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## Greetings,

We are so glad you are interested in summer employment at Wanakee! 25-30 people will come to Upper New Hampton Road to create our 2024 summer staff community. We will work, play, struggle, grow, laugh, and pray together.

We expect ~500 campers and over 60 volunteers during Wanakee's 7 weeks of camp. As a staff member, you will help to provide memorable life-changing experiences for campers and volunteers. Few jobs exist with so many possibilities to change the world, one camper at a time. Camp is often one of the most powerful experiences of a child's life, where they discover who they really want to be and the values that matter to them. You can help this happen! Many former staff members remember their summer(s) at camp as the best job they've ever had.

Wanakee is a rustic, wooded Christian camp of 227 acres, situated on spring-fed Lake Pemigewasset, where campers love to swim and canoe. Main camp consists of a group of buildings (rec. hall, dining hall, shower house, barn and the farmhouse) connected by an open grassy area. Across the street and "on the hill" are the primary camper overnight facilities - 16 rustic screened cabins paired up around campfire circles.

Wanakee's programs range from high adventure to drama. All programs are small-group focused, with two counselors and 8-14 campers (across 2 cabins) forming a "camp family". Through games, and other activities, these small-groups get to know each other and build lifelong friendships. Campers range from age 2 (paired with a parent) to 18 years-old, and spend three to six days at camp. Counselors can expect to work with a variety of programs and age groups during the summer.

**Summer begins in mid-June with staff training and ends in late August.** During training, we will develop skills and build our close-knit team of supportive relationships. Staff members live together in the farmhouse and above the dining hall in rooms of 2-6; laundry facilities are available on site. Every staff has at least one day off each week (24 hours).

We look forward to reviewing your application and exploring whether employment at Wanakee is for you. Please contact us with questions, and visit www.wanakee.org or our social media pages (Instagram, Facebook, YouTube, TikTok) for more information.

Grace & Peace,

Evan McElreath Executive Director Positions are filled as soon as a highly qualified applicant is identified. The sooner you return your application, the more likely you are to be interviewed and hired into your preferred position.

Please note: Wanakee's camp programs are available to persons regardless of race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, veteran status, marital status, genetic information, pregnancy, or political orientation.