**Paddlesports Rental Dock Hand**

SoundWaters, a nonprofit education organization based in Stamford, CT is accepting applications for Paddlesports Manager for the 2020 summer season.

SoundWaters, founded in 1989, is the premiere environmental education organization focused on the protection of Long Island Sound and its watershed. SoundWaters works in partnership with individuals, schools, communities, businesses, civic organizations, and other environmental and educational organizations to develop experiences that foster a sense of responsibility and encourage actions that ensure the sustainable future of the Long Island Sound ecosystem.

The Paddlesports Rental concession is an integral part of SoundWaters public outreach mission and provides individuals and families with the opportunity to connect and enjoy the Long Island Sound via a fun recreational activity. The concession is located at Boccuzzi at Southfield Park in Stamford and operates on Saturdays and Sundays from mid-May through Labor Day.

Dock Hand reports to Paddlesports Rental Manager.

**RESPONSIBILITIES INCLUDE:**

- Assist customers both on and off of their rental equipment and ensure that they do so safely.
- Explain to the customers the proper use of the equipment that they rent (regardless of the customers' level of experience).
- Provide outstanding professional customer service.
- Provide customers with the equipment necessary for their paddle experience (kayaks, paddle boards, paddles, and life jackets of appropriate size).
- Properly maintaining the working condition of all equipment, including washing down all equipment being used on the water, consistently checking the safety level of all equipment, and properly storing all equipment at the close of the day.
- Assist in setting up at the beginning of the day and clearing the booth at the end of the day.

**QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Excellent interpersonal skills.
- Enjoy working with people.
- Good communication skills and lots of ENTHUSIASM!

**PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:** lifting and carrying equipment and supplies.

**START DATE:** May 16, 2020  
**END DATE:** September 7, 2020  
***MUST BE AVAILABLE TO WORK MEMORIAL DAY AND LABOR DAY WEEKENDS***  
**COMPENSATION:** $11/hour. Anticipate up to 16 hours/week.

Please send cover letter and resume to: Olena Czebiniak, oczebiniak@soundwaters.org

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