



The Loppet Foundation is seeking an inspiring, active, and organized leader to direct its annual Summer Adventure Camp -- a Monday - Friday, 9 AM - 4 PM day camp consisting of 8 week-long sessions from June through August, hosting around 60 youth per week. Loppet Adventure Camp's mission is to promote outdoor-active lifestyles in urban youth by offering adventure experiences in Theodore Wirth Park in a safe, fun environment with an emphasis on skills progression and social development. Activities include: canoeing, mountain biking, rollerblading or rollerskiing, orienteering, adventure racing, and classic summer camp games.

Loppet Adventure Camp has been one of the Loppet's most successful programs -- introducing thousands of children in Minneapolis to outdoor activities that many continue to pursue both recreationally and competitively. Many former campers become leaders in the outdoor community -- some even coming back to work at Adventure Camp as counselors.

This is a seasonal commitment, starting in mid-April and ending at the beginning of September.

Duties include:

- programming preparation
- scheduling
- hiring staff
- training staff
- communicating with parents and community partners
- outreach
- payroll
- and effective directing of camp at-large.

Skills include:

- organizational wizardry
- youth development
- inspirational leadership of staff
- communication
- basic Google Drive know-how.

Prerequisites include:

- a Bachelor's degree or equivalent youth development experience.
- 4 years experience in a summer camp environment.

The Adventure Camp Director reports to the Loppet's Adventures Director on matters of budget, outreach, and programming.

If interested, please email a resume to Rob Nelson at Nelson@Loppet.org