day sessions of day camp. Each session, counselors are assigned a group of 8-10 youth who are grouped by grade: PreK through 7th.
- Each day of camp has a different theme (ie: Crazy Hair, Backwards Day, etc.)
- Under the guidance of the Camp Director, Counselors will follow a set curriculum teaching outdoor skills, arts and crafts, games, hikes, outdoor cooking, camping skills and more. Additionally, counselors are encouraged to bring their own skill set to share with the campers!
- Counselors leading 4th, 5th, and 6th grades will go on a one-night overnighter with their group at Tumalo State Park campgrounds on Thursday night of the camp. 7th grade groups camp for 2 nights on Wednesday and Thursday nights.
- We have a certified nurse on site during day camp hours.
- Funds are provided for supplies - parking passes provided too.
- Volunteer camp counselors send their kids to camp for FREE!

Camp Dates: Session 1: June 23rd-27th

Session 2: July 21st - 25th

Session 3: August 18th - 22nd

Training: One-day mandatory training at Tumalo State Park, **Sunday June 8th, 9am-2pm**. Lunch is provided. Additional online training required before in-person training.

Location: Tumalo State Park Day Use Area

Camp Time: 8:30am to 2pm - Monday through Friday

Requirements: All volunteers must pass a background check

For more information and to apply, go to <https://campfireco.org/volunteer/> or email info@campfireco.org with the subject line "TDC Counselor {Last Name}"

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