

# Camp Aide Training

Camp Wil-Lo-Linn is unique in our dedication to providing our Camp Aides with a wide variety of responsibilities in running camp. Because of this we expect our Camp Aides to arrive well trained and eager to fully participate in camp in a wide variety of roles.

## **Camp Aide Training Requirements**

Prior to our training dates, please review:

1. Camp Aide Training Basics
2. Camp Aide Rainbow Training
3. Thursday Overnight Training

These will provide you with a refresher on basic Camp Aide responsibilities and skills involved in Camp Wil-Lo-Linn programs. Camp Aides are expected to attend both training sessions to receive updated training on camp safety, outdoor skills, and new program activities including the Leader in Action Award program.

## **Training Session 1 – Off-Site Safety and Rainbow Skills Training**

What to bring:

Note pad with pen or pencil.

Training will cover the following essentials:

- Roles and responsibilities for Camp Aides
- Camp health and safety policies and procedures
- Thursday Overnight Training
- Rainbow Skills
- Take-Along-Craft skills
- Songs and skits skills
- Specialized training: LiA Award

## **Training Session 2 – On-Site Orientation – Unit Training, Activities Training, Cook Shed Training**

What to bring:

Note pad with pen or pencil.

Training will cover the following essentials:

- Review of Camp Aide and Adult Volunteer Assignments to unit leadership teams, activity support teams, and specialized activity leadership teams.
- Staff Introductions
- Roles and responsibilities for Camp Aides and Unit Leaders in units, activity support, activity leadership.
- Camp health & safety policies and procedures, emergency evacuation procedures, Thursday night overview.
- Unit Leader & Camp Aides overview of Rainbow Program and Skills
- Demonstration of activity stations
- Cook Shed training for unit teams
- Craft Training for craft teams
- Specialized training for additional activity teams

**Directions to Camp Wil-Lo-Linn:**

From Interstate 5 take exit #283 turn east on Wilsonville Rd. Turn right onto memorial DR. Turn left onto the road marked by the Wilsonville memorial Park Sign. Drive down the hill into the large parking area. Continue along the road bearing to the right until you reach the end. This is the parking area located above the River Shelter (Area C). Camp Headquarters are located at the front of the River Shelter building.