



michigan OUT-of-DOORS YOUTH CAMP



Michigan United Conservation Clubs (MUCC) is the largest statewide, non-government, non-profit conservation organization in the United States.

Founded in 1937, our mission is to unite citizens to conserve, protect and enhance Michigan's natural resources and outdoor heritage.

We were founded with the purpose of harnessing the combined strengths of Michigan's outdoor community to protect our natural resources from politics and to achieve conservation through education.

We accomplish our mission through four routes of action:

ADVOCACY

MUCC provides Michigan with a robust grassroots policy-setting process. We have led significant conservation victories, such as the passage of the Bottle Bill and the creation of the Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund in 1976, protecting the Trust Fund in the Michigan Constitution in 1984 and passage of the Scientific Fish and Wildlife Conservation Act in 2014.

CONSERVATION

Our On the Ground (OTG) wildlife habitat conservation program launched in 2013. A partnership with the Michigan Department of Natural Resources, it has engaged hundreds of volunteers in habitat projects on public lands and waters around the state. In 2015, we launched the Michigan Wildlife Cooperatives partnership with Pheasants Forever, the Quality Deer Management Association and the DNR to organize private land cooperatives improving wildlife habitat.

EDUCATION

The Michigan Out-of-Doors Youth Camp, located at the Cedar Lake Outdoor Center in Chelsea, Michigan, has educated over 57,000 youth since its founding over 70 years ago, introducing our youth to conservation/environmental sciences, outdoor recreation and sportsman's heritage.

COMMUNICATION

Since 1947, we have published Michigan Out-of-Doors Magazine. Our youth magazine, Tracks, reaches tens of thousands of middle school students each year. Our weekly Conservation Insider e-newsletter details the latest conservation news.

-Lead Chef-

Description:

The Michigan Out-of-Doors youth camp is a five week program hosted out of the Cedar Lake Outdoor Center in Chelsea, Michigan. Our goal is to connect our youth with their natural resources through environmental/conservation sciences, outdoor recreation and sportsman's/women's heritage.

The Lead Chef must be at least 18 years of age and have experience as a cook or assistant cook for large groups. Catering experience preferred. They must demonstrate an ability to work well with others at camp and have knowledge of standards of food preparation and serving and kitchen procedures. Advanced training in diet and nutrition or college degrees in nutrition or kitchen management is preferred. Responsibilities include training kitchen staff, plan nutritionally balanced meals (in accordance with state regulations and food licensing), preparing each meal for 125 campers and staff, licensing, work with the Camp Health Care Manager to respond to special dietary needs of participants, stock kitchen with all food and equipment throughout the season and provide weekly menu's, clean and prepare food service areas for use and inspection.

Opportunity:

Seasonal- (7 weeks) June-August

Location:

The Cedar Lake Outdoor Center is located in the Waterloo Recreation Area in Chelsea, Michigan.

Compensation:

\$525 weekly

Accommodations:

When camp is in session mid-June to early-August, staff is housed in rustic cabins located on-site at the Cedar Lake Outdoor Center. Meals are included each week from Sunday dinner to Friday breakfast. Each staff person will receive a 2 hour break each day there are campers on site. Staff will also receive 48 hours of time off during the weekends. Camp will not be in session the week of July 4th, therefore staff are not required to be on sight.

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