Job Description Camp Chef

Classification: Exempt (Seasonal) Reports to: Camp Directors
Area: Food Service Dates: June 3rd - End of August

Camp Quinebarge

Camp Quinebarge is a traditional, overnight boys and girls summer camp lying on 70 acres of forest and over 1,200 feet of lakefront on Lake Kanasatka in Moultonborough, NH. Since 1936, Camp Quinebarge has fostered an environment for children to learn about themselves and the world around them, try new activities and learn new skills, have fun, and make friendships that last a lifetime.

Camp Chef

Our Camp Chef runs our camp kitchen and supervises 4-5 Kitchen Assistants. Together, they serve three meals each day for up to 225 to campers and staff, typically served in our Dining Hall or outdoors as a cookout. Chefs and kitchen staff are beloved by campers and staff alike at Quinebarge. Chefs are provided private onsite housing.

Camp Chef Job Functions

- Manage the daily operations of the camp food and dining service including coordinating activities between the kitchen and dining room.
- Lead the Kitchen team and manage Kitchen Assistants to ensure the kitchen and dining hall are cleaned after each meal, and the dining hall is swept and mopped daily.
- The Camp Chef will be hands on with all meals, managing prep and cooking main courses.
- Prioritize food safety and allergen safety.
- Coordinate with the Camp Nurse to provide specialty meals for those with dietary restrictions.
- Coordinate with Trips staff to provide meals and snacks for off site excursions.
- Maintain a clean, sanitary workspace and perform opening and closing cleanouts.
- Execute the menu which is provided by the Camp Directors in a 2 week rotation, including desserts and other baking.
- Oversee the inventory and ordering of food, equipment, and supplies and arrange for the routine maintenance, sanitation, and upkeep of the camp kitchen, its equipment, and facilities.
 - Use eSysco ordering system and other vendors
- Other duties as assigned by the Directors.

Equipment used includes food preparation and cooking equipment, both manual and mechanical, and cleaning and dishwashing supplies and equipment.

Qualifications and Abilities

- Management or supervisory experience in an institutional or high-volume food service setting.
- SafeServ food safety certification or recognized equivalent.
- Experience in food service: ordering, inventory, budgeting, food preparation, family-style serving, buffet serving, cleaning, and institutional kitchen equipment.
- Able to perform physical aspects of the position, including:
 - Work long hours.
 - o Identify and respond to environmental and other hazards.
 - Respond appropriately to situations requiring First Aid, and assist campers in an emergency (fire, evacuation, illness, or injury).
 - o Lift 50 pounds.
- Meets state, federal, and ACA requirements for summer camp employment. Must pass a background check and provide other forms and details.
- Current certification in CPR and/or First Aid. This may be acquired onsite during staff training.
- Desire to work around and inspire children in a summer camp environment.

Salary and Benefits

The Salary range for this position is \$1000-1200 per week, includes room and board, leadership and other training, weekly laundry, camp t-shirts, free camper tuition, and the opportunity to participate in trips and onsite events. Staff are eligible for performance bonuses.

Kitchen staff get one 12-hour day off during staff training, and one 24-hour day off per week thereafter, except during camper week 8. Staff will also have one evening off per week.

How to Apply

To apply for this or other positions at Camp Quinebarge, please visit www.campquinebarge.com/staff.

More About Camp Quinebarge

Being a camp counselor at Camp Quinebarge is an incredibly fun and rewarding experience for someone who enjoys children and helping them grow and is a summer you will remember forever. It is also physically and emotionally demanding and not for everyone. Please consider both before applying. Camp Quinebarge is an Equal Opportunity Employer, a member of the New Hampshire Camp Directors Association, and accredited by the American Camp Association.

At Quinebarge, we have three types of staff: counselors, support staff, and senior staff. Counselors work directly with campers at activities and in cabins. Senior staff support and supervise counselors and support staff. Kitchen staff fall under the category of support staff. While working directly with campers is not their main role, support staff perform integral duties that keep Camp running smoothly, and play a vital role in the camper experience.

A Typical Day

- 6:30 7:45 am Breakfast Prep
 - Make breakfast.
 - Direct Kitchen Assistants in their duties, including food prep/cooking, cleaning, preparing table settings, etc.
- 7:45 am Waiters Bell
 - Ring Waiters Bell
- 8:00 am Breakfast
 - o Direct Kitchen Assistants as they maintain full buffets, refill drink pitchers, or begin dishwashing.
- 8:30 9:30 am Clean Up
 - Store leftover food appropriately.
 - Direct Kitchen Assistant as they clean the dining room, wash dishes, etc.
- 9:30 11:30 am Break
- 11:30 am 12:45 pm Lunch Prep
- 12:45 pm Waiters bell
- 1:00 pm Lunch
 - Same as prior meals.
- 1:30 2:30 pm Clean Up
 - Same as prior clean-up period.
 - Direct Kitchen Assistants in sweeping and mopping Dining Room and Kitchen.
- 2:30 4:00 pm Break
- 4:00 5:45 pm Dinner Prep
- 5:45 pm Waiters Bell
- 6:00 pm Dinner
 - Same as prior meals.
- 6:30 8:00 pm Clean Up/Prep
 - Same as prior clean-up period.
 - Direct Kitchen Assistants in sweeping and mopping Kitchen.
 - Begin prep for following day.
- 8:00 pm Time Off

^{*} Kitchen staff eat their meals either before or after the main meals.