



2024 SUMMER STAFF DESCRIPTIONS

Camp Bays Mountain is a newly established camp and retreat center located near Kingsport, Tennessee. We began as an answer for the need of a United Methodist camp after the devastating flood of 2012 at Buffalo Mountain Camp. This will be our seventh year at the new site, and we will offer seven weeks of residential and day camp for campers in grades 1-12. We need several staff members to make this happen and perhaps this includes YOU!

SCHEDULE:

TBA	Canoe and kayak training (we pay for your certification)
May 15-17	Lifeguard training (we pay for your certification)
May 20-May 31	All Staff training
June 2	Camp Opens
June 29-July 6	Everyone is off
July 26	End of summer dinner celebration

COUNSELORS: You will be the primary caregiver/leader of the young campers! Must be 18 AND completed a year of college/work or be 19. All weekends off Friday at 5:00pm until Sunday at 1:30pm. We need several persons who want Lifeguard training. Salaries begin at \$400/week. All meals and lodging are provided during the term except for weekends. Your role will be leading camp songs, creating skits, leading games, sleeping outside occasionally, leading group initiatives/challenges, climbing the tower, canoeing at Warriors Path, and going with the flow if it's hot or raining. We need counselors who will LEAD in adventures and can communicate and exhibit the Christian faith.

SUPPORT STAFF: We need support staff who will work in the kitchen, lifeguard, work in maintenance, help with registration/check-in, and will support the counselors in their work. Support staff must be 16 years old by June 2nd. All weekends off from Friday at 5pm until Sunday at 1:30pm. Salary is \$375/week with all meals and lodging provided during camp.

ADVENTURE RESOURCE STAFF: We need one adventure specialty staff who is 21 or over who will facilitate our climbing tower, drive camp vehicles, oversee our trips to Bays Mountain Park, oversee lake/river trips and perform other duties in outdoor leadership. Salaries begin at \$425/week. Resource staff may not need to live at camp during the summer but can commute. We will work this detail out during training.

So, if you want in on the ground level of a new camp, have the desire to push yourself, love kids, be in a great environment in outdoor leadership, and be mentored as you serve as a Christian disciple, then I want to talk with you! Applications are all electronic for 2024 and are found at <http://www.ultracamp.com/info/sessiondetail.aspx?idCamp=72&campCode=&idSession=445536> When you open the link, scroll down to the staff applications and choose new or returning staff member. You will create a username and password (or use the one from last year). Select CBM Staff Application and follow the prompts. Contact Callee Whitaker, Program Director (423) 349-8401 for more info.