

# **Camp Counselor**

## Job Description

Teach and supervise children age 5 – 16 participating in summer horse camps and help monitor horse health and prepare school horses for camp activities. The camp is located in Fall City, Wash. This is a part-time contract position. Chosen candidate reports to the Camp Equine Director and Director of Education.

## **Key Responsibilities**

Assist in implementing camp lesson program and activities Oversee and assure individual advancement of students under your tutelage Supervise and assure the safety of campers

#### Job Duties

Teach lessons in natural horsemanship to campers Handle horses and monitor their performance and health Attend daily staff meetings Share in supervising and participating in non-equine camp activities Other duties as assigned or agreed upon

#### **Skill Requirements**

1-3 years' experience working with horsesDesire and patience to teach childrenStrong work ethic14 years of age or older

#### **Desirable Experience**

Experience with natural horsemanship techniques Successful completion of the NWNHC Camp Counselor Certificate class (<u>See details</u>) Participation in 4H equine club or equivalent learning program Experience with child care

#### Compensation

Earnings are based on number of camp sessions worked. Additional compensation is available by providing before- and after-camp child care. (Direct arrangement is made with parent.) Contractor will receive an IRS Form 1099-MISC. A portion or all services provided may be eligible for credit towards community service hours or NWNHC, LLC products and services.

## Counselor (14 and older):

Counselors under the age of 16 must complete a Parent Authorization for Summer Work form if they wish to be paid. Compensation can also be in the form of credits towards community service hours or NWNHC, LLC products and services.

Earnings Potential: \$250 - \$3,320

## Counselor In Training (Under 14 years of age):

Compensation for CITs is in the form of credits towards community service hours or NWNHC, LLC lessons and horse rentals.

#### 2024 Camp Dates:

June 24-28 (Half Day), July 8-12, July 15-19, July 22-26, July 29-August 2, August 5-9, August 12-16, August 19-23

## About NWNHC

For 24 years, the Northwest Natural Horsemanship Center (NWNHC) has reached out across the Northwestern United States to bring natural horsemanship to horse people of all ages, riding styles and disciplines. NWNHC is an educational institution that makes available instruction and training in natural horsemanship at its campus outside Seattle, Wash. It has been conducting summer kids camps since 2006 and was named one of the "Great Northwest Horse Camps" by Parent Map magazine.

## **To Apply**

Send a letter of interest and personal "selling points" A resume of both horse and non-horse related experiences (if available) Contact information for three mentors, family friends, employers or teachers who are familiar with your work experience and initiative

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