Counselor in Training Program

Mashpee Summer Camp/Mashpee Recreation Department

Program Dates: June 29th - August 21st (8 weeks)

Eligible: Students entering 8th or 9th Grade in the fall of 2015

Location: Quashnet School

Hours: Programming daily between the hours of 8:30 am and 4:30 PM

Cost: $ 80/week; minimum 4 week commitment

How to Apply: All applicants must:

- Complete the attached application form for CIT's
- Go to mashpeerec.com and complete the Summer Camp Registration Form. Please note that medical and immunization records, as well as a current photo are required.
- Submit a one paragraph recommendation from a teacher, coach, or other community member stating why the applicant would be a good candidate for Mashpee Recreation Summer Camp CIT Program
- Submit a one paragraph essay stating why he/she would like to be a counselor in training
- Complete an interview with Recreation Department/Summer Camp personnel
- ***Submit all required information by April 30th***

Program Content: Our Counselor in Training Program is open to teens entering the 8th & 9th grades in the fall of 2015. Our CIT participants must be responsible, hard-working, cooperative team members. They must be able to work with children, take direction, and engage in both indoor and outdoor activities. The CIT Program will be led by veteran Summer Camp Counselors, who will act as mentors as CIT's grow and learn throughout the summer.

Responsibilities: Each CIT will be assigned to work with a group of children of varying ages from 5-12 years old under the direction of certified summer staff counselors. CIT's will be asked to lead and support various activities including sports/games, swimming, arts and crafts, talent shows, music, playground games and more. Daily team meetings with lead counselors and CIT's will be used to discuss strategies, create games and activity projects, set goals and ask questions.

Please complete both the Mashpee Summer Camp Application and the CIT Application. Submit these in person at the recreation office along with your reference letter, personal essay, immunization/medical records and recent photo. Our hours are Monday through Friday from 8:30 am-4:30 PM. You will be asked to put **down a deposit to reserve your space. Applicants will be notified of their acceptance by May 22nd.** ***Applications are due by April 30, 2015*****.**

2015 Counselor in Training Program Application

Mashpee Summer Camp/ Mashpee Recreation

NAME _____ Date of Birth _____

E-Mail _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____Cell phone: _____Carrier_____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Grade in fall 2015 _____

Would you be able to attend a pre-session orientation meeting? YES NO
(Date and time TBD)

Which session(s) are you available for? (Minimum 4 weeks)

Session I	**June 29-July2**	**Session V**	**July 27- August 31**
Session II	**July 6-10**	**Session VI**	**August 3-7**
Session III	**July 13-17**	**Session VII**	**August 10-14**
Session IV	**July 20-24**	**Session VIII**	**August 17-21**

What THREE camp activities would you most like to be involved with? (Please circle)

Swimming	**Art & Crafts**	**Dance/Theater**
Archery	**Drama**	**Outdoor Living**
Tennis	**Music**	**Science/Rocketry**
Field Sports	**Nature**	**Games/Playground**

Applicant Signature _____ Date: _____

Parental Agreement: I hereby give consent for my child to participate in the CIT Program of the Mashpee Summer Camp Program/Mashpee Recreation, if selected.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____