

Day Camp Counsellor - Child, Youth, and Sport Department

The Zatzman Sportsplex, built in 1982, is a family-focused health, fitness, and recreation complex that serves Dartmouth's communities and all regions of the Halifax Regional Municipality. The facility hosts a variety of facilities and services including a double gymnasium, a large fitness centre, community spaces, two swimming pools, an NHL sized arena with seating for 3,000 people, and so much more. In addition, the facility also sponsors a large-scale community outreach and accessibility program to reduce barriers and ensure that everyone in our community can play at the Sportsplex.

Diversity is a primary value of the Zatzman Sportsplex. As an equal opportunity employer, we consider individual talents, skills, and unique perspectives to provide the best service to our vibrant community. The Zatzman Sportsplex is seeking a positive and energetic person for the position of Summer Camp Counsellor to join our team.

The successful candidate will be highly energetic, motivated, and enthusiastic. They would be passionate about working with children and providing a fun and safe environment for the campers.

Key Responsibilities:

- Lead small or large groups on crafts, swimming, games, and various other camp exercises
- Working cooperatively with other Camp Counsellors to ensure campers are safe, while maintaining adequate health and hygiene measures
- Conflict resolution between children and address behavioral issues
- Keep accurate incident logs
- Monitoring groups of children
- Daily attendance checks
- Other related duties as assigned.

Qualifications

- Great with children (ages 5 to 11 years)
- Excellent communication skills, team-oriented
- Creativity & problem-solving skills
- Works well in fast-paced environment
- Ability to stay on task
- Experience working with children
- Available to work starting March 13 through 17 (March Break Camp) between the hours of 7:30am and 5:30pm
- First-aid / WHMIS certification is an asset
- Must be 15 years old or older

Interested candidates can apply by email (preferred) with a resume and cover letter before 5:00pm on February 2nd, 2023 to greenje@halifax.ca. Applications can be dropped off at the Zatzman Sportsplex to the attention of Jeff Green.

Any questions can be directed to Jeff Green at 902-490-3170 or greenje@halifax.ca