PHILMONT SCOUT RANCH, SCOUTING AMERICA

POSITION DESCRIPTION

Position: Philmont Training Center Shooting Sports Specialist

Department: Training Center

Salary Level: II (Specialists/Foremen)

Default Housing: Tent-PTC (Final housing assignments may differ based on availability)

Reports To: Philmont Training Center Shooting Sports Director

Desired Availability: May 23 – August 12

Philmont Standards

Must be at least 18 years of age by start of employment (21+ requirement, if applicable, will be noted below)

- Must become a registered member of Scouting America at the start of employment and subscribe to the Scout Oath, Scout Law, and Declaration of Religious Principles
- Must provide a complete and current Scouting America Annual Health and Medical Record (Parts A, B, & C) to the Infirmary upon arrival including review of risk advisory and immunization requirements
- Must maintain a clean, well-groomed appearance and be willing to purchase required uniform parts to meet
 Philmont's uniform policy
- Must participate in designated staff training
- Must adhere to the policies and programs set forth by Philmont Scout Ranch management

Position Overview

Provide programs related to the Philmont Training Center Shooting Sports Complex including, slingshot, archery, tomahawks, BB guns, .22s, and shotguns.

Primary Duties & Responsibilities

- Provide high quality program to participants of the Shooting Range both youth and adults.
- Assist in the scheduling of groups as it relates to the Shooting Program.
- Pay close attention to health, safety, welfare, attitude, and morale of the participants. Take immediate action to solve problems. Enforce the policies and guidelines outlined in the Staff Guidebook.
- Provide additional evening programs such as opening/closing program, cobbler night, western night, etc.
- In conjunction with the Shooting Sports Director, write an end of the season report including inventories, evaluations, schedules, and other documents necessary to future Philmont Training Center programs.
- Supervise the use of Philmont Training Center equipment and facilities related to PTC programs.
- Assist with other staff responsibilities as directed by the Associate Director of Program PTC or other Philmont Management to insure that the mission of the Philmont Training Center is carried out.
- Complete other duties as assigned by direct supervisor or ranch management as required

Desired Qualifications & Experience

- Must be 21 years of age by time of employment
- Ability to prioritize tasks and ask for help when needed
- Ability to function well in a high-pace and at times stressful environment

- Ability to work independently and provide a high-quality, safe, Philmont Training Center Shooting Sports Program.
- Previous experience with shooting sports is required.
- Be able to be certified as an NRA Range Safety Officer as well as an instructor in rifle and shotgun and become USA Archery level 1 certified. (certifications are offered as a part of staff training)
- Must be Certified Food Handler. You will be given a code to cover the cost of the class once you've been hired. http://newmexico.foodhandlerclasses.com Click on the link to learn more

Physical Requirements & Work Environment

- Be able to lift and handle materials up to 50 pounds throughout the scheduled workday
- Up to 90% of the workday could be spent standing, walking, bending, stooping, kneeling, or crouching
- Be able to work outside for 8 hours a day
- Must wear appropriate protective gear as need to perform job

Additional Information

Send inquiries to Philmont.trainingcenter@scouting.org

It should be noted by applicants that Philmont Scout Ranch and the surrounding are located in a rural ranching community within the high desert of the Sangre de Cristo mountains. Climate, culture, and the availability of resources may vary significantly than other communities. Amenities applicants are used to may not be available on the ranch or the surrounding area.

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This policy applies to all terms and conditions of employment, including recruiting, hiring, placement, promotion, termination, layoff, recall, transfer, leaves of absence, compensation, and training.

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