

PEACOCK PLAYERS SUMMER THEATRE CAMP COUNSELOR JOB DESCRIPTION

EMPLOYEE COMMITMENT

Peacock Players Summer Theatre Camp Staff Members must be available for employment from Tuesday, July 5th through Saturday, August 6th, 2016. All Summer Theatre Camp Staff positions will receive a stipend salary, with taxes deducted. Please note the following required 2016 Staff Employment Dates and Times:

PEACOCK PLAYERS 2016 SUMMER THEATRE CAMP STAFF CALENDAR (July 5th - August 6th)

	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
TRAINING WEEK		4) Holiday Extra Day Off	5) Training 9am - 5pm	6) Training 9am - 5pm	7) Training 9am - 5pm	8) Training 9am - 5pm Camp Student/Parent Orientation 5pm - 7pm	9) Day Off

SESSION I (Monday 7/11 - Friday 7/22 and all day Saturday 7/23 Showcase Performances)

J U L Y	10) Day Off	11) 8am for student check-in 9am to 5pm	12) 9am to 5pm	13) 9am to 5pm	14) 9am to 5pm	15) 9am to 5pm	16) Day Off
	17) Day Off	18) 9am to 5pm <small>Each group will scheduled one tech appointment within these four evenings at 6pm - 8pm or 8pm - 10pm</small>	19) 9am to 5pm	20) 9am to 5pm	21) 9am to 5pm Showcase Rehearsal Day	22) 9am to 5pm Showcase Rehearsal Day (Evening Showcase Prep)	23) 8am - 10pm All Day Showcase Performances

SESSION II (Monday 7/25 - Friday 8/5 and all day Saturday 8/6 Showcase Performances)

A U G	24) Day Off	25) 8am for student check-in 9am to 5pm	26) 9am to 5pm	27) 9am to 5pm	28) 9am to 5pm	29) 9am to 5pm	30) Day Off
	31) Day Off	1) 9am to 5pm <small>Each group will scheduled one tech appointment within these four evenings at 6pm - 8pm or 8pm - 10pm</small>	2) 9am to 5pm	3) 9am to 5pm	4) 9am to 5pm Showcase Rehearsal Day	5) 9am to 5pm Showcase Rehearsal Day (Evening Showcase Prep)	6) 8am - 10pm All Day Showcase Performances

- Supplemental compensation for staff covering Before Camp Care (7:30am - 9am) and/or After Camp Care (5pm - 6pm)
- CPR/First Aid Training for specific staff members for one day (date & time TBD) during the week of 6/27-7/1

QUALIFICATIONS

Prior related experience in summer camping, teaching, or recreational leadership with children.

Relevant experience (degree, course work, etc.) in teaching or leading theater arts.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, & ABILITIES

Energy and passion for working with youth and children in a recreational camp setting.

Ability to maintain positive relationships and communication between campers, parents, and fellow staff members.

Demonstrate exemplary leadership for all campers and fellow staff members.

Represent and promote Peacock Players in a positive and professional manner.

POSITION OVERVIEW

Under the combined supervision of the Peacock Players Executive Staff and Camp Manager - Camp Counselors will be the primary leaders for a group of campers during each session of camp.

Responsibilities include (but are not limited to):

Develop age-appropriate lesson plans and theatre arts curriculum for campers.

Select and direct a camp showcase performance for campers. This includes developing the production, performing all necessary technical preparations, and leading campers in all showcase rehearsals.

Serve as leader of a specialized "Elective" class, including preparing lesson plans and small performance opportunities.

Work with Counselors-in-Training (C.I.T.s), to plan and execute daily camp schedules.

Serve as a role model, mentor, and leader for all C.I.T.s and campers.

Assist Camp Manager with augmented supervision of campers during lunchtimes, snack periods, educational workshops, and large-scale camp activities.

TO APPLY

Summer Theatre Camp Staff Applications are available in Peacock Players Administrative Office, located at 14 Court Street, Nashua, NH 03060. Complete an application form and send it (with requested accompanying materials and resume) to:

**Summer Theatre Camp Staff
c/o Keith Weirich
Peacock Players
14 Court Street
Nashua, NH 03060**

All completed applications must be received by April 6th, 2016.