

Dream Day on Cape Cod Camp Nan-Ke-Rafe Staff Application 2009

Dream Day on Cape Cod is an organization dedicated to children with life-threatening illnesses, and their families. We are excited to begin our eleventh season at Camp Nan-Ke-Rafe, our family campground in Brewster, Massachusetts.

Our facility, located on 17-acres in beautiful Nickerson State Park (itself 1900 acres), includes individual cabins for each family, a centralized dining hall, and a centralized bathhouse. Camp Nan-Ke-Rafe staff members organize and lead family activities throughout the day. Come and enjoy activities including archery, hiking, swimming, fishing, and arts and crafts. We also love to explore beautiful Cape Cod while horseback riding, whale watching, go carting and more! Whether you relax on the beach or participate in our evening campfire ceremonies, there will be fun-filled activities for everyone.

Completed staff applications should be sent to the following address:

Kathleen Giorgio
Executive Director
Dream Day on Cape Cod
165 Nan-Ke-Rafe Path
Brewster, MA 02631

If you have any questions, please contact Kathleen via email at kgiorgio@verizon.net or by phone at 774-994-7346.

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Name: _____ Date of Application: _____
 Social Security #: _____ License #: _____ State Issued: _____
 E-mail Address: _____ Telephone: _____
 Have you ever been convicted of a crime in which a child was a victim? _____

Education: Years: School Name: Major Subjects of Study:

Home/Permanent Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

School or Winter Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Past Employment:

1. Dates: _____ Employer: _____ Phone: _____
 Position: _____ Reason for Leaving: _____
2. Dates: _____ Employer: _____ Phone: _____
 Position: _____ Reason for Leaving: _____
3. Dates: _____ Employer: _____ Phone: _____
 Position: _____ Reason for Leaving: _____

Camp Experience:

1. Dates: _____ Camp: _____ Camper or Staff? _____
 Address: _____ Director: _____
2. Dates: _____ Camp: _____ Camper or Staff? _____
 Address: _____ Director: _____
3. Dates: _____ Camp: _____ Camper or Staff? _____
 Address: _____ Director: _____

References:

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| 2. | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 3. | _____ | _____ | _____ |

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Position Applying For (please check one):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Program Coordinator (age 21+)
<input type="checkbox"/> Counselor (age 19+)
<input type="checkbox"/> Lifeguard (age 18+)
<input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer - Day Camp (age 13+) | <input type="checkbox"/> Camp Nurse/Health Manager
<input type="checkbox"/> Chef (age 21+)
<input type="checkbox"/> Cook (age 17+)
<input type="checkbox"/> Maintenance (age 18+)
<input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer - Overnight Camp (age 19+) |
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Are there reasons you may have difficulty performing any of the essential elements of the job for which you have applied? Yes No If Yes, please explain:

Please put a number "1" before those activities you can organize and teach; a "2" for those activities you can assist in teaching; and a "3" for those which you are interested in:

- | <u>Recreation</u> | <u>Nature</u> | <u>Creative Arts</u> | <u>Waterfront</u> |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Archery | <input type="checkbox"/> Pond life | <input type="checkbox"/> Painting | <input type="checkbox"/> Swimming |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hiking | <input type="checkbox"/> Birds | <input type="checkbox"/> Crafts | <input type="checkbox"/> Rowing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fishing | <input type="checkbox"/> Gardening | <input type="checkbox"/> Bead work | <input type="checkbox"/> Canoeing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Low ropes | <input type="checkbox"/> Woodland life | <input type="checkbox"/> Lead singing | <input type="checkbox"/> Kayaking |
| <input type="checkbox"/> High ropes | <input type="checkbox"/> Forestry | <input type="checkbox"/> Storytelling | <input type="checkbox"/> Snorkeling |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Volleyball | | <input type="checkbox"/> Skits | <input type="checkbox"/> Water games |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Basketball | | <input type="checkbox"/> Instruments | |

Other Activities

- Evening activities
- Contests
- Games
- Initiative challenges
- Survival skills

Please explain a situation where you have intentionally acted silly in front of a group of people:

Do you have any hesitation about getting on stage and acting/performing with children? If yes, please explain:

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Please list any certifications/special training (First Aid, CPR, LGT, Archery, Ropes Course, etc.) that you have. Please provide dates of certification:

What contributions do you think you can make at camp?

Please write a brief biographical sketch, including past experiences, current hobbies, and interests that might have a bearing on the position you are applying for. Please add paper if needed.

Explain what you think are some benefits children get from a camp experience:

What sets you apart from others potentially applying for this position?

Please list all experiences working with children:

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In accordance with Massachusetts law, summer camps are required to obtain a criminal background report on all staff working with children. Part of the application process will require you to authorize Dream Day on Cape Cod to receive this information about you. Please read the following statement carefully, and if you consent to a background check, sign below the statement.

I authorize investigation of all statements herein and release the camp and all others from liability in connection with same. I understand that untrue, misleading or omitted information herein may result in dismissal, regardless of the time of discovery by the camp.

Signature

Date